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 NEW YORK.—Election of Al J. Hayes, president AFL International Association of Machinists, and David J. McDonald, secretary-treasurer CIO United Steelworkers, to the board of directors of the American Heart Association was announced by Dr. Louis N. Katz, association president.  
 "Labor participation in the heart program is especially important during the present crisis, with its tremendous demands upon the nation's manpower," Dr. Katz said. "Together we hope to demonstrate to the American people that cardiovascular patients constitute a productive source of manpower and that rehabilitation programs for the worker with heart disease are a primary need to help him maintain himself as a self-supporting member of the community."

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**LABOR PROTESTS ATTEMPT TO REINSTATE DR. BRIMLEY**  
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 racy, where the Unions have supported the public schools to the very limit.  
 Some weeks later newspapers carried the information that the Army had named this same Dr. Ralph Brimley as a member of a mission of fifteen educators to spend seven months in Japan, to instruct the Japanese in democratic education. When this announcement was made, President Fink very properly advised President Green of the AFL to inform the Army of Brimley's statement of May 8, "warning" teachers under him against having anything to do with the Union.  
 President Green very properly and promptly, after having been furnished with the facts in the Brimley tirade and his threats to the teachers of Forsyth County, entered a protest against a man of Brimley's autocratic and undemocratic nature being sent on a mission to Japan to instruct the Japanese in democratic education. President Green's letter was as follows:

**THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR**  
 William Green, President  
 Washington, D. C.  
 July 2, 1951.  
 Colonel Robert Outsen,  
 Chief, Reorientation Division,  
 Office of Occupied Areas,  
 Office of the Secretary of Army,  
 The Pentagon, Washington, D. C.  
 Dear Sir:

Recently I was called upon by President Fink of the North Carolina State Federation of Labor, to protest in the name of the American Federation of Labor against the appointment of Dr. Ralph Brimley, Superintendent of Schools of Forsyth County, North Carolina, to a mission to instruct Japanese in democratic education.

I was advised that the opposition of the organized labor movement of North Carolina to the appointment of Dr. Brimley was based upon the fact that when a teachers union was organized in the district where Dr. Brimley serves, he threatened these teachers with (1) he would not give them a second chance after they had made their first mistake; (2) he would not recommend them to jobs in other counties if they had been active in the Union in Forsyth County; (3) he would not appoint union teachers to administrative positions. All these threats were made publicly.

In view of this biased attitude of Dr. Brimley to union teachers and to the unionization of teachers, I voice to you my personal and official protest in the name and behalf of the American Federation of Labor, against the appointment of Dr. Ralph Brimley to serve on a mission to instruct Japanese in democratic education.  
 Very sincerely yours,  
 (Signed) WM. GREEN,  
 President,  
 American Federation of Labor.  
 The Army very wisely recognized the justice of President Green's protest, and the invitation to Dr. Brimley was recalled, and an alternate named in his place.

Then it was that North Carolina's two Senators and Representative Barden became angry and intemperate. They charged the Army with having taken dictation from the American Federation of Labor. Their cries and fiery utterances were duly recorded on the front pages of North Carolina's daily newspapers. Editorial writers on these daily papers, with but few notable exceptions,

made repeated vicious attacks upon the Army, the American Federation of Labor and our own State Federation of Labor.  
 President Fink has issued many very calm and thorough explanations of why it was necessary for us to prevent, if possible, the mistake of our country in sending a man like Dr. Ralph Brimley on a mission to Japan to instruct the Japanese in democratic education. His statements received scant attention in the press of our own state. Dr. Brimley's own words to the teachers under him most assuredly disqualified him as an instructor to the Japanese on the question of democratic education. No act or action among the rulers of Japan has ever been more undemocratic than Dr. Brimley's autocratic and dictatorial position which he assumed when he spoke to North Carolina School

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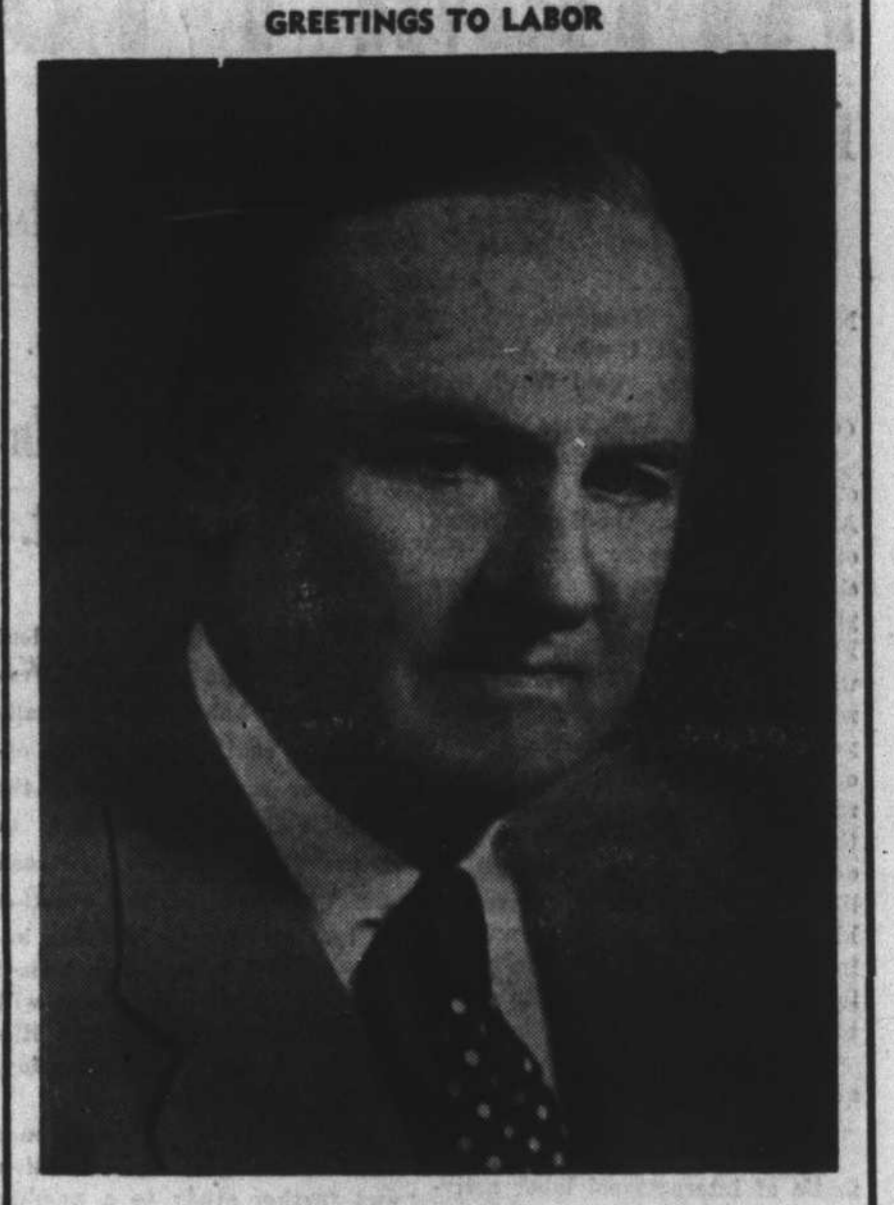
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teachers as he did on May 7. It is to bring these facts to the attention of the members of Congress that our State Federation of Labor now holding its 44th Annual Convention in Asheville prepared this communication, which was unanimously adopted by the convention. We are sending copies of this communication to every member of the Congress, to the President, to the Cabinet members and the heads of Departments, so each of them may have the facts, and not be influenced by the vicious statements

made by Senators Hoey and Smith and Congressman Barden. They are attempting at this time to have Dr. Ralph Brimley reinstated to the mission. We urge you in the name of common sense and common justice to oppose Dr. Brimley's reinstatement on the mission.  
 This communication, signed by the Central Labor Unions of this state, from the mountains to the sea, manifest the state-wide interest in this matter.  
 We shall thank all who aid us  
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