This diary of Francis O'Rourke was placed in the Archives of Labor History and Urban Affairs in January 1972 by his son Jerome O'Rourke.

Francis O'Rourke was a participant in the Sit-Downs at Fisher Body Plant 2 in Flint, Michigan. Diary entries were made beginning on December 30, 1936 and ending on February 11, 1937.

The 17 page diary consists of short entries by Mr. O'Rourke at the end of each day. They reflect the activities during the entire period of the Flint Sit-Downs.

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