Forum Brings AFL-CIO, TMA Spokesmen For Panel Monday

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Representatives from the Texas AFL-CIO and the Texas Manufacturers Association will join with a Rice economics professor Monday, March 5, in a Forum Committee panel discussion on labor and management.

The subject of the discussion will be the debate topic, "Should anti-trust laws be applied to labor unions."

The program will be held in the Fondren Library Lecture Lounge at 7:30 p.m.

Bob Clarke, Forum Committee Chairman, said that an opportunity for questions from the audience will be provided.

H. S. (HANK) BROWN, president of the Texas State AFL-CIO, will defend labor's position. Mr. Brown has been active in the Texas labor movement since 1943 and was elected to his present office in January, 1961.

He has held high offices with such organizations as the Texas State Building and Construction Trades Council, the San Antonio AFL-CIO Council, and the Texas State Federation of Labor.

Mr. Brown is a high school graduate and has completed two years of college work in night courses at St. Mary's University, Trinity University, and San Antonio College. In 1956 he attended a four-month special labor-management training course at Harvard University.

TOM MARTIN DAVIS, a Houston lawyer with the firm of Baker, Botts, Andrews, and Shepherd, will represent the TMA. Mr. Davis, a native of Austin, received his B. A. degree from Virginia Military Institute and his LL. B. from the University of Texas.

A lawyer since 1928, he is General Counsel of Southern Pacific Railroad in Texas and Louisiana and has specialized in labor law.

Acting as moderator and stating his own views will be Dr. Gaston V. Rimlinger, Associate Professor of Economics at Rice.

Dr. Rimlinger received his B. S. degree from Washington and his Ph. D. from the University of California.

He is presently the faculty advisor to the Forum Committee.