

finance the budding union. Within the first two months of its existence 76 local unions had been chartered.

But the developing activities amongst farmers and farm workers became the heritage of Harold Ware, because on August 13, 1935, he died. Driving at night through the mountains of Pennsylvania, he collided with a coal truck and died the next morning in a hospital in Harrisburg at the age of 45. His mother, Ella Reeve Bloor, received the news during a visit she was making to Commonwealth College in Mena, Arkansas. Good friends there arranged to have her stay on quietly for a week while she recovered from the loss of this son of whom she was so immensely proud.