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Closed Shop Upheld in Florida High Court

The validity of the closed union shop, as provided in union contracts, was unequivocably upheld in a sweeping decision of the Supreme Court of the State of Florida, reversing a decision of the lower court and writing finis to a protracted campaign of Attorney General Tom Watson, designed to outlaw closed-shop contracts which he terms vicious, illegal and immoral. The lower court's decision, because of its anti-union nature, has been given wide publicity throughout the United States and, had it not been appealed, would have had unlimited repercussions because of similar attempts in other states to bar the closed shop.

The case, upon which a favorable precedent is now established, involved a contract between the Tampa Shipbuilding Company and 14 American Federation of Labor Unions.

The heart of the decision in this case, which is the first to be presented to any Supreme Court in which the validity of the closed-shop contract is directly passed upon, is to be found in the Court's statement, "management is free to hire only union men if it chooses. Likewise, labor is free to work only with union men, if it chooses."

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ANNUAL SESSION OF THE GENERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD

The session was called to order by International President Joseph A. Mullaney at 10 a. m., Monday, March 13, 1944, at the General Office, Washington, D. C.

The General Executive Board members present and answering roll call were: International President Joseph A. Mullaney; International Vice Presidents Hugh E. Mulligan, George R. Hennig, John W. Hoff, Joseph W. Hunter, James J. Dalton, A. L. Hullinghorst and Henry H. Thompson; and International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles.

Several telegrams to the Board extending well wishes for a constructive and successful session were received and Secretary instructed to make appropriate reply.

Communications and data dealing with appeals, charges, decisions, etc., were received. Communications from Local Unions were acted upon and the Secretary instructed to make appropriate reply.

The following business was transacted:

Appeal of Thomas W. McKinley, Regis. No. 10210, against trial action and penalty Home Local No. 25, Detroit, Mich. Appeal DENIED. Local action sustained.

Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, Okla., vs. Edward A. Wycoff, Regis. No. 2391, of Local No. 64, Tulsa, Okla. Charges SUSTAINED. Penalty in amount $12.50.

The Board considered the request of several of our eastern Home Insulator Locals for Conference privileges. Same was GRANTED.

The Board then considered the complaints of two affiliated Locals in whose cities one shop had inaugurated a new policy of "hold back" of one week's time. The Board, after due consideration instructed the Secretary to notify all affiliated Locals to insist on the observance of the time-honored custom of our craft, which is a three day "hold back" before pay day.

Vice President Thompson reported on conditions of our craft prevailing on the West Coast.

Adjournment 12:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES.
Secretary-Treasurer.

Monday Afternoon—March 13, 1944

The session was called to order by President Mullaney at 2:30 p. m.

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hennig, Hoff, Hunter, Dalton, Hullinghorst, Thompson and Sickles.

The Board held a scheduled hearing on charges of several of the Local No. 11 membership against certain activities of Brother Charles Franz, Regis. No. 7120, of Local No. 11. The membership involved gave testimony as did the General Manager and Superintendent of the shop interested. Local No. 11 was represented by Business Agent Edward McGann and Financial

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Secretary S. A. Mohsberg, Jr. The principal, though notified, failed to appear. The Board, after due consideration ordered the name of Brother Charles Franz placed upon the suspended list of the International Association.

Vice President Hoff made his report, which after discussion, was approved.

Vice President Dalton reported on conditions of our craft in his territory. His report was duly accepted.

Adjournment 5 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Tuesday Morning—March 14, 1944

The session was called to order by President Mullaney at 10 a. m.

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hennig, Hoff, Hunter, Dalton, Hullinghorst, Thompson and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

Business Agent Ernest S. Carlson of Providence, R. I., Local No. 31, appeared before the Board and complained of conditions existing on shipyard work in his City. The Board later settled the controversy with the shop interested.

Mr. Reisinger, of the General Asbestos and Insulation Company, Evansville, Ind., unfair to Local No. 37, whom the Board notified to appear in an effort to compose the differences existing between his shop and Local No. 37, failed to avail himself of this opportunity to establish harmony.

Local No. 79, Dayton, Ohio, vs. James M. Reed, Regis. No. 9086, of Local No. 84, Akron, Ohio. Failure to report. Charges SUSTAINED. Penalty in amount $12.50.

Local No. 34, Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn., vs. Thomas Beck, Sr., Regis. No. 1724, of Local No. 17, Chicago, Ill. Charges SUSTAINED. Two counts. First count, penalty in amount $12.50. Second count, penalty in amount $25.00.

President Mullaney submitted general report covering activities since the last Board meeting, which report was, after discussion, approved.

Secretary-Treasurer Sickles followed with his report covering activities at the General Office and in connection with assignments by President Mullaney since the last Board meeting which report, after due consideration, was approved.

Adjournment 12:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Tuesday Afternoon—March 14, 1944

The session was called to order by President Mullaney at 2:30 p. m.

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hennig, Hoff, Hunter, Dalton, Hullinghorst, Thompson and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

Brother Albert C. Cravens, Regis. No. 2646, notified to appear and defend himself against charges of certain activities while Business Agent of Local No. 37, failed to appear. President Mullaney detailed to the Board

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his findings at the open meeting held in the Hotel Vendome, Evansville, Ind., on May 2, 1943, at which time he suspended Brother Cravens from office and membership by virtue of the power vested in him by the General Executive Board. The Board, after considering President Mullaney's report, placed the name of Brother Albert C. Cravens on the "International Suspended" list.

The Board then heard the petition of Local No. 91 asking the Board to change its decision rendered at their 1937 session as affecting the territory of Orangeburg, Rockland County, New York. Business Agent Brown and President Leary appeared for Local No. 91, with Business Agent Roche and President Reiss appearing for Local No. 32. The Board reaffirmed its decision of 1937 and declared it in full force and effect on all present and future operations of our craft.

Local No. 41, Fort Wayne, Ind., vs. Kenneth Ray, Regis. No. 4958, of Local No. 18, Indianapolis, Ind. Failure to report. Charges SUSTAINED. Penalty in amount $12.50.

Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, Okla., vs. Robert A. Wilson, Regis. No. 8284, of Local No. 17, Chicago, Ill. Charges SUSTAINED. Two counts. First count, penalty in amount $12.50. Second count, penalty in amount $25.00.

Vice President Mulligan at this time made his annual report covering conditions of our craft prevailing in his territory, which report was approved.

Vice President Hennig made his report on general conditions in his territory, which was discussed and approved.

The Board then considered the reports of many of our Locals that they are facing difficulties recruiting new Improver membership within the constitutional age limit of 18 to and including 30, this being due to the reduced manpower as a consequence of the war effort. After due consideration the Board recommends membership issuance to applicants who have attained their seventeenth birthday, and Secretary instructed to so comply.

Adjournment 5 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Wednesday Morning—March 15, 1944

The session was called to order by President Mullaney at 10 a. m.

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hennig, Hoff, Hunter, Dalton, Hullinghorst, Thompson and Sickles.

The Board immediately adjourned, in order that its subcommittee, comprised of President Mullaney, Secretary Sickles, Vice Presidents Mulligan and Hennig, could appear at a prearranged conference with officials of the Bureau of Internal Revenue on the subject of withholding tax on transportation and board of our membership. Our committee was accompanied by Attorney Robert A. Wilson, from the office of the General Counsel for the American Federation of Labor. They spent the forenoon discussing this subject matter with Mr. E. J. Olmstead, who had been delegated to meet with our committee. This conference adjourned, after which, at the suggestion of Mr. Olmstead, Attorney Wilson communicated with the Bureau

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asking for a meeting with the Chief Counsel for the Bureau and our committee.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Wednesday Afternoon—March 15, 1944

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Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hennig, Hoff, Hunter, Dalton, Hullinghorst, Thompson and Sickles.

Brothers E. M. Asbury and A. C. DeVillier, Trustees of Local No. 22, and Brother T. L. Smith, former Business Agent of the Local, appeared, under instructions of the General Office, and were questioned by the Board concerning Local finances and the method of accounting. The Board then instructed the committee to have Local No. 22 give immediate action to applications filed with it for Mechanic membership. They were acquainted with the fact that rejected applicants have at the present time two separate petitions at the General Office for charter issuance within Local No. 22's chartered territory.

A petition for charter issuance including the cities of Port Arthur, Port Neches, Nederland, Beaumont and Orange, Texas, and Lake Charles, La., was heard. The Board DENIED the charter application.

Vice President Hunter reported for his territory, including Allentown, Pa., Local No. 71, under International supervision.

Vice President Hullinghorst reported on conditions in the Southwest, including Local No. 55, Mobile, Ala.; Pascagoula, Miss., and Pensacola, Fla., under International supervision.

Adjournment 5 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Thursday Morning—March 16, 1944

The session was called to order by President Mullaney at 10 a. m.

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hennig, Hoff, Hunter, Dalton, Hullinghorst, Thompson and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

Business Agent Farrell of Local No. 4 appeared before the Board and detailed the difficulties the Local experienced in having Mr. Saul, of the United States Heat and Frost Company, observe the working conditions as outlined in the International form of Joint Trade Agreement. Mr. Saul, who was notified to appear, failed to respond. The Board instructed Business Agent Farrell on the issue.

The balance of the session was given over to the audit of General Office finance, upon which completion showed all monies received and expenditures properly accounted for in exact amount as reflected by the financial report of the Secretary-Treasurer and the statements of our depository.

Final adjournment 1:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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THOMAS F. KEASBEY

First Lieutenant

Local No. 12

Reported missing in action

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REPORT OF THE
GENERAL PRESIDENT

Washington, D. C., April 3, 1944.

To the Officers and Membership, Affiliated Locals,
Greetings:

The activities of your President during the last quarter started with work at the General Office.

Then came a conference with Business Agent Roche of Local No. 32.

The next stop was Buffalo, a conference with Business Agent Farrell and later a meeting of Local No. 4.

Next in line came Rochester, a conference with Business Agent Beikirch and with the latter to a meeting he had arranged with Mr. Fisher of the Owens-Corning Buffalo Shop. The same evening at a meeting of Local No. 26 your President instructed the membership to apply glass insulation on a building taken over by the Navy in their City. On this occasion your President also heard appeals from certain of the membership protesting the legality of a recent Local election which he took under advisement. He later sustained the appeal and ordered new election for Local Officers.

Then came Washington and work at the General Office.

Columbus next with Secretary Sickles and Conference of the Central States where your President heard and gave decision on certain issues.

Then to Baltimore where your President met Secretary Sickles, Business Agent McGann and Secretary Mohsberg of Local No. 11 and with them to a shop where several of the Local No. 11 membership were questioned in re: the activities of a job foreman. Then to the General Office.

Next to Providence with Secretary Sickles and the session of the New England States Conference. During this session Messrs. Swanson, Senior and Junior, of the Rhode Island Covering Company appeared and after a general discussion an understanding was reached on the interpretation of certain clauses of our International form of Joint Trade Agreement as applying particularly to shipyard work.

Next came Philadelphia and attendance at the session of the Middle Atlantic States Conference.

The next jump was to Syracuse and attendance at the quarterly session of the New York State Conference.

Then came the annual session of the General Executive Board held at the General Office, the minutes of which are printed elsewhere in this Journal issue. Then followed work at the General Office.

Philadelphia next and attendance at a meeting held by the Eastern States "B Locals". This meeting was preliminary to one called for Saturday, June 3rd, at Newark, N. J., to effect permanent organization.

The demand on our craft is tapering off with ship work holding its own.

Invest your "Overtime" pay in War Bonds. They will come in handy after the war balloons come down to earth.

Fraternally

Joseph A. Mullaney

President.

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MATTHEW J. KOKOSZKA

Staff Sergeant

Local No. 33

Reported killed in action

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Appropriate Resolutions have been adopted by the Local Unions and copies of same forwarded to the General Office.

Bro. Charles W. Ward, Registration No. B-1518, Local No. 2-B, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Bro. John Garrett, Registration No. 4366, Local No. 3, Cleveland, Ohio.

Bro. William E. Berry, Registration No. 7851, Local No. 6, Boston, Mass.

Bro. Ralph Daffin, Registration No. 3650, Local No. 11, Baltimore, Md.

Bro. John Kucija, Registration No. 1096, Local No. 12, New York City.

Bro. A. B. Browne, Jr., Registration No. 837, Local No. 14, Philadelphia, Pa.

Bro. Garfield Simpson, Registration No. 5077, Local No. 14, Philadelphia, Pa.

Bro. John Dempsey, Registration No. 5216, Local No. 16, San Francisco and Sacramento, Calif.

Bro. Samuel S. Odabash, Registration No. 10870, Local No. 16, San Francisco and Sacramento, Calif.

Bro. Thomas Severhagen, Registration No. 1800, Local No. 17, Chicago, Ill.

Bro. Clarence J. Tomchek, Registration No. 8405, Local No. 19, Milwaukee, Manitowoc, Madison and Wausau, Wis.

Bro. William J. Moonan, Registration No. 9171, Local No. 30, Syracuse, N. Y.

Bro. Matthew J. Kokoszka, Registration No. 9498, Local No. 33, Connecticut.

Bro. Thomas M. Tobin, Registration No. 10410, Local No. 42, Wilmington, Del.

Bro. E. C. Litsinberger, Registration No. 4134, Local No. 44, Columbus, Ohio

Bro. Thomas E. Newton, Registration No. 11783, Local No. 59, Port Arthur and Fort William, Ont., Can.

Bro. Eugene J. Kraus, Registration No. 9739, Local No. 65, York, Pa.

Bro. L. M. Gravdal, Registration No. 4891, Local No. 87, San Antonio, Austin and Corpus Christi, Texas.

Bro. Charles Maloney, Registration No. 2018, Local No. 91, White Plains, N. Y.

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EUGENE J. KRAUS

Lieutenant

Local No. 65

Reported killed in action

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LOCAL WAGE RATES

Local	City	Per Hour
No. 1	St. Louis, Mo.	$1.75
No. 2	Pittsburgh, Pa.	1.75
No. 3	Cleveland, Ohio	1.62½
No. 4	Buffalo, N. Y.	1.75
No. 5	Los Angeles, Calif.	1.50
No. 6	Boston, Mass.	1.65
No. 7	Seattle, Wash.	1.64½
No. 8	Cincinnati, Ohio	1.55
No. 9	Norfolk, Va., Navy Yard	1.26
No. 10	Little Rock, Ark.	1.50
No. 11	Baltimore, Md.	1.68¾
No. 12	New York City	2.00
No. 13	Jacksonville, Fla.	1.50
No. 14	Philadelphia, Pa.	1.67½
No. 15	Wichita, Kans.	1.50
No. 16	San Francisco and Sacramento, Calif.	1.50
No. 17	Chicago, Ill.	1.70
No. 18	Indianapolis, Ind.	1.50
No. 19	Milwaukee, Manitowoc, Madison and Wausau, Wis.	1.52½
No. 21	Dallas, Fort Worth, Texas, and Shreveport, La.	1.62½
No. 22	Houston, Beaumont, Port Arthur, Galveston, Texas	1.62½
No. 24	Washington, D. C.	1.81¼
No. 25	Detroit, Mich.	1.62½
No. 26	Rochester, N. Y.	1.65
No. 27	Kansas City, Mo.	1.62½
No. 28	Denver, Colo.	1.40
No. 30	Syracuse, N. Y.	1.62½
No. 31	Providence, R. I.	1.50
No. 32	Essex and Hudson County, N. J.	1.75
No. 33	Connecticut	1.56¼
No. 34	Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn.	1.50
No. 35	Youngstown, Ohio	1.62½
No. 36	Portland, Oreg.	1.51½
No. 37	Evansville, Ind.	1.60
No. 38	Wilkes-Barre and Scranton, Pa.	1.50
No. 39	Omaha, Nebr.	1.50
No. 40	Albany, N. Y.	1.50
No. 41	Fort Wayne, Ind.	1.45
No. 42	Wilmington, Del.	1.67½
No. 43	Springfield, Mass.	1.50
No. 44	Columbus, Ohio	1.62½
No. 45	Toledo, Ohio	1.52½
No. 46	Knoxville, Tenn.	1.50
No. 47	Grand Rapids, Lansing, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Saginaw, Mich	1.52½
No. 48	Atlanta, Ga.	1.50

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Local	City	Per Hour
No. 49	Duluth, Minn.	$1.20
No. 50	Tacoma, Wash.	1.50
No. 51	Louisville, Ky.	1.62½
No. 53	New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La., and Jackson, Miss.	1.62½
No. 54	Lawrenceburg, Ind. (Distillery Plant Workers only)	1.27
No. 55	Mobile, Ala., Pascagoula, Miss., and Pensacola, Fla.	1.50
No. 56	Wood River, Ill. (Oil Refinery only)	1.29
No. 57	Sioux City, Iowa	1.50
No. 58	Great Falls, Mont.	1.50
No. 60	Miami and West Palm Beach, Fla.	1.50
No. 61	Charlotte, N. C.	1.37½
No. 63	Springfield, Mo.	1.50
No. 64	Tulsa, Okla.	1.62½
No. 65	York, Pa.	1.50
No. 66	Amarillo & Borger, Texas	1.62½
No. 67	Tampa, Fla.	1.50
No. 68	Charleston, S. C., Navy Yard	1.26
No. 69	Salt Lake City, Utah	1.25
No. 70	Mare Island Navy Yard, Vallejo, Calif.	1.26
No. 71	Allentown, Pa.	1.67½
No. 72	Greensboro, N. C.	1.37½
No. 73	Phoenix, Ariz.	1.50
No. 74	Des Moines, Iowa	1.50
No. 75	South Bend, Ind.	1.50
No. 76	Albuquerque, N. Mex.	1.50
No. 77	Charleston, S. C. (Except Navy Yard)	1.50
No. 78	Birmingham, Ala.	1.50
No. 79	Dayton, Ohio	1.50
No. 80	Charleston and Huntington, W. Va.	1.62½
No. 81	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	1.50
No. 82	Spokane, Wash.	1.50
No. 83	Norfolk, Portsmouth, Newport News, Va. (except Navy Yard)	1.43¾
No. 84	Akron, Ohio	1.62½
No. 85	Atlantic City, N. J.	1.67½
No. 86	Nashville, Tenn.	1.50
No. 87	San Antonio, Austin and Corpus Christi, Texas	1.62½
No. 88	Richmond, Va.	1.50
No. 89	Trenton, N. J.	1.67½
No. 90	Memphis, Tenn.	1.50
No. 91	White Plains, N. Y.	1.75
No. 92	Columbia, S. C.	1.50
No. 94	Oklahoma City, Okla.	1.62½
No. 96	Savannah, Ga.	1.50
No. 97	Juneau, Alaska	1.51½
No. 98	Portland, Maine (Shipyard only)	1.26
No. 99	Seneca, Ill. (Shipyard only)	1.20
No. 100	Honolulu, Hawaii	1.58

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New Members

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12153	Edward A. Brendle	Local No.	9
12155	Lawrence E. Chandler	Local No.	9
12156	Hiawatha F. Collette	Local No.	9
12157	Russell E. Davis	Local No.	9
12158	Dueward J. Decatur	Local No.	9
12159	Russell A. Dennis	Local No.	9
12160	Roy L. Dowdy	Local No.	9
12161	Glen Harris	Local No.	9
12162	Joseph M. Holland	Local No.	9
12163	Bonnie N. Hux	Local No.	9
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12165	Charles N. Manship	Local No.	9
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12168	Frederick E. Sampson	Local No.	9
12169	Harry M. Sears	Local No.	9
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12178	Dallas B. Gaskill	Local No.	9
12179	George E. Harcum	Local No.	9
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12191	O. W. Sanders	Local No.	95
12192	Thomas Houldcroft	Local No.	6
12193	Fred J. Johnson, Jr.	Local No.	6
12194	Wilfred Pehkonen	Local No.	25
12195	William R. Mathews	Local No.	66
12196	William K. Neales	Local No.	5
12197	Herman M. Red	Local No.	10
12198	Jack L. Griggs	Local No.	36
12199	Milton W. Bartholomy	Local No.	36
12200	O. L. Conaway	Local No.	69
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12203	Elman C. Miller	Local No.	49
12204	Anthony H. Arbachest	Local No.	98
12205	Arthur A. Berger	Local No.	98
12206	Roger V. Burch	Local No.	98
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12211	J. E. Pouliot	Local No.	98
12212	Virgil T. Wiggin	Local No.	98
12213	Walter K. Robinson	Local No.	82
12214	William Crosby	Local No.	82
12215	Stephen Chaykousky	Local No.	60
12217	Wiley L. Berry	Local No.	100
12218	Charles A. Morris, Jr.	Local No.	100
12219	Carl L. Snook	Local No.	100
12220	Frank D. Fish	Local No.	31
12221	Albert Barranger	Local No.	95
12224	Mike M. Morton	Local No.	70
12225	Charles J. Tracy	Local No.	36
12226	Aage Fredricksen	Local No.	36
12227	Clarence L. Goodwin	Local No.	36
12228	Otto W. Segrin	Local No.	36
12229	John C. Everhart	Local No.	36
12230	Orville W. Yoder	Local No.	5
12231	George Bok Man Kim	Local No.	100
12232	Eugene H. Douglas	Local No.	90
12233	John B. Darrah	Local No.	23
12234	Earle B. Black	Local No.	23
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12236	Donald D. MacKenzie	Local No.	23
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12239	Eugene J. Culbert	Local No.	23
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12244	Thomas E. Spain	Local No.	9
12245	Lloyd A. Daniels	Local No.	9
12246	Charles H. Griffis, Jr.	Local No.	10
12247	Rufus W. Fautheree	Local No.	76
12248	James S. Nacol	Local No.	76
12249	Rudolph J. Neuer	Local No.	26
12250	Viljo Piukkala	Local No.	59
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12254	Emory H. Bevill	Local No.	96
12256	John R. Dickens	Local No.	5
12257	Kenneth F. Adams	Local No.	16
12258	Roger Bauers	Local No.	49
12259	Edward L. Morse	Local No.	100
12260	Lionel C. Lincoln	Local No.	100
12261	Clement S. Souza	Local No.	100
12262	Francis K. Kekahuna	Local No.	100
12263	Allen P. Walker	Local No.	87
12264	Leo Paradis	Local No.	29
12265	Elzebert Boucher	Local No.	29
12266	Thomas E. Coleman	Local No.	48
12267	Hubert G. Brown	Local No.	48

Lapsed Members Reaffiliated

12154	Walter R. Brown	Local No.	9
12167	John P. McNamara	Local No.	9
12216	Harry P. Sheridan	Local No.	16
12222	William G. Dole	Local No.	14
12223	Wayne Johnson	Local No.	25
12255	John L. Kelly	Local No.	6

Withdrawal Status Restored

2408	Elbert R. Sitton	Local No.	22

Suspended Member Reinstated

11678	Harry Carmicheal	Local No.	95

Members Returning Withdrawal Cards

4543	Russell Turner	Local No.	8
9490	B. M. Hochstrasser	Local No.	16
11560	William K. Welker	Local No.	16
9956	C. M. Yates	Local No.	21
9414	Odis P. Vaughan	Local No.	21
9962	T. A. Klause	Local No.	21
9617	John O. Gustofson	Local No.	31
6797	L. Hettesheimer	Local No.	32

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9951	Earl Baker	Local No.	37
8291	Donald W. Seble	Local No.	47
11453	Charles E. Grey	Local No.	53
8715	Alton L. Poole	Local No.	77
10559	Joseph C. Rogers	Local No.	81
7793	Carl L. Hines	Local No.	87
4914	B. A. Karkut	Local No.	91

Members Suspended

11204	J. C. Boertzel	Local No.	8
10786	Odber H. Standal	Local No.	34
9887	Casper S. Rogers	Local No.	46
8329	Preston Smith	Local No.	46
9783	Daniel C. Barranger	Local No.	95
9935	Steve Shugan	Local No.	95
11473	Norman A. North	Local No.	95
11992	Jas. M. Lamb	Local No.	95
11872	Calvin Darby	Local No.	99
11873	Theodar Decker	Local No.	99
11901	George Williams	Local No.	99
11902	Harry J. Corbin	Local No.	99

Members Suspended Pending Trial

7120	Charles Franz	Local No.	11
10270	Richard C. Smith	Local No.	21

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11635	George R. Fickas	Local No.	5
10796	Ernest Guggisberg	Local No.	5
12230	Orville W. Yoder	Local No.	5
9980	Arnold W. Johansen	Local No.	6
887	A. Harrigel	Local No.	7
7036	Fred Boldt	Local No.	8
6034	Roland Osborn	Local No.	8
9511	James E. Fales, Sr.	Local No.	11
10676	Joseph Kaniecki	Local No.	11
10674	Robert C. Knopp	Local No.	11
10663	A. E. Pocklington	Local No.	11
9329	John A. Spangler	Local No.	11
8299	Alonza E. Terry	Local No.	11
2962	Geo. Gelish	Local No.	12
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7358	Charles Schmitt	Local No.	12
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9890	Coy F. Bush	Local No.	13
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763	Benjamin Murphy	Local No.	14
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10427	Arthur E. Lesh	Local No.	16
11247	John A. Quinlan	Local No.	17
8253	Daniel Cantillon	Local No.	17
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9206	Martin Evitts	Local No.	68
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11482	Carl H. Stone	Local No.	95

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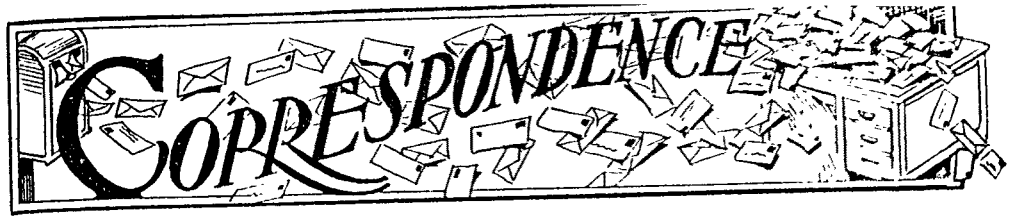
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New York City,
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Editor, The Asbestos Worker,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir and Brother:

Would it be possible to have the enclosed picture of our first reported "missing in action" member placed in the Asbestos Worker for the knowledge of all concerned? This may be an instrument of really finding out if the member is dead or just missing in action, since some member with short-wave radio in some part of the country may pick up the report of foreign broadcasts as to the persons killed or taken prisoners in the different areas throughout the war zone.

Thomas F. Keasbey, Reg. No. 9464, joined Local 12 April, 1942, as an Improver, enlisted in the U. S. Army June 1942, was with the 518th Military Police Bn until he was accepted by the Air Corps for training, was commissioned Second Lieutenant as a pilot of a Flying Fortress in February 1943, and after a year's training at the various flying fields throughout the United States, he took his own Fortress overseas in September 1943.

He was assigned to the Eighth Air Force, 334th Squadron, 95th Bomber Group. He had had more than fifteen missions over Europe, and as such received the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters. About December, 1943, he was promoted to First Lieutenant. Word was received by his family (his father being Mr. A. P. Keasbey of the Robt. A. Keasbey Co., this city) from the War Department stating that he is "Missing in Action" over Germany since March 6, 1944, which was the first big American attack over Berlin, Germany.

We sincerely trust that some Asbestos Worker will be kind enough to report his whereabouts if picked up on some short-wave radio, since this is one of the last hopes of so finding missing men of the Services.

Trusting that this will be in time for your new issue of the ASBESTOS WORKER and that the data is all right for print.

Fraternally yours,
JOSEPH FLYNN,
Secretary-Treasurer, Local No. 12.

Wethersfield, Conn.,
March 27, 1944.

Editor, The Asbestos Worker,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir and Brother:

It is with regret that I advise our Local No. 33 has suffered its first loss in the world conflict with the death of Staff Sergeant Matthew J. Kokoszka, Regis. No. 9498, who was killed in an automobile accident on New Georgia Island, Southwest Pacific, on February 29, 1944.

Brother Kokoszka was a brother of Mrs. Gaspic and had made his home with the writer for five years prior to his induction into the U. S. Army Air Force on March 24, 1942. He was sent to the Hawaiian Islands in September, 1942, and saw action on Guadalcanal Island from February, 1943, to February, 1944, having transferred to New Georgia only a short time before his accident.

Trusting you will add his name to our International Honor Roll, I am

Fraternally yours,
JOHN A. GASPIC,
Business Agent, Local No. 33.

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York, Pa.,
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Editor, The Asbestos Worker,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir and Brother:

I am enclosing a picture of Second Lieutenant Eugene J. Kraus, Improver member of Local No. 65, who was reported missing in action over Germany since February 4, according to a telegram from the War Department February 18, 1944.

Lt. Kraus enlisted in the Army as an Air Cadet April 28, 1942, was called to service October 21, 1942. He received his pre-flight training at Maxwell Field, Ala.; primary at Cape Girardeau, Mo.; basic at Walnut Ridge, Ark.; and advanced at Seymore, Ind., where he received his wings and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant July 28, 1943. He rereceived his combat training at Alexandria, La., and was sent overseas, arriving in England November 15, 1943, and assigned to the Eighth Bombing Air Force as co-pilot on a Flying Fortress.

In a letter to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Edward Kraus, dated January 16, 1944, he stated that he had been on eleven missions over Germany and had received the Air Medal and two Oak Leaf Clusters for meritorious service on combat missions.

I have waited until this late date to send in this report hoping that we would receive word that he had either returned through the French underground, or that he was a prisoner of Germany.

Fraternally yours,
GEORGE A. LONG,
Secretary, Local No. 65.

P. S. Will you please return the picture as it is the only one I have of him. Jean is a very close friend of mine. He grew up with my children and worked with me for two years. Thank you.

Notice was received from Secretary Long as we go to press, that the War Department has officially advised that Lt. Eugene J. Kraus was killed in action over Germany, February 4, 1944.—Ed.

Hartford, Conn.,
March 27, 1944.

Editor, The Asbestos Worker,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Sickles:

It is with inexpressible sorrow that we have learned of the death of Staff Sgt. Matthew Kokoszka in New Georgia Island, Southwest Pacific on February 29, 1944.

"Matt" was an Improver with us when he entered the United States Army and had been with us at that time for a period of two years.

May we be granted, through your columns, to express the deep debt of gratitude that we owe him for his unfailing loyalty to us and later on to his country.

Yours very truly,
The Insulation Company,
W. B. BROWN.

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ATTENTION LOCALS

Government forms for Local Union financial reports are now being prepared by the Treasury Department and will be furnished all Local Unions by the General Office in the near future.

Make no report except on Government forms as supplied by your General Office.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF SOUTHEAST STATES CONFERENCE OF ASBESTOS WORKERS

The regular meeting of the Southeast States Conference of Asbestos Workers was called to order by President William Howell, at 2:00 p. m., March 11, 1944, in the Labor Temple, Birmingham, Ala.

Affiliated Locals were represented as follows: Local No. 46, Knoxville, Tenn., Delegates H. W. Woody and N. W. Railey; Local No. 48, Atlanta, Ga., Delegate H. M. Hoffman; Local No. 78, Birmingham, Ala., Delegate William Howell; Local No. 90, Memphis, Tenn., Delegate C. L. Moore.

Minutes of the previous meeting held on December 11, 1943, were approved as read.

Delegates H. W. Woody and N. W. Railey reported Local No. 46 has plenty of work for home members. Will need a few travelers in next few months. Future work very fair.

Delegate H. M. Hoffman reported Local No. 48 has very little work, and wishes to thank sister Locals for their help. Future prospects fair, several large buildings contemplated.

Delegate William Howell of Local No. 78 reported work fair now, and for the coming year.

Delegate C. L. Moore reported Local No. 90 has all members working at present. Future outlook good.

The Conference delegates considered the absence of delegates from several of the affiliated Locals, and while the delegates realize that this absence is caused in part by present day working conditions which prohibit many of the delegates from leaving their employment over the weekend, they further considered the possibility that the quarterly meetings were too frequent for this Conference, in view of the distances to be traveled by the delegates.

In cooperation with the General Office, a special meeting of the Conference will be held at Jacksonville, Fla., during the month of April, at which time, consideration will be given to semi-annual Conference meetings rather than the present arrangement of quarterly Conference meetings.

It was agreed that the next regular meeting of the Conference will be held at Memphis, Tenn., the date of the regular meeting to be determined at the special meeting at Jacksonville, in April.

There being no further business before the Conference adjournment at 6:00 p. m. with the delegates to dinner as the guests of Local No. 78.

Respectfully submitted,

H. M. HOFFMAN,
Secretary.

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MINUTES OF MEETING OF SOUTHWEST STATES CONFERENCE OF ASBESTOS WORKERS

On Saturday, February 26, 1944, regular meeting of Southwest States Conference held at the Skirvin Hotel at Oklahoma City, Okla.

Meeting called to order by President T. L. Smith at 10:00 a. m. with all officers present.

The affiliated Locals were represented as follows: J. B. Greenlee and R. Burris, Local No. 10, Little Rock, Ark.; A. J. Essary and H. L. Loudermilk, Local No. 21, Dallas, Fort Worth, Texas, and Shreveport, La.; T. L. Smith, Local No. 22, Houston, Beaumont, Port Arthur and Galveston, Texas; A. L. Hullinghorst and W. C. Davis, Local No. 53, New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La., and Jackson, Miss.; George Majors and Fred Scott, Local No. 64, Tulsa, Okla.; Peter Groll, Local No. 87, San Antonio, Austin and Corpus Christi, Texas; J. W. Flinsbaugh and J. L. Sullivan, Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Communications were read and received, among which were credentials from Locals No. 66 and 76 for Brothers Donnell and Green, respectively, as Conference delegates.

Bills read and ordered paid.

Delegate Greenlee reported for Local No. 10, Little Rock, all members and some plasterers working. Future work looks fair.

Delegate Essary reported for Local No. 21, Dallas, all members with 15 plasterers at work. Future work looks favorable.

Delegate Smith reported for Local No. 22, Houston, all members working with an additional 1000 emergency men, mostly plasterers. Plenty of work ahead.

Delegate Hullinghorst reported for Local No. 53, New Orleans, that all members are working, with 30 travelers and 250 plasterers. Work for the future looks good.

Supervisor Hullinghorst of Local No. 55, Mobile, reported all members working, with 300 "emergency Asbestos Workers", mostly plasterers. Work for the future looks good.

Delegate Majors reported for Local No. 64, Tulsa, that conditions were good and all members working with about 80 "emergency Asbestos Workers", mostly plasterers. The future looks fair.

Delegate Groll reported for Local No. 87, San Antonio, all members working with 150 "emergency Asbestos Workers", mostly plasterers. Work for the future looks bright.

Delegate Sullivan reported for Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, all members were working. Future looks fair.

Delegate Donnell of Local No. 66, Amarillo, reported that all members were working and 20 "emergency Asbestos Workers", mostly plasterers.

Delegate Green, of Local No. 76, Albuquerque, reported that all members are working, with several out on travelers. Prospects for future work look bright.

Meeting recessed from 12:00 o'clock until 2:00 o'clock to attend luncheon arranged for delegates and guests by Local No. 94. Attending this luncheon were Employers and Labor Representatives. Brother Flinsbaugh introduced the Employers and Labor Representatives who made short talks, which were very interesting.

The afternoon Conference session convened at 2:15 p. m.

Under new business, Vice President Hullinghorst made a talk concerning certain Locals in this Conference still not living up to the ratio, and instructed these Locals to live up to the ruling given by President Mullaney, at the last Conference session, in Houston, October 30, 1943. Motion made

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and carried that our Southwest per capita tax be reduced from 50 cents per member per quarter, to 25 cents per member per quarter, effective January 1, 1944.

The city chosen for the next Southwest Conference meeting was New Orleans. This session will be held during the American Federation of Labor Convention, November, 1944.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 3:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

A. L. HULLINGHORST,
Secretary.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES CONFERENCE OF ASBESTOS WORKERS

The regular quarterly meeting of the Middle Atlantic States Conference of Asbestos Workers was held on March 4, 1944, and was called to order by President Edward McGann, at 12:05 p. m., at 1807 Spring Garden Street, Philadelphia.

Affiliated Locals were represented as follows:

Local No. 11, Baltimore, Business Agent Edward McGann; Local No. 14, Philadelphia, International Vice President Joseph W. Hunter and President Charles Trout; Local No. 24, Washington, D. C., President M. L. Mohsberg and Business Agent N. L. Hoyle; Local No. 32, Essex and Hudson County, Business Agent James A. Roche; Local No. 38, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton, Secretary H. Bressler; Local No. 42, Wilmington, President William F. Wardell and Business Agent W. B. Davis, Sr.; Local No. 65, York, Business Agent George A. Long; Local No. 71, Allentown, International Vice President Joseph W. Hunter; Local No. 89, Trenton, Business Agent Stephen J. Kopp.

Locals affiliated and not represented: Local No. 2, Pittsburgh, and Local No. 85, Atlantic City.

International President Joseph A. Mullaney was in attendance.

Minutes of the previous meeting held on December 4, 1943, were read and approved.

Reports of Affiliated Locals:

Delegate McGann, Local No. 11, Baltimore, reported conditions still the same, very busy in shipyards with a fair amount of outside work. There is room for any of our idle membership in Baltimore. Plasterers and a few upholsterers are being used as "emergency Asbestos Workers".

Delegate Hunter, Local No. 14, Philadelphia, reported all members at work and a demand for more men. He stated he had many "emergency Asbestos Workers" employed, mostly plasterers, together with bricklayers and tile setters. He further stated he was badly in need of canvas men. No new construction in sight but still a demand for more men, particularly on marine work, on which canvas men are needed.

Delegate Hoyle, Local No. 24, Washington, D. C., reported a slight decline in construction; however, there is still enough work for the membership. Some plasterers are still being used with future expected to continue along these lines.

Delegate Roche, Local No. 32, Essex and Hudson County, reported industrial work is slowly tapering off with 60 per cent of work in shipyards. A tremendous rush is expected to begin on Marine Work by the latter part of April. He further reported that 28 per cent of present work was industrial work, composed mostly of plasterers.

Delegates Davis, Local No. 42, Wilmington, reported all hands working and more men needed, especially in the shipyards where there is plenty of

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work available. "Emergency Asbestos Workers", mostly plasterers, are still being used. Also reported some ships are being sent to Navy Yards for completion.

Delegate Bressler, Local No. 38, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton, reported the bottom has dropped out. All men are at work, however, in the Conference territory. A large job is expected to break soon at Berwick, Pa., that will take care of a goodly percentage of their men.

International Vice President Joseph W. Hunter reported for Local No. 71, Allentown, that all men are working with conditions expected to continue good.

Delegate Long, Local No. 65, York, reported conditions as slowest in past three years. Jobs that are ready are being held up by a lack of material. Plenty of work is expected to be had within three months. He further reported one of their members, Lt. Eugene Kraus, a co-pilot on a Flying Fortress, was reported missing in action, February 4, 1944.

Delegate Kopp, Local No. 89, Trenton, reported conditions still good with a decline in industrial construction. This is being alleviated by the rapid increase of public housing and private housing construction. Future prospects are mostly this type of work in his territory.

During the course of the Delegate Reports, President Mullaney gave his customary advice on questions asked of him, and also told of problems that the General Office has in maintaining the provisions of our agreement.

There being no further business to transact, adjournment was voted at 3:10 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN J. KOPP,
Secretary-Treasurer.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF NEW YORK STATE CONFERENCE OF ASBESTOS WORKERS

The regular quarterly meeting of the New York State Conference of Asbestos Workers was held at the Onondaga Hotel, Syracuse, N. Y., March 11, 1944.

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a. m. by President B. F. Beikirch and the following delegates responded to the roll call:

J. Farrell and F. G. Hawley, Local No. 4, Buffalo; G. Rider and P. O'Connor, Local No. 12, New York City; E. J. Kruse and B. F. Beikirch, Local No. 26, Rochester; P. J. McCormick and E. Blume, Local No. 30, Syracuse; J. C. Fallon, Local No. 40, Albany.

International President Joseph A. Mullaney was also present at the meeting.

Brother B. F. Beikirch of Local No. 26, Rochester, tendered his resignation as Conference President.

Vice President P. J. McCormick then presided over the meeting.

All bills upon motion were ordered paid.

Business Agent E. J. Kruse of Local No. 26, Rochester, presented credentials and was seated as a delegate.

A motion was made and seconded that we dispense with the reading of the minutes of the previous regular meeting. Motion carried.

Secretary-Treasurer Fallon made his financial report, and made certain recommendations which concerned Locals No. 4, 26, and 30. His report was received.

Delegate Farrell of Local No. 4, Buffalo, reported that business is slow

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at the present time and prospects for the future are poor. Several members are out of work at the present time.

Delegate O'Connor of Local No. 12, New York City, reported that business has fallen off considerably. There is no private construction work at the present time. All of the work is confined to the shipyards and has slowed up considerably. Prospects for future work are not promising.

Delegate Kruse reporting for Local No. 26, Rochester, reported that work had slowed up; all members at home are working, with 50 per cent of the membership out on travelers.

Delegate Beikirch reported that the Corning Glass Company of Corning, N. Y., had paid $2,500.00 to the Rochester Chapter, American Red Cross. This settlement was made in accordance with an agreement made by the Corning Glass Company, and after Local No. 26 had sustained a $4,200.00 wage loss by having the Corning Glass Company do its insulation on new piping installed in its plant with nonunion Asbestos Workers.

Delegate McCormick of Local No. 30, Syracuse, reported that conditions are back to normal once more. Several men are out of work but expect to place them this week. Prospects for future work are not good.

Delegate Fallon of Local No. 40, Albany, reported that conditions are fair at the present time with all men working. Prospects for future work are uncertain.

President Mullaney addressed the Conference, and stressed the importance of having our men work their full eight hours each day.

At this time President Mullaney took the chair, and declared nominations in order for the election of officers for the ensuing term. The election of officers resulted in the unanimous selection as follows: P. J. McCormick, President; John H. Farrell, Vice President; John C. Fallon, Secretary-Treasurer.

There being no further business, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn. Motion carried at 3:00 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. FALLON,
Secretary.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF CENTRAL STATES CONFERENCE OF ASBESTOS WORKERS

Minutes of Central States Conference meeting held at the Neil House, Columbus, Ohio, Sunday, February 13, 1944.

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p. m. by International Vice President James J. Dalton.

Letter from Secretary Vernon Adkins advising of inability to be in attendance; due to his employment so far from the meeting place that it was impossible for him to attend. Received and filed.

The minutes of the previous meeting upon motion were approved as read.

Local No. 44, Columbus, Delegates Neil, Stratton and Scott reported all members working, and three members in the Armed Forces. Work fair.

Local No. 8, Cincinnati—no representation.

Local No. 25, Detroit, Delegates Detlefs and Montie reported all members at work with travelers and some plasterers. Have trouble securing Improvers to equal their ratio.

Local No. 41, Fort Wayne, Delegate Fleck reported all members at work with some plasterers and a few travelers.

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Local No. 47, Grand Rapids, Delegates Brown and Ritzema reported 60 plasterers and other building trades mechanics in addition to their membership at work. Future work outlook is good.

Local No. 51, Louisville, Business Agent Stultz reported work good, and is expected to continue so.

Local No. 79, Dayton, Delegate L. Yount, reported all members at work, with some plasterers and travelers. Outlook for future work is good.

Local No. 84, Akron, Delegates Worster and Bennett reported all members working in addition to some plasterers. Work good, could use more mechanics.

Local No. 18, Indianapolis, Delegate Walter Denny reported all members working in addition to travelers and plasterers. Future prospects good.

Local No. 35, Youngstown, Delegate Francis reported all members working in addition to some plasterers. Work slowing up. Future work uncertain.

Local No. 37, Evansville, Delegate Knapp reported all members working, in addition to some plasterers. Can use additional Mechanics. Future work good.

Local No. 45, Toledo—not represented.

Local No. 3, Cleveland, Delegates James Dalton and Ed Doyle reported all members working, with plasterers and other building tradesmen.

Local No. 80, Charleston, Business Agent Vernon Adkins, through correspondence, reported all members at work. Future prospects favorable.

General President Mullaney and Secretary Sickles gave very instructive talks on trade matters and instructed the delegates on future conduct of union affairs, that were greatly appreciated by those attending.

President Mullaney also gave a wonderful talk on the working conditions of our general membership. He explained the wage difference between craft organization and industrial organization.

Upon motion the meeting adjourned at 4:00 p. m.

Respectfully submitted.

M. DETLEFS,
Secretary pro tem.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF NEW ENGLAND STATES CONFERENCE OF ASBESTOS WORKERS

The New England States Conference held a special meeting on Saturday, February 26, 1944, at the Biltmore Hotel, Providence.

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a. m. by President Carlson, of Local No. 31.

Communications were received and recorded.

Bills were read and upon motion ordered paid.

Delegates present were: Local No. 6, Boston, International Vice President John W. Hoff; Local No. 31, Providence, Ernest S. Carlson; Local No. 43, Springfield, Charles Hill.

Secretary-Treasurer John A. Gaspic, of Local No. 33, was not present.

Business Agent Hoff, of Local No. 6, Boston, reported considerable Marine Work in Boston and Maine shipyards. No large construction work in sight at present. Number of men from sister Locals working in territory. Future looks good. Can still use Mechanics. One hundred and twenty-five building trades mechanics, mostly plasterers, working as "emergency Asbestos Workers".

Delegate Hill, of Local No. 43, Springfield, reported all members working. Prospects fair, with number of small operations.

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Delegate Carlson, of Local No. 31, Providence. reported all members working, with 80 additional "emergency Asbestos Workers", mostly plasterers. He also reported having members at work again on the Quonset Point job.

President Mullaney made an interesting talk during which he explained the workings of the Stabilization Agreement.

Secretary Sickles spoke at length pointing out that the present construction, ordnance plants, etc., had about reached the peak, and the volume of employment for our membership would be largely in connection with ship construction for the "duration".

At this time, Messrs. Swanson, Senior and Junior, of the Rhode Island Covering Company appeared before the Conference, and, with Business Agent Carlson, were heard by President Mullaney on differences existing between the shop and Local on shipyard work. This controversy was settled and an agreement reached on working conditions in the shipyards.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned at 2:00 p. m., with the delegates as luncheon guests of Local No. 31.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. HOFF,
Secretary, pro. tem.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF EASTERN STATES CONFERENCE OF HOME INSULATOR LOCALS

In response to a call issued by Local No. 14-B, Philadelphia, Pa., to all eastern B Locals for the purpose of forming a Conference, a meeting was held at the Broadwood Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., on Saturday, April 1, 1944.

Locals responding were as follows: Local No. 2-B, Pittsburgh, Pa., represented by Business Agent John A. Harlan and Brother William Harlan; Local No. 6-B, Boston, Mass., represented by President R. Fallon and Business Agent John L. MacDonald; Local No. 14-B, Philadelphia, Pa., represented by President Frank Staton, Vice President Robert Knight, Financial Secretary Norman Jones, and Business Agent Clarence Dillman; Local No. 32-B, Essex and Hudson County, N. J., represented by President Arthur Knowlton, Financial Secretary Alfred Pierce, and Brother Ed Grant.

Meeting called to order at 1:00 p. m. by President Staton of Local No. 14-B, who acted as chairman, and then turned the meeting over to International President Joseph A. Mullaney. International Vice President Joseph W. Hunter was also in attendance.

Problems of the group were taken up and advice given by President Mullaney.

Working conditions in the various cities represented were discussed in full, as also the possibility for craft advancement by the formation of a permanent Conference.

It was unanimously agreed to meet in Newark, N. J., at 1:00 p. m., Saturday, June 3rd, to effect permanent organization and elect officers, the place of meeting to be later mailed all eastern B Locals. At this meeting Locals will be represented by two (2) delegates.

Adjournment at 5:00 p. m., after which the delegates were entertained at dinner as guests of Local No. 14-B.

Respectfully submitted,

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Business Agent—Jack Tuttle, 2323 Race St. East 7731.

No. 29—QUEBEC, P. Q., CANADA—Meets every 2nd Saturday at 8 p. m. at 110 Dupont Street.

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Financial Secretary—Thomas Belanger, 239 Avenue Royale, Gifford, P. Q.

No. 30—SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Meets 1st Friday, 8 p. m., at 248 E. Water St.

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Financial Secretary—Paul J. McCormick, 313 So. Collingwood Ave. Zone 6. Phone: 2-0782.

Business Agent—Paul J. McCormick, 313 So. Collingwood Ave. Zone 6. Phone: 2-0782.

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Financial Secretary—George Olson, 282 Pawtucket Ave., Rumford 16, R. I. East Providence 2757-W.
Business Agent—Ernest S. Carlson, 29 Woodward Avenue, East Providence 14, R. I. East Providence 1581.

No. 32—ESSEX AND HUDSON COUNTY, N. J.—Meets 2nd Friday at 56 19th Ave., Bohemian Hall, 19th Ave. and 17th St., Newark, N. J.
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Business Agent—James A. Roche, 322 Ellery Avenue, Newark 5, N. J. Essex 3-8311.

No. 33—CONNECTICUT—Meets 1st Friday at Trades Council Hall, Meriden, Conn.
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Business Agent—John A. Gaspic, 59 Grandview Terrace, Wethersfield 9, Conn. Hartford, 9-1839.

No. 34—MINNEAPOLIS AND ST. PAUL, MINN.—Meets 2nd Wednesday at 117 Fourth Street, S. E., Minneapolis, Minn.
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Financial Secretary—E. L. Whitman, 1800 Englewood Avenue, St. Paul 4, Minn. Nester 1500.
Business Agent—N. J. DeCosse, 1890 Iglehart St., St. Paul 4, Minn. Nester 4432.

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Financial Secretary—Albert McIntire, 242 Como Avenue, Struthers, Ohio. Phone: 53898.
Business Agent—Edwin Francis, R. D. No. 1. Zone 9. Phone: 96297.

No. 36—PORTLAND, OREG.—Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at Labor Temple.
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Financial Secretary—J. W. Geisler, 1749 S. E. 48th Ave. Zone 15. Ea. 8231.
Business Agent—J. W. Geisler, Labor Temple. Zone 4. At. 0171.

No. 37—EVANSVILLE, IND.—Meets 2nd Friday at Central Labor Union Building, 210 N. Fulton Ave., 10 a. m.
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Recording Secretary—Harold J. Knapp, 825 Stanley Avenue. Zone 11. Phone: 2-2641.
Financial Secretary—James I. Crow, R. R. No. 1, 1021 Hercules Ave. Phone: 9523.
Business Agent—Harold J. Knapp, 825 Stanley Ave. Zone 11. Phone: 2-2641.

No. 38—WILKES-BARRE & SCRANTON, PA.—Meets 1st Saturday at Union Hall, 12 East Market St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
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Financial Secretary—H. C. Bressler, 59 Eley St., Kingston, Pa. Phone: 74780.
Business Agent—

No. 39—OMAHA, NEBR.—Meets 2nd Friday at Labor Temple, 19th and Davenport St.
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Financial Secretary—L. H. Boon, 5626 No. 28th Ave. Zone 11. Kenwood 0930.
Business Agent—Don C. Chrisman, 4104 No. 25th Avenue. Kenwood 1176.

No. 40—ALBANY, N. Y.—Meets 1st Friday at Labor Temple.
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Financial Secretary—John C. Fallon, Box 31, West Albany. Phone: 8-0445.
Business Agent—John C. Fallon, Box 31, West Albany. Phone: 8-0445.

No. 41—FORT WAYNE, IND.—Meets 1st Thursday at 226½ E. Berry Street.
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No. 43—SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—Meets 3rd Friday at Central Labor Hall, 25 Sanford St.

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Financial Secretary—James J. Dunn, 389 Wilbraham Road. Zone 2. Phone: 3-4688.

Business Agent — James J. Dunn, 389 Wilbraham Road. Zone 2. Phone: 3-4688.

No. 44 — COLUMBUS, OHIO — Meets 1st Friday at Carpenters Hall, 283 East Rich St.

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Financial Secretary—George E. Neil, 397 Wrexham Avenue. Zone 4. Ra. 4632.

Business Agent — George E. Neil, 397 Wrexham Avenue. Zone 4. Ra. 4632.

No. 45—TOLEDO, OHIO—Meets 4th Friday at Labor Temple, Adams at 10th St.

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Business Agent—H. W. Woody, Route No. 3, Johnson City, Tenn. Phone: 1778-R.

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Financial Secretary—H. R. Ritzema, 1016 N. Capitol Ave., Lansing 6, Mich. Phone: 40543.

Business Agent — A. Clinton Brown, 94 Glenurban Ave., Battle Creek, Mich. Phone: 2-1363.

No. 48—ATLANTA, GA.—Meets 1st Sunday at Labor Temple, 2 p. m.

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No. 49—DULUTH, MINN.—Meets 2nd Tuesday at Labor Temple, 320 W. 1st St.

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No. 50—TACOMA, WASH.—Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays at Labor Temple, 15th and Market St.

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Financial Secretary—H. T. Curlette, 416 No. C St. Zone 3. Ma. 4345.

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No. 54 — LAWRENCEBURG, IND. — (Distillery Plant Workers Only.) Meets 1st Friday at 639 Shipping Street.

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Business Agent—Horace Block, R. R. No. 1, Dillsboro, Ind.

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Financial Secretary — Gordon Mason, 2101 S. Magnolia St. Zone 20. Phone: 80058.

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No. 58—GREAT FALLS, MONT.—Meets 2nd and last Tuesdays at 310 6th Ave., South.

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No. 59—PORT ARTHUR AND FORT WILLIAM, ONTARIO, CANADA — Meets every 4th Wednesday in Wilson Street Hall, Port Arthur, Ont.

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Business Agent—C. M. Sloop, 1608 Sumter Ave. Zone 2. Phone: 2-4293.

No. 63—SPRINGFIELD, MO.—

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No. 65—YORK, PA.—Meets 2nd Friday at Labor Temple.

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Business Agent — T. C. Donnell, 819 No. Harvey St., Borger, Texas. Phone: 1331-J.

No. 67—TAMPA, FLA.—Meets 2nd Tuesday at 3922 Nebraska Ave., 8 p. m.
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No. 68 — CHARLESTON, S. C., NAVY YARD—Meets 2nd Sunday at 68 Society St. at 10:30 a. m.
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No. 69—SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH—Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at Labor Temple, 151 South 2nd Street, East.
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Business Agent—C. G. Walters, 2160 So. 6th Street, East. Zone 5. Phone: 6-8315.

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Business Agent — Emil Krull, Jr., R. No. 1, Plymouth, Ind. Phone: 8833.

No. 76—ALBUQUERQUE, N. MEX.—Meets 4th Sunday at 411 Davidson Ave. Phone: 2-2231.
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No. 81—CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA—Meets last Saturday at Labor Temple, 90 1st Ave., N. E.

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No. 85—ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Meets last Saturday at 209 Tomlin Ave.

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No. 86 — NASHVILLE, TENN.—Meets 1st and 3rd Wedesdays, 8 p. m., at Labor Temple.

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Financial Secretary—A. E. Crawford, Route No. 1, Raleigh, Tenn.

Business Agent — Frank S. Finley, 777 Tate Ave. Zone 5. Phone: 8-3077.

No. 91—WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—Meets 2nd Wednesday at Union Hall, 208 Hamilton Ave.

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Labor Draft

After an exhaustive study the Truman special Investigating Committee of the United States Senate has rejected the proposed labor draft legislation and insists that instead the government must enunciate a clear and understandable labor-relations policy.

The committee, in expressing opposition to the draft labor movement, states that it is unnecessary, unworkable, overcomplicated and unjustified by labor's strike record. While repeating its opposition to the strikes which have taken place, the committee said that the number of man-hours lost by strikes had not been large enough to warrant such a measure affecting all the nation's people and that better methods should be devised by government, industry and labor.

The drive for a labor draft continues, however, but is receiving scant encouragement in either branch of the House except by the rabid labor haters. Army and Navy officials appear regularly before the Senate committee which has the suggestion under consideration but to date has revealed nothing to change the minds of the labor union officials, industry and the country in general that the move is necessaary to aid in prosecuting the war.

The Truman committee also revealed that the War Department has recommended a review of the entire production and construction field as soon as the Allied invasion of Europe begins with a view to allowing limited civilian activity. However, the committee disagrees with this policy and calls for an immediate resumption of necessary civilian production wherever it does not interfere with the war effort.

It urged increasingly greater output of civilian goods to make use of rising material surpluses and to prevent unemployment and the home economy from weakening.

It strongly opposed the plan in War Production Board circles to exercise a strict control over civilian production during the reconversion period and urged that manufacturers be permitted to make whatever civilian goods they want to, providing they have the labor, materials and facilities necessary and are not needed for specific war contracts.

The report stated that production officials say the bulk of initial equipment and supplies for the War Department will have been manufactured within 60 to 90 days and the job thereafter will be to supply the items of special need, to replace damaged and destroyed materials. The committee declared that the major battle of production is won while the biggest battles of the war fronts are yet to be fought.

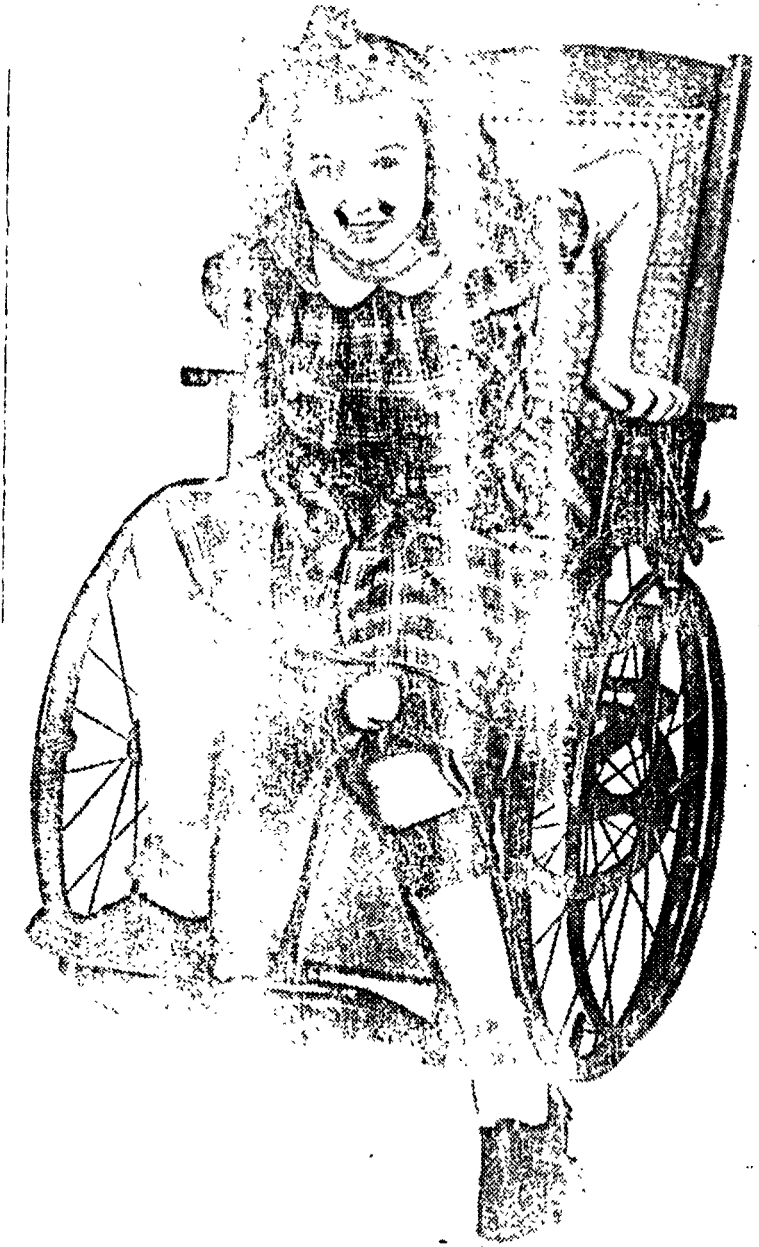
"At the present stage of the war program," the committee stated, "every effort should be addressed to maintaining a high standard of living and to employing all our resources of basic materials, plant facilities and workers to the end that we will have the strongest possible economy, which can carry the burdens of war production and war taxation with the least dislocation, and, therefore, with the best prospect of being able to continue for as long as shall be necessary to assure a complete victory."

"Our economy has proved that, with proper help from government, it can support a great Army and Navy without devoting as much of itself to war production as is necessary in less efficient countries. Unless and until the military authorities reach a carefully considered conclusion that military necessity requires the induction into the fighting forces of any very large number of men in addition to those now contemplated, our economy will be able both to support properly the military establishment and to increase its vigor at home."

The committee urged industry and government to plan in advance for reconversion and emphasized the need for adequate advance notice of cutbacks and contract terminations. In a section on disposal of government surpluses, it substantially endorsed the recommendations of the Baruch-Hancock report and the Senate Post-War Committee report, with additional emphasis on the desirability of making surplus materials available now for civilian production. It also proposed that the government make a general offer of all publicly owned factories for sale to their present operators at cost.

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