

May 13, 1943

Mr. William Green, President
American Federation of Labor
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir and Brother:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 5, 1943, addressed to President Tobin, to which you attached a copy of a memorandum from the files of the President's Committee on Fair Employment Practice, involving the case of the application of the President's Executive Order No. 8802, involving our Local Union 299, of Detroit, Michigan, and Mr. Festus Hairston, in which the Committee alleges discrimination because of his color.

This will advise you that I am taking this matter up with the officers of our Local Union 299.

Thanking you for your interest in this matter, with warmest personal regards,

Fraternally yours,

ACTING FOR DANIEL J. TOBIN,
GENERAL PRESIDENT

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