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Unions, abolition of.

Circumstances of taking over the labor unions in April 1933 (1-4). A circular letter was sent out notifying the gauleiters of this step; the SS and SA were to cooperate with the gauleiters, and a few people who resisted were taken into protective custody (4-8). The unions were taken over to found a new system, not to seize their property (9-12). Witness discusses the first law of the DAF, and the purposes of the organization (13-15).