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NATIONAL RECOVERY MEASURES IN THE UNITED STATES.

The International Labour Office will publish shortly a Report entitled NATIONAL RECOVERY MEASURES IN THE UNITED STATES, which will contain the texts of the principal legislative measures together with a number of industrial codes adopted under the NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT (see lists below).

No attempt is made in the Report to analyse or comment upon either the Acts or the codes. What it is desired to do is to set before the reader the original documents essential to any adequate comprehension of the action now being taken in the United States.

In the case of two of the principal measures, the NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT and the AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT AND EMERGENCY FARM MORTGAGE ACT, charts have been prepared which show at a glance the main provisions of the legislation.

In order to facilitate the task of those whose interest is primarily in the LABOUR PROVISIONS of the Recovery Programme, indications are given in the volume as to where the most important passages may be found bearing on: COLLECTIVE BARGAINING, MINIMUM WAGES, MAXIMUM HOURS OF WORK, PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAMME, PROVISIONS FOR EMPLOYMENT AND RELIEF, etc.

The Report first gives the texts of six Acts having a more or less direct bearing upon industry and labour, viz:

NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT (With Chart),

AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT and EMERGENCY FARM MORTGAGE ACT (With Chart),

EMERGENCY RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION ACT (Title I),

FEDERAL EMERGENCY RELIEF ACT OF 1933,

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF ACT,

NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACT,

Brief summaries are then given of other important measures in the recovery programme, viz:

ECONOMY ACT,

INDEPENDENT OFFICES APPROPRIATION ACT, 1934,