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In response to the success of the Symposium on the Warsaw Convention and the Symposium on Air Safety, the Journal has already finalized plans for a third symposium. With the assistance of Professor Charles J. Morris, Institute of Aerospace Law, and Professor Benjamin Aaron, University of California, the Symposium on Air Transport Labor Relations promises to surpass the success of the previous two symposia. In an attempt to open the agenda to a wider cross-section of ideas, emphasis will be placed on discussion from the floor by the delegates, after selected speakers lay a foundation for constructive thinking on various topics.

Volume 34-4 should prove significant for the aviation field. Included in this issue, which will be published at the end of December, are articles by IATA’s Assistant to General Counsel, Edward D. Bailey, entitled Air Carrier Liability for Nuclear Damage, and the first two installments of Mr. Barre Hall’s thesis entitled The Civil Aeronautics Board Policy Favoring Subsidy Reduction to Local Service Carriers.

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