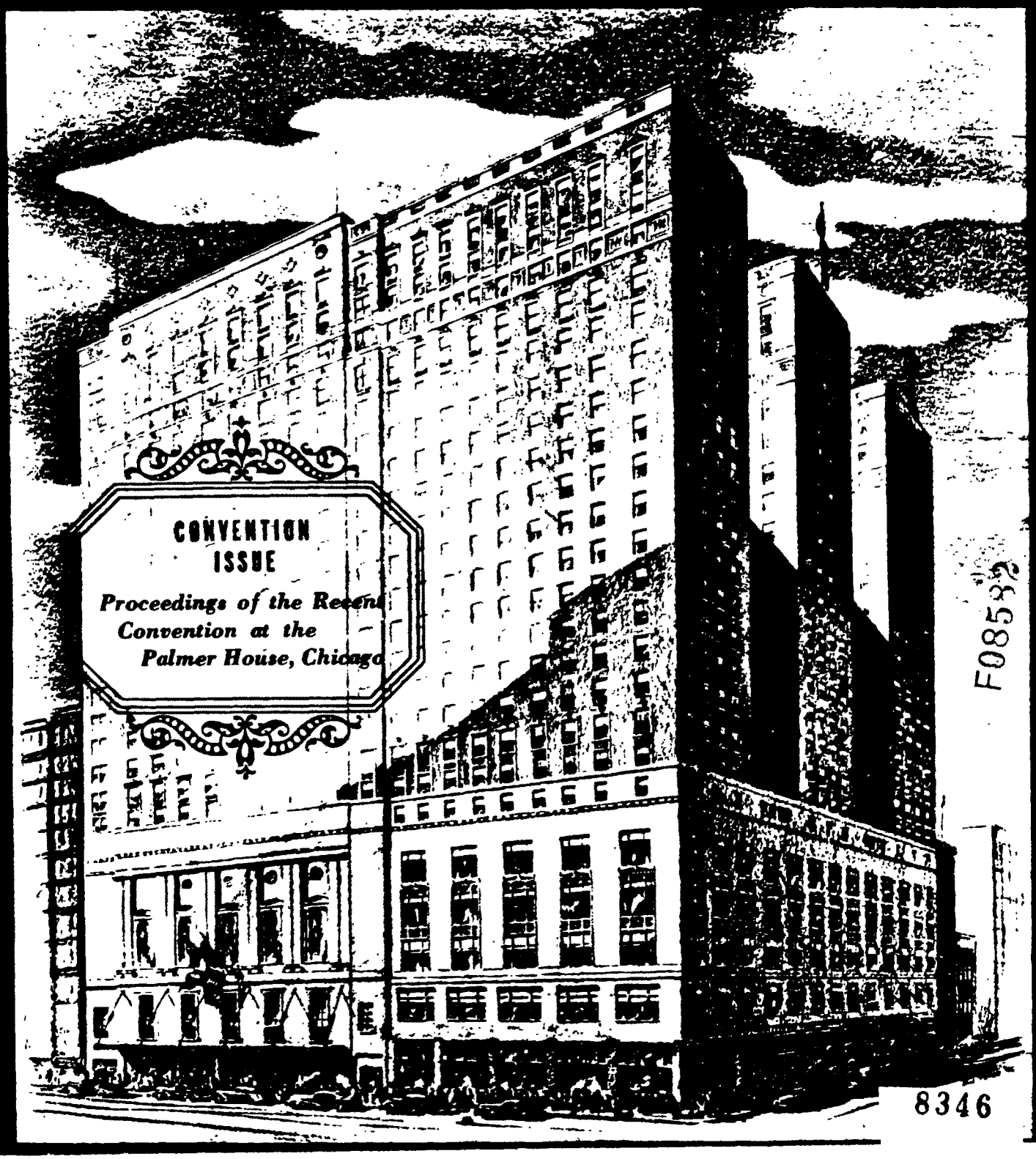
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Some Facts About YOUR COVER PICTURE

THE IMPRESSIVE BUILDING on this month's cover of your JOURNAL is the Palmer House of Chicago. This famous hotel was host to the Delegates attending the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers from the fifteenth to the nineteenth of September, 1947. The Palmer House was selected as Convention headquarters for the Seventeenth Convention because it had so marvelously cared for every requirement when the International held both its Fourteenth and Fifteenth Conventions in Chicago.

The Palmer House, recognized nationally as one of the finest hotels in the United States, located in the downtown section of Chicago (within the Loop), contains every facility for the care and entertainment of its guests. One of the unusual services available to its guests is a fully equipped hospital which employs a professional staff during every hour of the day and night.

Today's Palmer House occupies the original site of the old Palmer House, where travelers disembarked from stagecoaches at the intersection of what are now State and Monroe Streets.

The Delegates attended all of their regular and special conference meetings in one of the special Convention halls. The banquet was held in the spacious grand ball room where over twelve hundred, Delegates, their families and guests enjoyed an evening of dining, entertainment and dancing in an atmosphere they will long remember.

Because of the many dining rooms, lounges and arcades lined with shops of every description it was unnecessary for the Delegates to leave the hotel to seek such services.

The management of the Palmer House extended unusual cooperation and service to the arrangement committee of Local Union No. 17, the Host Local of the International Convention, headed by Business Agent Hugh E. Mulligan. The one hundred and twenty-five Delegates and approximately one hundred guests enthusiastically declared the Convention was everything that could be expected and an event which would remain in their hearts and minds forever.

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STARTING 36th YEAR AS GENERAL PRESIDENT



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Report of the GENERAL PRESIDENT



JOSEPH A. MULLANEY
General President

Washington, D. C.,
October 30, 1947.

To the Officers and Membership,
Affiliated Locals.

GREETINGS:

The activities of your President during the past quarter began at the General Office.

Then, as a delegate representing Local No. 12, came the convention of the New York State Federation of Labor held at Utica, N. Y. This proved to be the largest ever attended, with the air surcharged with labor's resentment against the Taft-Hartley Law. Secretary George Meany of the American Federation of Labor delivered the principal address. It proved to be a withering attack on Senator Taft and Representative Hartley, and more particularly so on Senator Ives of New York state, the supposed friend of organized labor, for his support of the bill. The convention unanimously approved the resolution to drive Ives from political life. Your President served as chairman of the Resolutions Committee and again succeeded himself as Vice President.

Then back to Washington and the General Office.

Next, with Secretary Sickles, came Chicago where a conference was held with Vice President Mulligan.

Washington again, and at the General Office came a conference with E. R. McGonnigle, of the M. W. Kellogg Company; H. H. Newcombe, Graver Tank & Manufacturing Company; H. B. Lose and John M. Crimmins of the Koppers Company; representing the National Constructors' Association. These gentlemen presented a joint trade agreement for the consideration and signature of our International Association. This agreement, if accepted by our International Association, would supersede our present International form and substitute much that we could not agree to. Your President informed all interested that our present form of trade agreement must be adhered to.

Next came Chicago and the pre-convention meeting of the General Executive Board, followed by the convention. It proved to be the largest attended in our history. It was also the most orderly and progressive. The Local No. 17 Convention Arrangement Committee, headed by International Vice President Hugh E. Mulligan, showed the delegates, their wives and visitors a time they won't forget for many a long day. So, too, did the Chicago Asbestos Contractors' Assn.

After convention adjournment Thursday afternoon, as on the following day, Friday, your President found time to attend meetings of all conferences of our International Association, in addition to having hearings, among which was an appeal by some Local No. 34 membership who were penalized by the Joint Trade Board of Minneapolis.

Your President did not attend the convention of the American Federation of Labor held at San Francisco by reason of the fact that his wife was ill. She is now up and around again and wishes to thank, as I do, Chairman Mulligan, the Convention Arrangement Committee of Local No. 17, the General Executive Board members and their wives, as well as all others who in any way contributed to her comfort during her siege of sickness while in Chicago.

Craft work is plentiful.

On next Election Day, and on all succeeding Election Days, go to the polls and remember labor's slogan first spoken by the immortal "Sam" Gompers, who said, "Reward your friends and defeat your enemies."

Fraternally,

Joseph A. Mullaney

President.

CONVENTION CITIES AND DATES

1st—St. Louis, Mo.	July 7, 8, 9	1903
2nd—Cleveland, Ohio	July 5, 6, 7	1904
3rd—Pittsburgh, Pa.	Nov. 1, 2, 3	1904
4th—Boston, Mass.	Aug. 7, 8, 9, 10	1905
5th—Chicago, Ill.	Aug. 5, 6, 7, 8	1907
6th—Buffalo, N. Y.	Aug. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	1909
7th—Milwaukee, Wis.	Aug. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5	1910
8th—New York City	Aug. 5 and 6	1912
9th—Toronto, Canada	Oct 5, 6, 7, 8	1914
10th—Philadelphia, Pa.	Oct. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	1916
11th—Detroit, Mich.	Oct. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	1919
12th—New York City	Oct. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	1922
13th—Washington, D. C.	Jan. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15	1926
14th—Chicago, Ill.	Sept. 8, 9, 10, 11	1930
15th—Chicago, Ill.	Sept. 20, 21, 22, 23	1937
16th—Cleveland, Ohio	Sept. 14, 15, 16, 17	1942
17th—Chicago, Ill.	Sept. 15, 16, 17, 18	1947

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Division of Labor Standards
Washington

October 27, 1947

CODE NO. *1004*

Mr. C. W. Sickles, Secretary-Treasurer
International Association of Heat and
Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers
211 Machinists Building
Washington 1, D. C.

DEAR MR. SICKLES:

This is to advise that as of October 3, 1947, your union has filed copies of its constitution and by-laws and the answers in the form prescribed by the Secretary of Labor under the provisions of Section 9(f) of the Labor-Management Relations Act of 1947.

As indicated in your report your fiscal year ended December 31, 1946.

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM L. CONNOLLY,
Director.

REPORT FILED WITH OFFICE FOR THE REGISTRATION OF LABOR ORGANIZATIONS, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTIONS 9 (f) and (g) of the LABOR-MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT, 1947

8. (a)—Fiscal year—January 1 through December 31, 1946.

(b)—Receipts:

Membership dues, fees and assessments	$71,961.75
Tax withheld from compensation—officers and employees	5,085.01
Supplies to Local Unions	2,071.67
Dividends	2.50
TOTAL	$79,120.93

(d)—Disbursements:

Officers' salaries and expenses	$36,514.12
Employees' salaries	12,149.00
Taxes—Personal Property, Withholding, Soc. Sec., etc.	5,310.50
Rent	1,815.00
Per capita to affiliated organizations	1,080.00
Insurance	268.95
Contributions	75.00
Telephone and telegraph	1,295.68
Printing, postage, stationery and supplies	12,421.44
TOTAL	$70,929.69

(c)—Assets at December 31, 1946:

Cash	$25,116.07
Government War Bonds	33,300.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,300.00
TOTAL	$59,716.07
Liabilities	NONE

Editor's Note: All officers of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers have filled out and signed notarized statements (NLRB Form 1081) in conformity with Section 9(h) of the National Labor Relations Act, as amended June 23, 1947, attesting to the fact that they are not members or affiliated with the Communist Party, which affidavits have been filed with the National Labor Relations Board.

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Convention Proceedings

MONDAY MORNING SEPTEMBER 15

The Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers was called to order in the Palmer House, Chicago, Ill., at 10 a. m., Monday, September 15.

International Vice President Hugh E. Mulligan, acting in the capacity of chairman of the Local No. 17 Convention Arrangements Committee, called the convention to order, after which he introduced President Patrick F. Sullivan, of the Chicago Building and Construction Trades Council, who in a short address welcomed the delegates and outlined the history of the Building and Construction Trades Council and its affiliates in the city of Chicago, complimenting Local No. 17 for the part it has played through the years.

Chairman Mulligan then addressed the convention, welcoming the delegates and announcing that the ladies would that evening be entertained at dinner at the Bismarck Hotel and at the theater as the guests of the Insulation Contractors' Association of Chicago.

Chairman Mulligan then presented International President Joseph A. Mullaney, who addressed the delegates, after which he called the convention to order and appointed the following Committee on Credentials:

Joseph W. Hunter, Local No. 14; Joseph Flynn, Local No. 12; Arthur G. Anderson, Local No. 17; Lloyd E. Yount, Local No. 79; E. A. Johnson, Local No. 6; Harvey Cook, Local No. 54; Malcolm F. Detlefs, Local No. 25; Charles L. Moore, Local No. 90; William Barrett, Local No. 27; Joseph A. Garraty, Local No. 93; Arvid O. Johnson, Local No. 42; T. L. Smith, Local No. 22; Howard A. Cook, Local No. 15; John R. Jones, Local No. 25-B.

Chairman Mullaney then appointed Brothers John Quinn and Robert Wilson, of Local No. 17, Chicago, Ill., as Sergeant at Arms and Messenger, respectively.

The following telegrams were received, read, and the Secretary instructed to make appropriate reply:

C. W. SICKLES, Secretary,
International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

We extend our best wishes to you and the entire Association. May this convention be among the best for combined effort and understanding along truly constructive lines.

MASTER INSULATORS ASSN.,
Denver, Colo.
By DAVID L. JONES, *President.*

J. A. MULLANEY, President,
Asbestos Workers International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Please accept the writer's personal greetings and those of our organization to your officers and delegates upon the opening of your International Convention. It has been our privilege to work in harmony and unity together for many years in the past. It is our hope that your deliberations will be successful and that your organization will continue to grow and prosper to greater extents in the future.

JOSEPH A. MCDONOUGH,
Business Manager, Philadelphia Branch, American Federation of Labor; Formerly Business Representative of the Plasterers Local No. 8, Philadelphia.

INTERNATIONAL ASSN. OF HEAT AND FROST INSULATORS & ASBESTOS WORKERS,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

The officers and members of Local No. 12 wish to convey their very best wishes for a most successful and progressive convention. May the Executive Family and delegates to the Seventeenth Convention enjoy good health and bring their labors to a beneficial conclusion.

Fraternally,
JOHN S. OLSEN,
Acting Secretary.

PRESIDENT JOSEPH A. MULLANEY,
Convention International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Local 14 of Philadelphia, Pa., wishes to extend to you, the officers and delegates hearty greetings and best wishes for a successful and constructive Seventeenth Convention.

HERMAN A. DUHRKOFF,
Recording Secretary.
Local No. 14, Philadelphia, Pa.

JOSEPH A. MULLANEY, General President,
International Association Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Greetings and most sincere wishes for a very successful convention.

JACK COMEAUX,
Acting Secretary, Local No. 22.

HUGH E. MULLIGAN,
Chairman, Arrangement Committee,
Seventeenth Convention, International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

It is with regret that I am unable to accept your invitation to attend the Seventeenth Convention as the guest of Local No. 17. Only the doctor's definite instructions to the contrary keep me away. With best wishes for a successful convention I am, as ever, your old friend,
"POP" CURRY.

CHAIRMAN OF MEETING OF
ASBESTOS WORKERS UNION,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Please announce at meeting a cordial invitation to members and friends to visit Chicago Board of Trade, seeing world's largest grain market and wheat pit operation. From the Board of Trade observatory tower more of Chicago may be seen in less time and more comfort than is possible in any other manner. Your membership will appreciate knowing this.
SHERIDAN GALLAGHER.

Chairman Mullaney then announced that all resolutions must be presented prior to adjournment of the Tuesday morning session.

Vice President Mulligan then took the Chair and introduced a committee representing the Chicago Insulation Contractors' Association. Their President, Hugh E. Quick, welcomed the Convention delegates to the city and outlined the program for the balance of the day which the Association had arranged as host to the delegates.

Adjournment at 12 noon.

Respectfully submitted,
C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

MONDAY AFTERNOON SEPTEMBER 15

Monday afternoon and evening were spent by the delegates and their wives as guests of the Insulation Contractors' Association of Chicago.

TUESDAY MORNING SEPTEMBER 16

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

All delegates recorded in attendance.

Chairman Mullaney introduced Ray C. Kirkpatrick, Director of Labor Relations, Federal Works Agency, Washington, D. C., who addressed the convention.

George T. Moore, of the U. S. Savings Bonds Division of the Treasury Department of Illinois, was introduced by President Mullaney and addressed the convention, explaining the various types of U. S. savings bonds and methods of purchase.

Chairman Hunter, of the Committee on Credentials, then reported as follows:

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

Your Credential Committee, having examined the financial accounts of the various affiliated Local Unions, begs leave to report as follows:

We find the following Locals paid to date and entitled to representation by the following delegates:

Local No. 1, St. Louis, Mo., entitled to three; sent three, Gus Schmitter, James Brabson and James Durham.

Local No. 2, Pittsburgh, Pa., entitled to two; sent two, Fred E. Rust and W. P. Omslaer.

Local No. 3, Cleveland, Ohio, entitled to three; sent three, James J. Dalton, Edward Doyle and Thomas O'Neil.

Local No. 4, Buffalo, N. Y., entitled to two; sent one, Arthur Forton.

Local No. 5, Los Angeles, Calif., entitled to four; sent three, Henry H. Thompson, Edwin M. Ratliff and William J. Tangney, Jr.

Local No. 6, Boston, Mass., entitled to three; sent three, John W. Hoff, E. A. Johnson and Richard Lindstrom.

Local No. 7, Seattle, Wash., entitled to two; sent one, Art Harigel.

Local No. 8, Cincinnati, Ohio, entitled

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to two; sent two, John Meyers and Harry Weisel.

Local No. 9, Norfolk, Va., Navy Yard, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 10, Little Rock, Ark., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 11, Baltimore, Md., entitled to three; sent three, Edward J. McGann, Oliver Ryan and Sidney A. Mohsberg, Jr.

Local No. 12, New York City, entitled to six; sent six, Joseph A. Mullaney, Joseph Flynn, George Rider, Samuel Pinyuh, Patrick O'Connor and Joseph Dean.

Local No. 13, Jacksonville, Fla., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 14, Philadelphia, Pa., entitled to four; sent four, Joseph W. Hunter, Edward Boyle, William Scout and Charles Trout.

Local No. 15, Wichita, Kans., entitled to two; sent one, Howard A. Cook.

Local No. 16, San Francisco and Sacramento, Calif., entitled to three; sent one, E. A. Dwyer.

Local No. 17, Chicago, Ill., entitled to five; sent five, Hugh E. Mulligan, Henry Prescott, A. M. Burns, Ed. Nolan and Arthur G. Anderson.

Local No. 18, Indianapolis, Ind., entitled to two; sent two, William Feier and Robert J. Scott.

Local No. 19, Milwaukee, Manitowoc, Madison, Appleton and Wausau, Wis., entitled to three; sent two, Henry C. Hug and John Kasun.

Local No. 20, Terminal Island, Calif., Navy Yard, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 21, Dallas, Fort Worth, Tex., and Shreveport, La., entitled to three; sent three, N. L. Stilwell, E. P. Holley and W. A. Jackson.

Local No. 22, Houston, Beaumont, Port Arthur, Galveston, Tex., entitled to three; sent three, L. M. Robertson, T. L. Smith and A. R. Clements.

Local No. 23, Boise, Idaho, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 24, Washington, D. C., entitled to two; sent two, C. W. Sickles and N. L. Hoyle.

Local No. 25, Detroit, Mich., entitled to three; sent three, Edward C. Montie, Malcolm F. Detlefs and Harry Hobson.

Local No. 26, Rochester, N. Y., entitled to two; sent one, Gus Cook.

Local No. 27, Kansas City, Mo., entitled to two; sent two, J. H. Thompson and William Barrett.

Local No. 28, Denver, Colo., entitled to two; sent one, Jack Tuttle.

Local No. 29, San Francisco, Calif., Naval Shipyard, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 30, Syracuse, N. Y., entitled to two; sent one, Paul J. McCormick.

Local No. 31, Providence, R. I., entitled to two; sent one, Ernest S. Carlson.

Local No. 32, Essex and Hudson Co., N. J., entitled to three; sent three, James A. Roche, Terence McConnell and Louis H. Reiss.

Local No. 33, Connecticut, entitled to two; sent two, Charles Soelch and Venancio Gaspic.

Local No. 34, Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn., entitled to two; sent two, Lee Anthony and Clarence Skoglund.

Local No. 35, Youngstown, Ohio, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 36, Portland, Oreg., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 37, Evansville, Ind., entitled to two; sent one, Robt. W. Procaskey.

Local No. 38, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton, Pa., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 39, Omaha, Nebr., entitled to two; sent two, William J. Ryan and Robert W. Treiber.

Local No. 40, Albany, N. Y., entitled to two; sent one, John C. Fallon.

Local No. 41, Fort Wayne, Ind., entitled to two; sent two, F. J. Fleck and Marvin Bennett.

Local No. 42, Wilmington, Del., entitled to two; sent two, Arvid O. Johnson and Edwin W. Carter.

Local No. 43, Springfield, Mass., entitled to two; sent two, James J. Dunn and Patrick J. O'Connor.

Local No. 44, Columbus, Ohio, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 45, Toledo, Ohio, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 46, Knoxville, Tenn., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 47, Grand Rapids, Lansing, Jackson, Kalamazoo and Saginaw, Mich., entitled to two; sent two, H. R. Ritzema and Virgil P. Fisher.

Local No. 48, Atlanta, Ga., entitled to two; sent two, H. M. Hoffman and F. E. Gorman.

Local No. 49, Duluth, Minn., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 50, Tacoma, Wash., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 51, Louisville, Ky., entitled to two; sent two, A. F. Maddux and Roy Stultz.

Local No. 52, Oak Ridge, Tenn. (Clinton Engineer Works Maintenance Only), entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 53, New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La., and Jackson, Miss., entitled to two; sent two, A. L. Hullinghorst and J. J. Trainor.

Local No. 54, Lawrenceburg, Ind. (Distillery Plant Workers Only), entitled to two; sent two, Harvey Cook and Cletus Engler.

Local No. 56, Wood River, Ill. (Oil Refinery Only), entitled to two; sent one, Frank Weese.

Local No. 57, Sioux City, Iowa, entitled to two; sent one, Pete B. Morgan.

Local No. 58, Great Falls, Mont., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 59, Port Arthur and Fort William, Ontario, Canada, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 60, Miami, Fla., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 61, Charlotte, N. C., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 62, Puget Sound Naval Shipyard, Bremerton, Wash., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 63, Springfield, Mo., entitled to two; sent two, W. M. Brandon and L. E. Thomas.

Local No. 64, Tulsa, Okla., entitled to two; sent one, George Majors.

Local No. 65, York, Pa., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 66, Amarillo and Borger, Tex., entitled to two; sent one, T. C. Donnell.

Local No. 67, Tampa, Fla., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 68, Charleston, S. C., Navy Yard, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 69, Salt Lake City, Utah, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 70, Mare Island Naval Shipyard, Vallejo, Calif., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 72, Greensboro, N. C., entitled to two; sent two, E. C. Walters and B. H. Summers.

Local No. 73, Phoenix, Ariz., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 74, Des Moines, Iowa, entitled to two; sent one, R. E. Peterson.

Local No. 75, South Bend, Ind., entitled to two; sent one, E. J. Filley.



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Local No. 76, Albuquerque, N. Mex., entitled to two; sent one, Ben H. Green.

Local No. 77, Charleston, S. C. (except Navy Yard), entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 78, Birmingham, Ala., entitled to two; sent two, William Howell and James O. Goff.

Local No. 79, Dayton, Ohio, entitled to two; sent one, Lloyd E. Yount.

Local No. 80, Charleston and Huntington, W. Va., entitled to two; sent two, Vernon Adkins and W. M. Dement.

Local No. 81, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, entitled to two; sent one, Verne D. Striker.

Local No. 82, Spokane, Wash., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 83, Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News, Va. (except Navy Yard), entitled to two; sent two, R. D. Flythe and W. E. Hendricks.

Local No. 84, Akron, Ohio, entitled to two; sent two, Paul D. Bennett and H. R. Chaddock.

Local No. 85, Atlantic City, N. J., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 86, Nashville, Tenn., entitled to two; sent one, R. G. Oglesby.

Local No. 87, San Antonio, Austin and Corpus Christi, Tex., entitled to two; sent two, Sim E. Tyler and G. M. Hatfield.

Local No. 88, Richmond, Va., entitled to two; sent two, Thomas A. Brooks and Emmett E. Reynolds.

Local No. 89, Trenton, N. J., entitled to two; sent one, Stephen J. Kopp.

Local No. 90, Memphis, Tenn., entitled to two; sent two, Charles L. Moore and Frank S. Finley.

Local No. 91, White Plains, N. Y., entitled to two; sent one, Frank Brown.

Local No. 92, Columbia, S. C., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 93, Philadelphia, Pa., Navy Yard, entitled to two; sent two, Joseph A. Garraty and Francis Bell.

Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, Okla., entitled to two; sent one, J. W. Flinsbaugh.

Local No. 95, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, entitled to two; sent two, M. H. Nicols and John Cullen.

Local No. 96, Savannah, Ga., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 97, Anchorage, Alaska, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 98, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 99, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 100, Honolulu, Hawaii, entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 101, Billings, Mont., entitled to two; sent none.

Local No. 102, Freeport, Tex. (Dow Chemical Co. Maintenance Only), entitled to two; sent none.

HOME INSULATORS

Local No. 19-B, Milwaukee, Wis., entitled to one; sent one, Albert Hammond.

Local No. 25-B, Detroit, Mich., entitled to one; sent one, John R. Jones.

Local No. 27-B, Kansas City, Mo., entitled to one; sent one, Robert H. Rausch.

Local No. 32-B, Essex and Hudson Co., N. J., entitled to one; sent one, Frank Williams.

Making a total of 125 accredited delegates attending this Seventeenth Convention.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH W. HUNTER, *Chairman.*

JOSEPH FLYNN.	JOHN R. JONES.
ARTHUR ANDERSON.	LLOYD E. YOUNT.
E. A. JOHNSON.	CHARLES L. MOORE.
WM. BARRETT.	JOSEPH A. GARRATY.
ARVID O. JOHNSON.	T. L. SMITH.
HARVEY COOK.	HOWARD A. COOK.

MALCOLM F. DETLEFS.

The report of the Committee on Credentials was received and, upon motion, the delegates seated.

Thereupon, President Mullaney declared the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers officially open for the consideration of all business properly coming before it.

The following telegrams were received, read, and the Secretary instructed to make appropriate reply:

C. W. SICKLES, Secretary-Treasurer,
International Association of Heat and
Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

I extend through you to officers and delegates in attendance at convention International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers fraternal greetings and best wishes for successful convention. The fight which Labor made to prevent the enactment of the notorious Taft-Hartley Law must now be intensified until we secure its repeal and defeat of members of Congress who voted for it. I sincerely hope your convention will pledge itself to carry out this purpose and policy. Please rely upon continued support and cooperation of American Federation of Labor in all your work and in administration of affairs of your International Union.

WILLIAM GREEN, *President,*
American Federation of Labor.



ASBESTOS WORKERS LOCAL NO. 95, TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA
LABOR DAY PARADE, SEPTEMBER, 1947, 2nd PRIZE

J. A. MULLANEY, President, and
C. W. SICKLES, Secretary-Treasurer,
International Association of Heat and
Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Convention Headquarters,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

On behalf of the officers of the Union Label Trades Department, I want to express appreciation for the generous cooperation of the officers and members of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers in connection with the educational program of the Union Label Trades Department. The generous amount of space given our editorials and cartoons in your official publication has contributed in no small way to the popularity of all union labels, shop cards, and service buttons. The best way to defeat the purpose of the Taft-Hartley Law is for all trade unionists to demand union-label merchandise and to patronize union services. The purchase of any nonunion article or the patronizing of a service establishment where nonunion workers are employed is an indirect contribution to the National Association of Manufacturers, which sponsored the Taft-Hartley Law. Women's Auxiliaries can be extremely helpful both economically and politically. I urge the formation of Women's Auxiliaries wherever possible. This Union Label Trades Department will conduct the third union industries show in Milwaukee in May, 1948. Each of the two previous shows have proven a sensational success. We are very anxious to have your International Union participate in the Milwaukee show. Best wishes for a successful convention. Regards.

I. M. ORNBURN, *Secy.-Treas.,*
Union Label Trades Department.

C. W. SICKLES, Secretary,
International Association of Heat and
Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

The Asbestos Contractors Association of Cleveland, Ohio, sends greetings to officers and members of your splendid organization on the occasion of your Seventeenth Convention.

ASBESTOS CONTRACTORS ASSN.
GEORGE B. BODWELL, *President.*

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C. W. SICKLES, Secretary,
International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Greetings and felicitations to your General Executive Board, officers and members on this occasion of your Seventeenth Quinquennial Convention.

ALBERT P. DALTON,
Executive Manager,
Cleveland Building Trades Employers Association.

JOSEPH A. MULLANEY, General President,
Convention of International Association Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Beautiful, sunny, warm and pleasant Southern California sincerely extends best wishes for a very successful convention. My personal regards to the officers and delegates of our International Union.

J. J. CHRISTIAN.
Member of Local No. 5 on withdrawal.

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF HEAT AND FROST INSULATORS AND ASBESTOS WORKERS,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Best wishes for successful and constructive convention.

A. J. ESSARY.
Member of Local No. 21 on withdrawal.

President Mullaney then appointed the following committees:

RULES

Patrick O'Connor, Local No. 12; J. W. Flinsbaugh, Local No. 94; John Kasun, Local No. 19; Ernest S. Carlson, Local No. 31; Charles Trout, Local No. 14; Harry Hobson, Local No. 25; F. E. Rust, Local No. 2; Edwin M. Ratliff, Local No. 5; Albert Hammond, Local No. 19-B; E. P. Holley, Local No. 21; Clarence Skoglund, Local No. 34; Marvin Bennett, Local No. 41; L. E. Thomas, Local No. 43; Francis Bell, Local No. 93; James O. Goff, Local No. 78.

FINANCE AND AUDIT

A. M. Burns, Local No. 17; George Rider, Local No. 12; Edward Doyle, Local No. 3; Louis H. Reiss, Local No. 32; J. J. Trainor, Local No. 53; Frank S. Finley, Local No. 90; Roy Stultz, Local No. 51; Edward J. McGann, Local No. 11; T. C. Donnell, Local No. 66; H. M. Hoffman, Local No. 48; E. C. Walters, Local No. 72.

RESOLUTIONS

A. L. Hullinghorst, Local No. 53; John C. Fallon, Local No. 40; J. H. Thompson, Local No. 27; Robert J. Scott, Local No. 18; R. G. Oglesby, Local No. 86; James Brabson, Local No. 1; Sidney A. Mohsberg, Jr., Local No. 11; Patrick O'Connor, Local No. 43; George Majors, Local No. 64; Arthur Forton, Local No. 4; Art Harigel, Local No. 7; W. M. Dement, Local No. 80; Philip J. Peters, Local No. 81; R. D. Flythe, Local No. 83; W. A. Jackson, Local No. 21.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

John W. Hoff, Local No. 6; Henry Prescott, Local No. 17; N. L. Stilwell, Local No. 21; William Scout, Local No. 14; Samuel Pinyuh, Local No. 12; Oliver Ryan, Local No. 11; John Cullen, Local No. 95; James J. Dunn, Local No. 43; Edwin W. Carter, Local No. 42; A. F. Maddux, Local No. 51; Benjamin H. Green, Local No. 76; Robert W. Treiber, Local No. 39; F. E. Gorman, Local No. 48; Pete B. Morgan, Local No. 57.

SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT

James J. Dalton, Local No. 3; Gus Schmitter, Local No. 1; Frank Brown, Local No. 91; Joseph Dean, Local No. 12; Ed. Nolan, Local No. 17; Gus Cook, Local No. 26; T. A. Brooks, Local No. 88; Charles Soelch, Local No. 33; H. R. Chaddock, Local No. 84; Stephen J. Kopp, Local No. 89; W. P. Omslaer, Local No. 2; Lee Anthony, Local No. 34; Virgil P. Fisher, Local No. 47; Harry Weisel, Local No. 8.

GENERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD

William Howell, Local No. 78; A. R. Clements, Local No. 22; Terence McConnell, Local No. 32; Robert W. Procaskey, Local No. 37; H. R. Ritzema, Local No. 47; Verne D. Striker, Local No. 81; William Ryan, Local No. 39; E. A. Dwyer, Local No. 16; Richard Lindstrom, Local No. 6; G. M. Hatfield, Local No. 87; Robert H. Rausch, Local No. 27-B; Paul J. McCormick, Local No. 30; Frank Weese, Local No. 56; Cletus Engler, Local No. 54.

GRIEVANCE AND APPEAL

Henry H. Thompson, Local No. 5; Vernon Adkins, Local No. 80; Venancio Gaspic, Local No. 33; L. M. Robertson, Local No. 22; William Feier, Local No. 18; T. J. O'Neil, Local No. 3; F. J. Fleck, Local No. 41; B. H. Summers, Local No. 72; R. E. Peterson, Local No. 74; Frank Williams, Local No. 32-B; M. H. Nicols, Local No. 95; W. E. Hendricks, Local No. 83.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

Hugh E. Mulligan, Local No. 17; James Durham, Local No. 1; Henry C. Hug, Local No. 19; Jack Tuttle, Local No. 28; N. L. Hoyle, Local No. 24; E. J. Filley, Local No. 75; Edward Boyle, Local No. 14; Paul D. Bennett, Local No. 84; James A. Roche, Local No. 32; Sim E. Tyler, Local No. 87; John Meyers, Local No. 8; William J. Tangney, Jr., Local No. 5; E. C. Montie, Local No. 25; W. M. Brandon, Local No. 63; E. E. Reynolds, Local No. 88.

PRESS COMMITTEE

Joseph A. Mullaney, Local No. 12; C. W. Sickles, Local No. 24.

President Mullaney then appointed Secretary Sickles as Convention Reading Clerk, after which he vacated the chair in favor of Vice President Mulligan and submitted his report.

GENERAL PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the Officers and Delegates of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers in Seventeenth Convention Assembled, Palmer House, Chicago, September 15, 1947.

GREETINGS:

Five years have elapsed since we last met in convention, during which time the outstanding event was the successful termination of World War II. In this conflict our troops and those of our allies were victorious. We all may well feel proud of the part the Asbestos Worker played in this struggle, of which we are reminded by the stars that meet our eye on the Honor Service Roll on meeting night. Our membership purchased war bonds in proportionate amount greater than that of organizations of our numerical strength. Our building and marine tasks were executed with standard skill, speed and efficiency that won the praise of all governmental agencies with whom we came in contact.

Your President can add nothing to what he knows you feel and think about the recently enacted Taft-Hartley Law. The American Federation of Labor has determined that this law must not be allowed to stand upon the statute books of our nation. It will never rest until it is wholly erased and repealed. It will never be satisfied with any partial modifications of its drastic provisions. Your President recommends that our membership fully cooperate with the parent body in this direction and that they be active



ANNUAL PICNIC, LOCAL NO. 90, MEMPHIS, TENN.
(See article under Correspondence)

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at the polls in 1948 working and voting against those legislators who made possible the enactment of the Taft-Hartley Law over the veto of President Truman. Our General Office has and will continue to furnish our affiliated Locals with any and all legal information issued by the American Federation of Labor in connection with the Taft-Hartley Law.

The activities of your President have been submitted quarterly in our official Journal. They have also been submitted to the annual meetings of the General Executive Board. Your President now submits these reports as a whole for the consideration of this Seventeenth Convention.

Inasmuch as the great majority of our Locals are at present operating under closed-shop agreements, that expire well into the coming year, your President recommends that this convention authorize and empower the General Executive Board to draft at its annual meeting in March, 1948, a new form of Joint Trade Agreement, as also a new Constitution and By-Laws to govern our membership in accordance with the legal requirements of the Taft-Hartley Law, as it may be interpreted at that time.

In our obituary column there has, since our last convention, been listed the names of Peter Jessen, our first International Secretary-Treasurer, as also Charles C. Rice and George R. Hennig, former International Vice Presidents, all of whom served us both faithfully and well. This convention will observe their passing during its sessions.

In conclusion, your President acknowledges with thanks and appreciation the loyalty and support given him by the General Executive Board and the Secretary-Treasurer, as also to our organizers, all of whom have greatly contributed to the progress of our International Association.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph A. Mullaney

President.

Chairman Mulligan referred the report to the Committee on President's Report.

Vice President Mulligan then vacated the chair in favor of President Mullaney, who called for the report of the Secretary-Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-TREASURER

To the Officers and Delegates to the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

I herewith submit the following report to the delegates to this convention:

FINANCIAL STATEMENT—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

September 1, 1942, to and including June 30, 1947

	Receipts	*Expenditures*
Balance on hand September 1, 1942	$24,444.82	
Sept. 1, 1942, to and incl. Feb. 28, 1943	37,829.77	$43,198.39
March 1, 1943, to and incl. Feb. 29, 1944	71,886.60	71,485.15
March 1, 1944, to and incl. Feb. 28, 1945	67,329.17	61,372.51
March 1, 1945, to and incl. Feb. 28, 1946	62,496.46	67,075.18
March 1, 1946, to and incl. Feb. 28, 1947	76,157.91	68,768.58
March 1, 1947, to and incl. June 30, 1947	27,089.52	25,147.59
	$366,734.25	$337,047.40
	337,047.40	
Total on deposit June 30, 1947	$29,686.85	

Your Secretary-Treasurer has, in the name of the International Association, invested $33,300 in Government War Bonds, which have a maturity value of $45,000. This is an increase of $22,200 over the amount of $11,100 reported to the 1942 convention.

This above report and balance shown is as of the close of June preceding convention, as per usual custom, but due to the unusually heavy financial submissions received at the General Office during the last two months, most of which was the result of Local Unions putting their financial affairs in order prior to this convention, I herewith submit supplemental report of increase in the balance on hand of our International Association of the difference between the receipts and expenditures during these two months of $2,748.87, making the total financial assets as of August 31, 1947, in the amount of $65,735.72.

In connection with this report, I wish to call to the attention of the delegates to this convention that the International Association has since last convention issued membership to approximately five thousand (5,000) applicants, of which one-third were Home Insulators.

This increased membership, with its consequent initiation fees, reinstatements, etc., is responsible for the assets of our International Association having increased since the date of our last, 1942, convention approximately one hundred (100) per cent as previously reported.

It might be well to point out at this time that our International Association does not charge non-members working on permit for working privileges nor does it make any effort to issue membership to other than bona fide experienced Asbestos Workers, or your Secretary-Treasurer would at this time be reporting over triple our present membership and financial assets.

MEMBERS IN THE ARMED FORCES

Your Secretary-Treasurer wishes to call to the attention of this convention that we had, as reported to the General Office, over fifteen hundred (1,500) of our good-standing members serving the nation through the various branches of the armed forces. These members were issued "military" Honorable Withdrawal Cards and were exempt from any and all financial obligations while in the armed service of our country but retained all benefits, including mortuary. Of the fifteen hundred (1,500) odd members in the service, our records show a total fatality of thirty-four (34).

INTERNATIONAL EXEMPTION

The records at the General Office at the present time show a total of ninety-one (91) members now holding International Exemption membership, which is a reduction of eleven (11) from the number of our membership holding such cards at time of our last convention.

INTERNATIONAL SUPERVISION

My report to the previous convention listed eight (8) Locals then operating under International Supervision and am pleased to report at this time that this number has been reduced to a total of only two Locals now operating under Supervision.

GOVERNMENT WAR BONDS

The report of your Secretary-Treasurer to the last, 1942, convention invited those Local Unions not maintaining a safe deposit box to forward their war bonds to the General Office for safekeeping by deposit in the vault of the International Association.

Many of our Local Unions took advantage of this opportunity and forwarded their bonds as purchased to the General Office for safekeeping, and it is interesting to note that since the close of hostilities only one Local has withdrawn and cashed its bonds as previously deposited with the General Office and two other Locals have withdrawn a small portion of same for the purpose of defraying expenses, etc., in connection with convention delegates.

APPEALS TO THE CONVENTION

Your Secretary-Treasurer is pleased to advise that there are no appeals to this convention against trial action and penalty imposed by your General Executive Board since the last convention, which fact speaks for itself.

GENERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Minutes of the Proceedings of the General Executive Board having been submitted in full to all Local Unions through the medium of our official journal, THE ASBESTOS WORKER, I herewith now submit those copies as a whole for the perusal of the Committee on General Executive Board Report.

A new lighting system for night baseball games in Boston provides at any given point in the playing area about eight times more light than received from the average reading lamp in the home.

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LOCAL WAGE RATES

(These rates published as reported to General Office and subject to change. Contact Local Union for verification)

Local	City	Per hour
No. 1	St. Louis, Mo.	$2.12½
No. 2	Pittsburgh, Pa.	2.00
	Effective January 1, 1948	2.25
No. 3	Cleveland, Ohio	2.00
No. 4	Buffalo, N. Y.	2.15
No. 5	Los Angeles, Calif.	2.00
No. 6	Boston, Mass.	2.15
No. 7	Seattle, Wash.	2.03½
No. 8	Cincinnati, Ohio	2.02½
No. 9	Norfolk, Va., Navy Yard	1.44
No. 10	Little Rock, Ark.	1.75
No. 11	Baltimore, Md.	2.00
No. 12	New York City	2.75
No. 13	Jacksonville, Fla.	1.88
No. 14	Philadelphia, Pa.	2.25
No. 15	Wichita, Kans.	1.75
No. 16	San Francisco and Sacramento, Calif.	1.90
No. 17	Chicago, Ill.	2.15
No. 18	Indianapolis, Ind.	2.00
No. 19	Milwaukee and Madison, Wis.	1.82½
	Manitowoc, Appleton and Wausau, Wis.	1.75
No. 20	Terminal Island, Calif., Navy Yard	1.44
No. 21	Dallas, Ft. Worth, Tex., & Shreveport, La.	1.87½
	Effective January 1, 1948	2.00
No. 22	Houston, Beaumont, Port Arthur, Galveston, Tex.	2.00
No. 23	Boise, Idaho	1.75
No. 24	Washington, D. C	2.12½
No. 25	Detroit, Mich.	2.15
No. 26	Rochester, N. Y.	2.10
No. 27	Kansas City, Mo.	2.00
No. 28	Denver, Colo.	1.92½
No. 29	San Francisco, Calif., Naval Shipyard	1.44
No. 30	Syracuse, N. Y.	2.10
No. 31	Providence, R. I.	2.05
No. 32	Essex and Hudson Co., N. J.	2.25
No. 33	Connecticut	2.00
No. 34	Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn.	2.00
No. 35	Youngstown, Ohio	2.00
No. 36	Portland, Oreg.	2.12½
No. 37	Evansville, Ind.	1.85
No. 38	Wilkes-Barre and Scranton, Pa.	1.75
No. 39	Omaha, Nebr.	1.82½
No. 40	Albany, N. Y.	2.00
No. 41	Fort Wayne, Ind.	1.80
No. 42	Wilmington, Del.	2.25
No. 43	Springfield, Mass.	1.92½
No. 44	Columbus, Ohio	2.00
No. 45	Toledo, Ohio	2.00
No. 46	Knoxville, Tenn.	1.87½
No. 47	Grand Rapids, Lansing, Kalamazoo, Saginaw, Mich.	2.00
No. 48	Atlanta, Ga.	1.75
	Effective January 1, 1948	1.87½
No. 49	Duluth, Minn.	1.70
No. 50	Tacoma, Wash.	2.03½
No. 51	Louisville, Ky.	2.00
No. 52	Oak Ridge, Tenn. (Clinton Engineer Works Maintenance Only)	1.54
No. 53	New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La., and Jackson, Miss.	1.87½
	Effective January 1, 1948	2.00
No. 54	Lawrenceburg, Ind. (Distillery Plant Workers Only)	1.60
No. 55	Mobile, Ala., and Pascagoula, Miss	1.75
	Effective January 1, 1948	1.87½
No. 56	Wood River, Ill. (Oil Refinery Only)	1.80
No. 57	Sioux City, Iowa	1.75
No. 58	Great Falls, Mont.	1.75
No. 60	Miami, Fla.	2.00
No. 61	Charlotte, N. C.	1.75
No. 62	Puget Sound Naval Shipyard, Bremerton, Wash.	1.44
No. 63	Springfield, Mo.	1.62½
No. 64	Tulsa, Okla.	1.87½
	Effective January 1, 1948	2.00
No. 65	York, Pa.	1.72½
No. 66	Amarillo and Borger, Tex.	1.87½
No. 67	Tampa, Fla.	1.75
No. 68	Charleston, S. C., Navy Yard	1.44
No. 69	Salt Lake City, Utah	1.60
No. 70	Mare Island Naval Shipyard, Vallejo, Calif.	1.44
No. 71	Allentown, Pa.	2.00
No. 72	Greensboro, N. C.	1.75
No. 73	Phoenix, Ariz.	2.00
No. 74	Des Moines, Iowa.	1.75
No. 75	South Bend, Ind.	1.90
No. 76	Albuquerque, N. Mex.	1.75
	Effective January 1, 1948	1.87½
No. 77	Charleston, S. C. (Except Navy Yard)	1.75
	Effective January 1, 1948	2.00
No. 78	Birmingham, Ala.	1.75
	Effective January 1, 1948	1.90
No. 79	Dayton, Onio	2.00
No. 80	Charleston and Huntington, W. Va	1.93¾
No. 81	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	2.00
No. 82	Spokane, Wash.	1.87
No. 83	Norfolk, Portsmouth, Newport News, Va. (Except Navy Yard)	1.75
No. 84	Akron, Ohio	2.00
No. 85	Atlantic City, N. J.	2.25
No. 86	Nashville, Tenn.	1.75
No. 87	San Antonio, Austin and Corpus Christi, Tex.	1.87½
	Effective January 1, 1948	2.00
No. 88	Richmond, Va.	1.75
No. 89	Trenton, N. J.	2.25
No. 90	Memphis, Tenn.	1.75
No. 91	White Plains, N. Y.	2.35
No. 92	Columbia, S. C.	1.75
No. 93	Philadelphia, Pa., Navy Yard	1.44
No. 94	Oklahoma City, Okla.	1.87½
No. 96	Savannah, Ga.	1.75
No. 97	Anchorage, Alaska	2.66
No. 100	Honolulu, Hawaii	1.70

Average building construction wage rate in the United States $2.17½ per hour, as against the average of $1.60 per hour reported to our last, 1942, convention.

HOME INSULATOR LOCAL WAGE RATES

Local	City	Per hour
No. 1-B	St. Louis, Mo.	$1.25
No. 2-B	Pittsburgh, Pa.	1.20
No. 5-B	Los Angeles, Calif.	1.55
No. 6-B	Boston, Mass.	1.20
	Effective October 1, 1947	1.40
No. 14-B	Philadelphia, Pa.	1.45
No. 16-B	San Francisco and Sacramento, Calif.	1.40
No. 19-B	Milwaukee, Wis.	1.40
No. 21-B	Dallas, Fort Worth, Tex., and Shreveport, La.	1.50
No. 25-B	Detroit, Mich.	1.75
No. 27-B	Kansas City, Mo.	1.52½
No. 32-B	Essex and Hudson Co., N. J.	1.50
No. 36-B	Portland, Oreg.	1.75
No. 53-B	New Orleans, La.	1.45
No. 501-B	Billings, Mont.	1.40

The above rates are for mechanic classification. Foremen usually receive from 10c to 20c per hour premium.

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Total number of chartered Local Unions:

Regular Local Unions	102
Home Insulator Local Unions	15
Insulation Production Workers Local Union	1
Sum total	118

An increase of sixteen (16) affiliated Local Unions since our last convention.

RECOMMENDATIONS

In consequence of the experience of your Secretary-Treasurer since last convention, I submit the following recommendations for consideration and action by this our Seventeenth Convention:

1. In view of the availability of leather (unobtainable during the war period), the new membership dues book, which includes the Constitution and By-Laws in full, will in the future be made up as in years past with the extra leather casing with the inside-cover pocket in appropriate size for holding official receipts.

These new books cannot be purchased, including the leather binding, for anywhere near the fifty-cent charge now being made to members for dues books with the consequence that your Secretary-Treasurer recommends that there be a charge of $1 to the membership for these new leather-bound dues books at such time as they are supplied to the membership.

2. The cost of publishing our official JOURNAL quarterly has for a long time run in excess of the revenue received through the fifty-cent annual membership assessment intended to support same, in consequence of which your Secretary-Treasurer recommends that the annual Journal assessment be changed to a total of $1 rather than the current fifty-cent annual assessment.

3. Your Secretary-Treasurer further recommends that in the instance of all Local Union supplies, such as International Official Receipt Books, Letterheads, Envelopes, Traveling Cards, Transfer Cards, Withdrawal Cards, Withdrawal Card Renewal Official Receipts, International Working Permits, Applications for Membership, Local Bookkeeping System (Journal, Ledger and Expense Book), etc., be supplied Local Unions in such quantity as required with no charge to the Locals for these Local Union supplies.

The General Office will continue to stock a reasonable supply of Official Membership Lapel Buttons for which the current fifty-cent charge will maintain.

Your Secretary-Treasurer has, since date of last convention submitted quarterly reports as published in the official Journal and I herewith submit these quarterly reports in conjunction with this report for the consideration of this convention.

In conclusion, I wish to take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation for the loyal and wholehearted support and cooperation of President Mullaney, the General Executive Board, Organizers, and all affiliated Local Union officers and their membership.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

The Chair referred the report to the appropriate committees dealing with the various subject matters contained therein.

Chairman O'Connor, of the Committee on Rules, then submitted the following report:

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

Your Committee on Rules begs leave to submit the following Rules of Order:

1. At the time specified in the Constitution the President shall call the convention to order. The hours for convening each day shall be from 10 a. m. until 12.30 p. m. and 2 p. m. until 5 p. m. Reading of minutes of the previous day's session shall be dispensed with unless otherwise ordered.

2. No question shall be open for discussion unless moved and seconded, nor until after it has been stated by the President.

3. When a question is before the house no other motion shall be in order, except: (1) To adjourn. (2) To lay on the table. (3) The previous question. (4) To postpone. (5) To commit. (6) To amend. Which shall have precedence in the order in which they appear.

4. When a question has been decided upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration at the same session or next session but at no later time.

5. Any member can appeal from the decision of the Chair, but no debate shall be allowed on any appeal, provided, however, that the member appealing and the presiding officer shall be allowed to explain their position.

6. Upon the call of five members the previous question shall be put in the following manner: "Shall the main question now be put?"

7. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject, and not more than five minutes, each time, unless by permission of the convention.

8. Order of Business:

1. Calling convention to order.
2. Receiving credentials and seating of delegates.
3. Appointing of committees.
4. President's report.
5. Secretary-Treasurer's report.
6. Executive Board report.
7. Report of Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.
8. Report of Special Committee.
9. Report of Standing Committee.
10. New business.
11. Good and welfare of the organization.
12. Election of officers.
13. Adjournment.

The convention procedure shall be in accordance with Roberts Rules of Order.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK O'CONNOR, *Chairman.*

JOHN KASUN, J. W. FLINSBAUGH,
HARRY HOBSON, EDWIN M. RATLIFF,
F. E. RUST, CLARENCE SKOGLUND,
E. P. HOLLEY, ERNEST S. CARLSON,
L. E. THOMAS, ALBERT HAMMOND,
JAMES O. GOFF, MARVIN BENNETT,
CHARLES TROUT, FRANCIS BELL.

The committee's report was received and, upon motion, adopted.

The time period for the introduction of resolutions as fixed by convention rule at the close of the second morning's session found the following nine resolutions presented:

RESOLUTION NO. 1

Submitted by Western States Conference of Asbestos Workers

Resolved, That in Article XI of the Master Insulators Agreement the word "circular" be deleted from this Article.

RESOLUTION NO. 2

Submitted by Western States Conference of Asbestos Workers

Resolved, That Article XVI of the Constitution be changed whereby all travelers would be required to deposit traveling cards with the Local financial secretary in whose area they are employed.

RESOLUTION NO. 3

Atlanta, Ga.,
September 9, 1947.

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

On behalf and in the interests of the affiliated Local Unions comprising the Southeast States Conference of Asbestos Workers, I, Henry Hoffman, Secretary of the Conference, request that this convention give due consideration to the election of a representative of the southeast to fill the vacancy of vice-president, brought about by the untimely death of former Vice-President George Hennig.

In connection with this petition I want particularly to call to the attention of the convention the fact that the entire southeast is without official representation on the General Executive Board, there being no officer located anywhere between the General Office in Washington and Vice-President Hullinghorst in New Orleans, which two above nearest locations are approximately 1,500 miles apart, with the most of the southeast territory directly between.

Trusting this convention will give due and favorable consideration to this petition and see fit to elect William Howell, President of the Southeast States Conference and Business Agent of Local No. 78, Birmingham, Ala., whom I propose to nominate for the office of Vice-President of our International Association. I am

Fraternally and respectfully,
H. M. HOFFMAN.

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GENERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTED AT CHICAGO (1947) CONVENTION



WILLIAM HOWELL

Local No. 78, Birmingham, Ala.

Brother Howell, the newly elected International Vice-President, entered our craft in 1928 as a member of Local No. 78, Birmingham, Ala. He was elected President of Local No. 78 in 1935; Business Agent in 1937; President of Southeast States Conference in 1937; appointed International Supervisor of Local No. 78 in 1940; appointed International Organizer October 1, 1942. Baptist. Democrat.

DINNER OF MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES CONFERENCE AT BISMARCK HOTEL DURING CONVENTION WEEK, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

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Officers and Delegates
OPENING SESSION 1947 CONVENTION
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

RESOLUTION NO. 4

To Seventeenth Convention International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers, Chicago, Ill.

WHEREAS the Building and Construction Trades Department of the American Federation of Labor in convention assembled in the City of Denver, Colo., in the month of September, 1937, unanimously adopted the report of the committee on "Executive Council Report"; and

WHEREAS the Executive Committee report to the convention included a recommendation on the question of the jurisdiction over the affiliation of a Rock Wool Workers Union and placed the jurisdiction under the control of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers Union; and

WHEREAS following the conclusion of the above convention our International Union proceeded to organize and issue charters to groups of workers engaged in the application of insulation and designated the various groups as "B-Locals" under the caption of "Home Insulators"; and

WHEREAS a clear-cut definition of the rights and classification of the work being performed by the Home Insulator B-Locals has not been clearly defined, thereby encouraging local unions of other building trades crafts to claim the work now being done by the members of our Locals in the building construction field: Therefore be it

Resolved, That this convention go on record in support of the Home Insulator B-Locals; and be it further

Resolved, That we request our International Officers to consider the advisability of bringing this matter to the attention of the Building Trades Department at the next convention and try to work out a definite line of jurisdiction consisting of insulation materials of a non-structural nature in walls, ceilings, floors and roofs of buildings in favor of our organization to the end that our members may proceed to and execute their work without interference from other building trades unions.

HOME INSULATORS UNION No. 32B.
FRANK WILLIAMS, *Secy.-Bus. Agt.*

RESOLUTION NO. 5

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers, Chicago, Ill.

GREETINGS:

Local No. 24, Washington, D. C., at regular meeting held Monday, September 8, after due consideration, did, by unanimous vote, instruct Convention Delegate Norman L. Hoyle to present to the convention the following resolution:

WHEREAS the salary of our International Secretary-Treasurer has been increased only once during the last ten years and such increase in such amount that the increased taxes through adoption of the withholding tax during that

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period has resulted in the Secretary-Treasurer actually receiving less salary today than he did in 1937: Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Seventeenth Convention of our International Association give due consideration to an appropriate increase in salary to our International Secretary-Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

NORMAN L. HOYLE,
Delegate, Local No. 24.

RESOLUTION NO. 6

Submitted by the Pacific Coast Conference of Heat and Frost Insulators

WHEREAS there have been many men joining newly chartered Locals; and

WHEREAS these men very shortly thereafter take traveling cards so that they may have the privilege of working with the older established Locals; and

WHEREAS many of these men are not qualified mechanics: Therefore be it

Resolved, That Section 1, Article 16 in our International By-Laws be amended to read 12 months instead of 6 months.

Respectfully submitted by

ART HARIGEL.

RESOLUTION NO. 7

Submitted by Local No. 39, Omaha, Nebr.

WHEREAS the members of our International Association are engaged in a type of contract employment on an hourly basis; and

WHEREAS this type of employment provides very meager possibilities for the individual members to accumulate, through the years of toil, any benefits of a plan that would provide for more security for the aged members of our ranks, and for those among our numbers who have given the better years of their lives while engaged in the labors of the Asbestos Workers trade: Therefore be it

Resolved, That a committee be chosen to explore all possibilities of such a pension plan on an International Association basis, and that said committee make recommendations for the furtherance of this resolution.

RESOLUTION NO. 8

Submitted by Delegate James J. Dalton, Local No. 3, Cleveland, Ohio

WHEREAS the Federal Works Administrator under the authority of Title V of the War Mobilization and Reconversion Act of 1944 made advances to the States and their agencies and political subdivisions to aid in financing the cost of architectural, engineering, and economic investigations and studies, surveys, designs, plans, working drawings, specifications, procedures, and other action preliminary to the construction of public works; and

WHEREAS a number of plans for useful public works had been prepared as a result of administering such advance planning program; and

WHEREAS the authority of the Federal Works Administrator to make such advances terminated on June 30, 1947, leaving unprovided for the completion of an efficient and economic method of

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creating a backlog of plans for useful public works to be undertaken when most needed; and

WHEREAS S. 1423 and H. R. 3490 were introduced in the 80th Congress, First Session, and were referred to the appropriate Committees on Public Works but were not reported out of said committees: Therefore be it

Resolved, By the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers as follows:

1. That the continuance of the advance planning program carried on under Title V of the War Mobilization and Reconversion Act of 1944 is in the public interest in that there would be created the establishment of a sufficient reserve of fully planned public works which could be constructed immediately upon the occurrence of an economic recession or the availability of necessary funds or materials;

2. That S. 1423 or H. R. 3490, which provides for extending the authority of the Federal Works Administrator to make advances for planning public works, be favorably considered during the forthcoming session of Congress and be enacted into law; and

3. That copies of this resolution be sent by the Secretary to the President of the United States, the leading members of the Senate and of the House of Representatives of the United States, the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Public Works, the Chairman of the House Committee on Public Works, and to the Federal Works Administrator.

RESOLUTION NO. 9

Submitted by Delegate James J. Dalton, Local No. 3, Cleveland, Ohio

WHEREAS S. 418, cited as the "Water Pollution Control Act" and relating to the water pollution control activities on the part of the Federal Government, was passed by the Senate on June 16, 1947, and was referred to the House Committee on Public Works; and

WHEREAS S. 418 was not reported out of the House Committee on Public Works and no further action was taken in connection with such bill by the 80th Congress during its first session; and

WHEREAS the general purposes of the proposed bill are sound and the accomplishment of such purposes would, upon passage of the bill, accrue to the benefit of the public health and welfare of the country as a whole: Therefore be it

Resolved, By the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers as follows:

1. That this Association favors the enactment into law of S. 418 or some other bill which would provide means for Federal aid in controlling water pollution;

2. That it is hereby urged that the Second Session, 80th Congress, give further consideration to S. 418 and enact it or a like bill into law; and

3. That copies of this resolution be sent by the Secretary to the President of the United States, the leading members of the Senate and of the House of Representatives of the United States, the Chairman of the House Committee on Public Works, the Federal Works Administrator, and the Federal Security Administrator.

These resolutions were referred to the committees dealing with their respective proposals.

The Chair again called attention to the fact that the noon recess was the dead line for presenting resolutions and that no resolution could be submitted after that hour except by the unanimous consent of the convention.

The delegates, in order to facilitate the business of the convention and allow opportunity for the committees to work on Tuesday afternoon, voted adjournment at 12:30 p. m. until Wednesday morning.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SEPTEMBER 17

The convention was called to order at 10 a. m. by President Mullaney. All delegates were recorded in attendance.

The following telegrams were received, read, and Secretary instructed to make appropriate reply:

C. W. SICKLES, Secretary-Treasurer,
International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Greetings and best wishes for a most successful convention.

JACK BURNS,
Business Representative,
Cleveland Building and Construction Trades Council.

C. W. SICKLES, Secretary-Treasurer,
International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers,
Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

We wish the Seventeenth Convention of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers success, progress and good fellowship for years to come. We had hoped our representatives could offer their congratulations in person earlier this week but due to the lack of hotel accommodations they will not be able to make their appearance until Friday.

A. H. BENNETT COMPANY,
Asbestos Insulation and Supply Co., G. A. MacArthur Co., Armstrong Cork Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Chairman Hoff of the Committee on President's Report submitted the following report:

COMMITTEE ON PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

The committee unanimously approves the report as submitted and wishes to emphasize the following:

Good, constructive leadership is required today more so than ever before, due to the recently enacted Taft-Hartley Law. Organized labor is on the defensive due to this unpopular and unconstitutional law and the committee again emphasizes and urges that we carry out our General President's recommendation that we elect our friends and defeat our enemies by being instrumental in voting out of office every member of Congress who helped enact this so-called "Full Employment Lawyers' Bill."

Our International Association, with its high standards of leadership, ranks second to none in the Building and Construction Trades Department due to the prestige and influence brought about over a period of years by our General President.

We trust the "Grand Old Man," as we know him, guides our ship for many more conventions to come. With him at the helm we fear neither reefs nor rocks as he knows the channel.

In short, we say, "Carry on, President Mullaney. You're improving every convention."

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. HOFF, *Chairman.*

HENRY PRESCOTT,	PETE B. MORGAN,
WM. SCOUT,	N. L. STILWELL,
OLIVER RYAN,	SAMUEL PINYUH,
JAMES J. DUNN,	JOHN CULLEN,
A. F. MADDUX,	EDWIN W. CARTER,
F. E. GORMAN,	BEN GREEN,

ROBERT W. TREIBER.

The committee's report was, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

Chairman Burns of the Committee on Finance and Audit submitted the following report:

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND AUDIT

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

We, your Finance Committee, after checking over the accounts of the General Secretary-Treasurer, find the following:

	Receipts	*Expenditures*
Balance on hand September 1, 1942	$24,444.82	.....
Sept. 1, 1942 to & inc. Feb. 28, 1943	37,829.77	$43,198.39
March 1, 1943 to & inc. Feb. 29, 1944	71,386.60	71,485.15
March 1, 1944 to & inc. Feb. 28, 1945	67,329.17	61,372.51
March 1, 1945 to & inc. Feb. 28, 1946	62,496.46	67,075.18
March 1, 1946 to & inc. Feb. 28, 1947	76,157.91	68,768.58
March 1, 1947 to & inc. June 30, 1947	27,089.52	25,147.59
	$366.734.25	$337,047.40
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Total on deposit June 30, 1947	$29,686.85	

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SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

Supplemental report covering the months of July and August, 1947 showed an increase in amount on deposit of $2,748.87, making total on deposit of our International Association as of August 31, 1947 in the amount of $32,435.72, which together with $33,300.00 invested in Government War Bonds, makes total assets of our International Association $65,735.72.

Respectfully submitted,

A. M. BURNS, *Chairman.*

GEORGE RIDER,	EDWARD J. DOYLE,
LOUIS H. REISS,	J. J. TRAINOR,
FRANK S. FINLEY,	ROY STULTZ,
EDWARD J. MCGANN,	T. C. DONNELL,
H. M. HOFFMAN,	E. C. WALTERS.

The committee's report was, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

Chairman Dalton, of the Committee on Secretary-Treasurer's Report, submitted the following report:

COMMITTEE ON SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

We, your committee, have noted the recommendations of our Secretary-Treasurer and beg to report that we recommend the adoption of Secretary-Treasurer's Report as a whole.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. DALTON, *Chairman.*

GUS SCHMITTER.	HARRY WEISEL.
JOSEPH DEAN.	FRANK BROWN.
ED. NOLAN.	THOMAS A. BROOKS.
GUS COOK.	CHARLES SOELCH.
STEPHEN KOPP.	H. R. CHADDOCK.
LEE ANTHONY.	W. P. OMSLAER,
	VIRGIL FISHER.

The committee's report was, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

Chairman Thompson, of the Committee on Grievance and Appeal, submitted the following report:

COMMITTEE ON GRIEVANCE AND APPEAL

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

Your Committee on Grievance and Appeal has met and is glad to report that there have been no grievances or appeals made to this committee at this Seventeenth Convention.

The fact that over a five-year period the activities of our International have been so conducted as to result in neither one grievance nor appeal speaks volumes for itself and your committee feels that we are indeed fortunate in having as the officers of our International Association those who by this record prove beyond doubt their qualifications and ability to guide the destiny of our International Association.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY H. THOMPSON, *Chairman.*

VERNON ADKINS.	W. E. HENDRICKS.
VENANCIO GASPIC.	L. M. ROBERTSON.
WILLIAM FEIER.	T. J. O'NEIL.
F. J. FLECK.	B. H. SUMMERS.
M. H. NICHOLS.	FRANK WILLIAMS.
	R. E. PETERSON.

The committee's report, was upon motion, unanimously adopted.

Chairman Howell, of the Committee on General Executive Board Report, submitted the following report:

COMMITTEE ON GENERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

Being thoroughly familiar with the activities of our Board, its efforts, advice, recommendations and instructions as a result of the various Board meetings since our last convention, the minutes of which were published in our official publication, THE ASBESTOS WORKER, the Committee on General Executive Board wishes to express its approval and wholehearted support of the actions taken, recommendations, etc., of the General Executive Board.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM HOWELL, *Chairman.*

A. R. CLEMENT.	ROBERT PROCASKEY.
TERENCE MCCONNELL.	VERNE D. STRIKER.
H. R. RITZEMA.	EDW. A. DWYER.
WM. J. RYAN.	CLETUS ENGLER.
RICHARD LINDSTROM.	ROBERT H. RAUSCH.
G. M. HATFIELD.	FRANK WEESE.
	PAUL J. MCCORMICK.

The committee's report was, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

Chairman Mulligan, of the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws, submitted the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

Your Committee on Constitution and By-Laws, after giving consideration to the resolutions referred to it, together with recommendations of the Secretary-Treasurer, and having granted hearings on same, submits the following report:

Referring to Resolution No. 1, providing for deletion of the word "circular" from Article XI of the Joint Trade Agreement, the committee recommends non-concurrence.

The recommendation of the committee to non-concur was unanimously adopted.

Referring to Resolution No. 2, proposing change in Article XVI, Section 1, of the Constitution requiring the member holding Traveling Card to deposit same with the Local in whose territory he is employed, the committee recommends non-concurrence.

The committee's recommendation to non-concur was unanimously adopted.

Referring to Resolution No. 5, proposing increase in salary of the Secretary-Treasurer, the committee recommends that Article IX, Section 7 of the Constitution be amended to read "Twelve Thousand ($12,000) Dollars per annum."

The committee's recommendation was, upon motion, unanimously adopted by the convention.

The committee further recommends that the daily allowance for International Representatives when away from home shall be in the amount of $12 per day and the Constitution be so amended.

The recommendation of the committee was, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

Referring to Resolution No. 6, providing for membership affiliation of 12 months prior to issuance of Traveling Cards, the committee recommends concurrence in this resolution.

The recommendation of the committee to concur was, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

Your committee then gave consideration to the recommendations of your Secretary-Treasurer which, in brief, provided for increase in the charge for membership dues books from 50 cents to $1, increase in annual Journal assessment from 50 cents to $1, and the supplying of all Local Union supplies to the Local Unions by the General Office without charge and after due consideration, votes concurrence in the above recommendations.

The committee's recommendation to concur was, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

The above actions and recommendations of your committee are proposed as effective immediately and in conclusion, your committee recommends that that portion of President Mullaney's report referred to it dealing with the subject matter of a revised Constitution and By-Laws and Joint Trade Agreement being referred to the incoming General Executive Board with full power to draft such Constitution and By-Laws and Joint Trade Agreement at the March, 1948, Board meeting, or as early thereafter as practical in view of application and interpretations of the Tart-Hartley Labor Law, be adopted and the General Executive Board so authorized.

The recommendations of the committee were, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

HUGH E. MULLIGAN, *Chairman.*

JAMES DURHAM.	HENRY C. HUG.
JACK TUTTLE.	N. L. HOYLE.
E. J. FILLEY.	EDWARD BOYLE.
JAMES A. ROCHE.	PAUL D. BENNETT.
SIM. E. TYLER.	JOHN MEYERS.
ED. C. MONTIE.	W. J. TANGNEY, JR.
W. M. BRANDON.	E. E. REYNOLDS.

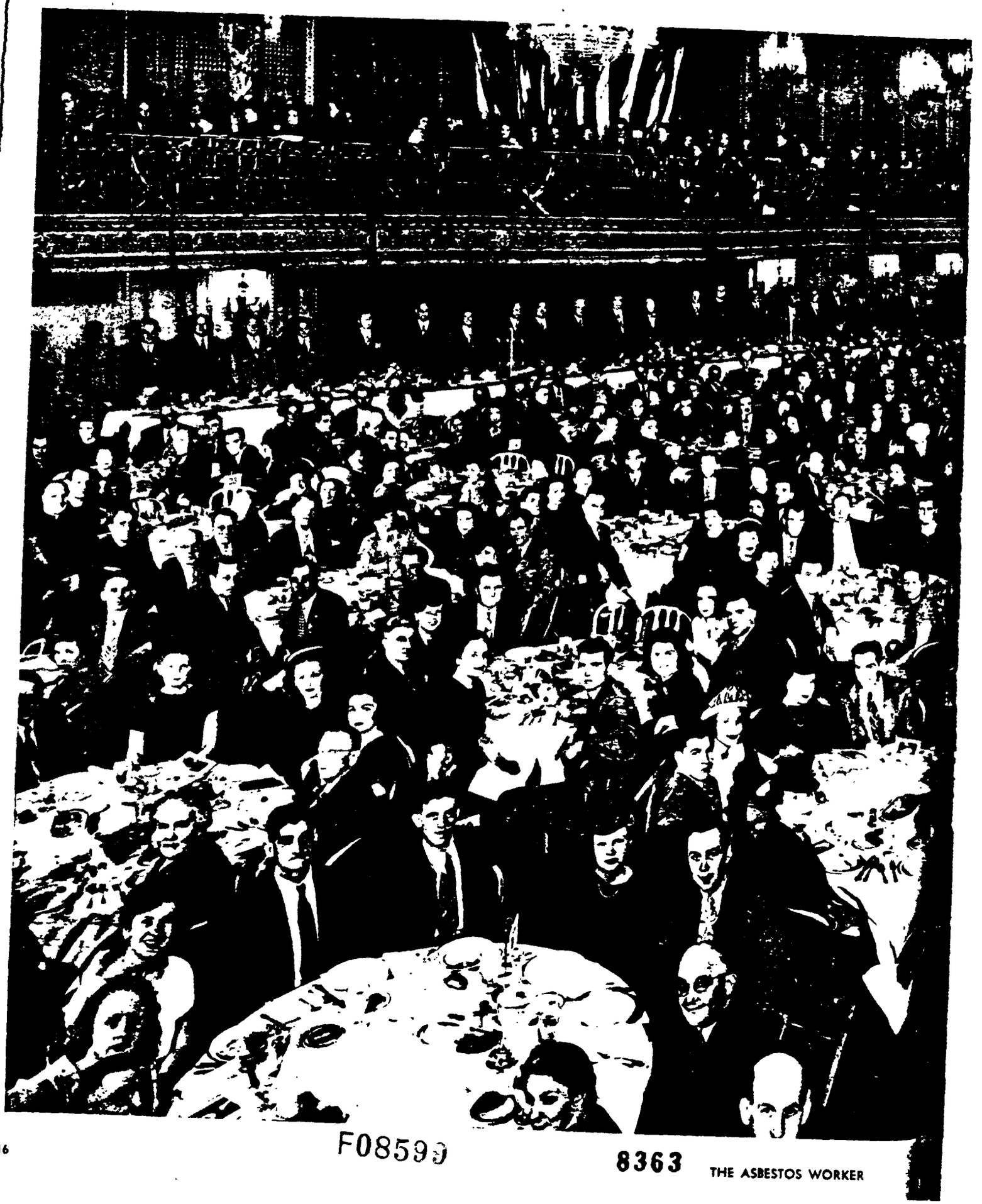
The committee's report was, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

Chairman Hullinghorst, of the Committee on Resolutions, submitted the following report:

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COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

To the Officers and Delegates of the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers.

GREETINGS:

Your Committee on Resolutions begs leave to report that it has considered Resolutions Nos. 3, 4, 7, 8 and 9 referred to it as follows:

RESOLUTION NO. 3

This resolution, submitted by Secretary H. M. Hoffman, on behalf of the Southeast States Conference of Asbestos Workers, proposing William Howell, president of the Conference and Business Agent of Birmingham Local No. 78, for the vacancy of Vice President referred to the convention as a whole for appropriate action.

The convention unanimously approved the committee's recommendation.

RESOLUTION NO. 4

This resolution, submitted by Delegate Frank Williams, of Local No. 32-B, in furtherance of the interest of the home insulator membership referred to the incoming Executive Board for consideration and appropriate action.

This recommendation of the committee was unanimously adopted by the convention.

RESOLUTION NO. 7

This resolution, submitted by Delegate Robert J. Danze, Omaha, Nebr., Local No. 39, in reference to pension plan. Referral of this resolution to the incoming Executive Board for further study and recommendation.

The convention by unanimous vote approved the committee's recommendation in connection with this resolution.

RESOLUTION NO. 8

This resolution, submitted by Delegate James J. Dalton, Local No. 3, Cleveland, dealing with expanding of public works program by the Federal Government. Your committee recommends concurrence in this resolution.

This resolution was, upon motion, unanimously adopted.

RESOLUTION NO. 9

This resolution, submitted by Delegate James J. Dalton, petitioning the Federal Government to expand its activities in connection with water pollution control. Your committee recommends concurrence in this resolution.

This resolution was, upon motion, unanimously adopted by the convention.

Chairman Hullinghorst announced the completion of the Committee on Resolutions report signed by the following:

Respectfully submitted,

A. L. HULLINGHORST, *Chairman.*

JOHN C. FALLON.	W. A. JACKSON.
ROBERT J. SCOTT.	J. H. THOMPSON.
JAMES BRABSON.	R. G. OGLESBY.
PATRICK O'CONNOR.	GEORGE MAJORS.
ARTHUR FORTON.	ART HARIGEL.
W. M. DEMENT.	R. D. FLYTHE.

SIDNEY A. MOHSBERG, JR.

The report of the committee was, on motion, adopted as a whole.

The Chair then discharged all committees with thanks.

Adjournment at 12.30 p. m., until Thursday morning.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SEPTEMBER 17

Meetings were held during the afternoon by the various States Conferences of Asbestos Workers.

THURSDAY MORNING SEPTEMBER 18

The convention was called to order at 10 a. m., by Vice President Mulligan, President Mullaney being detained in conference with the physician attending Mrs. Mullaney.

At this time, after due discussion, a motion was regularly moved and seconded that the International Association sponsor a testimonial dinner to be tendered President Mullaney at Washington, D. C., in March, 1948, during the week of the Executive Board meeting and a committee of three be elected to proceed with and carry out on behalf of our International Association the purpose and intent of this convention action in the making of any and all arrangements incidental to promoting and tendering of his testimonial celebrating the sixtieth year of President Mullaney in the industry.

This motion being carried by unanimous vote of the convention, the committee then elected was Vice President Mulligan, chairman; President Rider, Local No. 12, vice chairman; and Secretary-Treasurer Sickles, secretary and treasurer of the committee.

After a brief recess resident Mullaney entered the Convention hall, at which time Vice President Mulligan vacated the Chair in favor of President Mullaney, who declared the next order of business the nomination and election of officers.

Then in order followed the nominations, unopposed, and the unanimous elections of Vice Presidents Hugh E. Mulligan, John W. Hoff, Joseph W. Hunter, James J. Dalton, A. L. Hullinghorst, Henry H. Thompson, William Howell, and Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles.

President Mullaney then called Delegate Art Harigel, of Local No. 7, Seattle, to the platform at which time he pledged the newly elected officers for the ensuing term.

President Mullaney then called Delegate Engler, of Lawrenceburg, Ind., to the platform, at which time he led the delegates in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The convention then rose and with bowed heads stood in reverent silence for one minute for those of our membership who had departed from this life since our last, 1942, convention.

No further business appearing before the convention, International President Joseph A. Mullaney did, at 12.30 p. m., declare the Seventeenth Convention of the International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos Workers adjourned, sine die.

Respectfully submitted.

C. W. SICKLES.
Secretary-Treasurer.

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GENERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD

Pre-Convention Meeting

THE General Executive Board held a Pre-Convention session in the Palmer House at Chicago, Ill., Sunday, September 14, which was called to order by President Mullaney.

Present and answering roll call were: International Vice Presidents Hugh E. Mulligan, John W. Hoff, Joseph W. Hunter, James J. Dalton, A. L. Hullinghorst, Henry H. Thompson and Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles.

The Board gave consideration to several matters submitted by the Secretary as coming from certain of our Locals.

The Board decided that some of these were not proper subjects to bring before the Convention and instructed the Secretary to so notify these Locals to such effect. The remainder were referred to the Post-Convention Board Meeting at which time delegates interested could appear in connection with the issues involved.

Respectfully submitted,
C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Post-Convention Meeting

The Post-Convention session of the General Executive Board was called to order by President Mullaney at 10 a. m., Friday, September 19, at the Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Present and answering roll call were: International Vice Presidents Hugh E. Mulligan, John W. Hoff, Joseph W. Hunter, James J. Dalton, A. L. Hullinghorst, Henry H. Thompson, William Howell, and Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles.

Consideration was given to a petition submitted by Local No. 28, Denver, Colo., for extension of charter to include Laramie, Wyo. Petition granted.

Delegates John Cullen and M. H. Nicols, of Local 95, Toronto, Ontario, appeared before the Board and solicited assistance in connection with the construction activities of one of our "nationals" on Canadian operations.

After considerable discussion as to the activities of this company, subject matter was referred to President Mullaney for furtherance.

Delegates Cullen and Nicols further solicited information and advice in connection with organizing activities within their territory and were instructed as to procedure in this connection.

A representative of the Chicago Employers appeared before the General Executive Board on a national issue and was instructed on same.

Consideration was given to appeal of A. J. DeCosse, N. J. DeCosse, W. J. Moynagh, L. C. Bienias, Peter Wedin, Elaf Widen, Leonard Pietruszewski, Louis Bertrand, and D. L. Maddous, of Local No. 34, Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn., against trial action and penalty of the Minneapolis-St. Paul Joint Trade Board.

Present at this hearing were: G. S. Mann, Howard D. Cobb, and Gordon A. Whitehead, of Armstrong Cork Company, and Ford Brown, of G. A. MacArthur Company, representing the Employers Association of Minneapolis and St. Paul; Delegates Lee Anthony and Clarence Skoglund, representing Local No. 34; and W. J. Moynagh, representing the appellants.

All present submitted such testimony and evidence in their respective interests as they felt was warranted in connection with this appeal.

At the conclusion of the testimony it was established that the Joint Trade Board erred in penalizing the appellants in person instead of the Local itself as the principal. President Mullaney, speaking for the Board, then suggested that a special meeting of the Joint Trade Board be called as soon as possible in the Twin Cities and, in the interest of harmony, that the monetary penalties previously imposed be suspended pending future observance of trade law by the appellants.

No further business appearing before the Board, President Mullaney declared adjournment at 1:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,
C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

A. F. of L. Urges Action to Bring About Work Holiday on Election Day

THE AFL convention at its sessions in San Francisco voted unanimously to use all practical means possible to bring about the observance of election day as a legal holiday in order that all workers may have the necessary time to vote.

In place of several resolutions introduced on the subject, the delegates voted for a substitute report submitted by the Committee on Resolutions which supported the policy "of mobilizing labor's strength so that it can be made most effective on election day."

The committee report is as follows:

"In connection with election day, your committee recognizes the fact that the primaries are of equal importance to election day, for it is then that the candidates for public office are chosen. In many southern states the selection of candidates in the primaries assures their election.

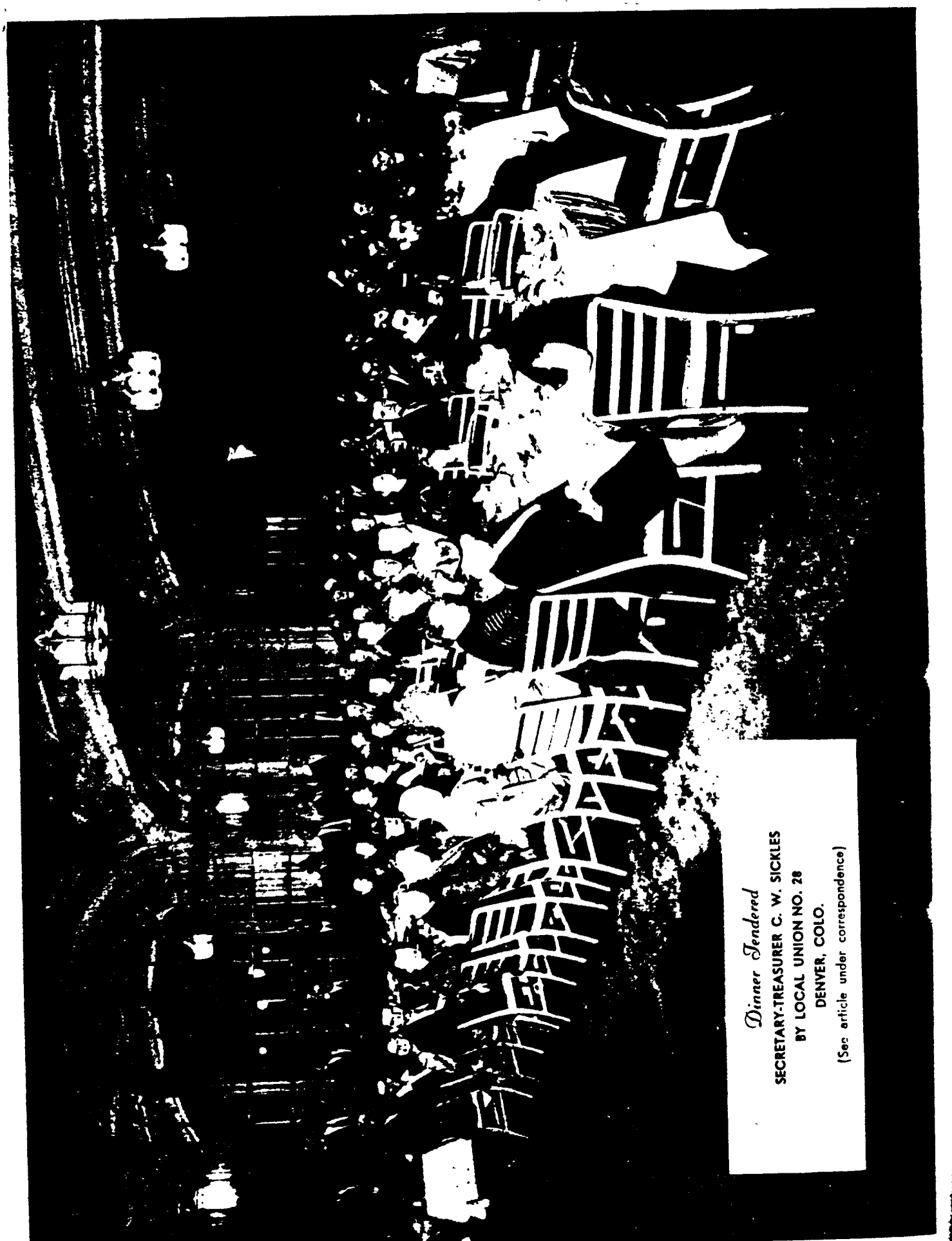
"To secure legislation making either primaries, or election day, or both, legal holidays presents difficulties which may not be immediately overcome. Your committee recommends that the American Federation of Labor and state federations of labor apply all practical means possible to establish election day as a legal holiday, and in states where the primaries are the determining factor that primary day be made a legal holiday.

"In the meantime your committee suggests that as a first step it is advisable that affiliated organizations and their local unions in negotiating agreements with employers, include provisions which would assure the workers a holiday or an adequate opportunity to perform their essential obligations as citizens, and to demonstrate the effective part they can, and which they should play in the election of public officials."

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Dinner Tendered
SECRETARY-TREASURER C. W. SICKLES
BY LOCAL UNION NO. 28
DENVER, COLO.
(See article under correspondence)

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CONVENTION SIDELIGHTS

ON Tuesday the delegates' wives and ladies in attendance were the guests at a luncheon given by Mrs. Hugh E. Mulligan at the Palmer House.

Delegate Cletus Engler of Local No. 54, our smallest Local, led the delegates in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag at the convention.

President Mullaney had Delegates Hoff, Lindstrom and Johnson, representing Local No. 6, stand and take a bow. They started work in the trade on the same operation and joined Local No. 6 together at the same meeting in January, 1912. Hoff is our International Vice President, Lindstrom is President of Local No. 6, and Johnson is Secretary of the Boston Building and Construction Trades Council.

Delegate Arthur Harigel, of Local No. 7, an old "Salamander," pledged the newly-elected officers.

The dinner given the delegates, their wives and guests, proved to be a "regular" get-together. The orchestra and singers did justice to "state" songs and request numbers. The big moment of the evening came when President Mullaney, in the name of Local No. 12, presented "Hughie" with an oil painting of himself.

The festivities started Sunday night when the General Executive Board and their wives were the dinner guests of Local No. 17 in the Empire Room, famous for its floor show.

President Mullaney had a convention visitor, John A. Gaspic, stand and take a bow. He was formerly the Business Agent of Local No. 33, and is now Agent, Connecticut State Board of Labor Relations.

Monday, after adjournment, the Employers gave the delegates a bus ride to see the Cubs beat the Braves. Another bus ride as far as Evanston and a visit to Northwestern Stadium. Then to the Edgewater Beach Hotel and a three-hour cocktail session before dinner in the same hotel. Then to the Chez Paree, the "big time" night club and floor show until the wee morning hours with the Employers picking up the tabs.

Oldtimers will be pleased to learn that "Bob" Stevenson and John Buckett attended the banquet. The former is 84 and the latter 93 years young.

Monday, the ladies were the dinner guests of the Chicago Employers, followed by a theater party. Wednesday, the ladies were entertained by the Employers at a luncheon at the Edgewater Beach Hotel and a limousine sightseeing tour.

Coach Frank Leahy of Notre Dame in his talk at the banquet credited his friend "Hughie" with contributing much towards his education. He was a "vacation time" Asbestos Worker in the years back when "Joe" Savoldi, "Marchy" Schwartz, "Moon" Mullins and other Notre Dame football immortals worked in our craft.

President Mullaney had Delegate Brooks stand and take a bow. He, in addition to being Business Agent of Local No. 88, is a Councilman in the city of Richmond, Va.

International President "Marty" Durkin of the United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Industry, who spoke at the banquet, was a pal of "Hughie's" in Chicago's "South Side." They volunteered together in World War I.

The "Ohs" and "Ahs" from the twelve hundred seated at the banquet when the house lights dimmed and the "spot" lights played on the "ice cream parade" as the waiters marched down the aisles with their specially-designed forms for each table.

When President Mullaney concluded his talk at the banquet he said he had a pleasant duty to perform and calling upon Mrs. Hugh E. Mulligan to step up to the dais he then, in the name of the convention delegates, presented her with a beautiful diamond ring.

Mrs. George Hennig, widow of our former Vice-President, was the Convention guest of Local Union No. 17, with all expenses paid, including plane trip from Pittsburgh to Chicago and return home.

President Mullaney had Delegate Reiss stand and take a bow. He was formerly Business Agent of Local No. 32 and is now President of that Local in addition to being Acting Treasurer, Department of Revenue, City of Newark.

A fine talker was uncovered in the person of Brother Prescott at the banquet. He sketched the career of Business Agent Mulligan and the progress made by Local No. 17 under his leadership during the past 25 years.

He concluded when, in the name of Local No. 17, he handed "Hughie" the appreciation of the membership in the form of a sealed envelope that when opened revealed a check in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars.

A great city is Chicago. A great business agent is Hugh E. Mulligan. A great Local is No. 17.

Correspondence

Denver, Colo.,
October 28, 1947.

Editor, THE ASBESTOS WORKER,
Washington, D. C.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER:

Local No. 28 wishes to thank you for your assistance and timely advice on matters pertaining to our craft which will be of benefit to the entire trade in this area.

Under separate cover am mailing photograph of dinner at which you were our guest of honor. Although your stay in Denver was limited, the good that was accomplished cannot be expressed in words. On your next visit we hope you will be able to spend more time and see more of our state.

Thanking you again for your assistance and advice, I am,

Fraternally yours,
JACK TUTTLE,
Business Agent, Local No. 28.

Hartford 15, Conn.,
September 24, 1947.

MR. C. W. SICKLES,
211 Machinists Building,
Washington, D. C.

DEAR CARL:

The boys and I had a very uneventful trip home. We could not stop talking about the lavish entertainment given all delegates by Local No. 17 and the Employers' Association. I know that the memories of this convention will live with us for a long time to come.

Very sincerely yours,
CONN. STATE BOARD OF
LABOR RELATIONS,
JOHN A. GASPIC,

Memphis, Tenn.,
September 13, 1947.

Editor, THE ASBESTOS WORKER,
Washington, D. C.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER:

The annual picnic of Local No. 90 was a great success and as you can see from the inclosed picture all of the boys enjoyed the event.

If you could find room in the next

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Report of the SECRETARY-TREASURER



C. W. SICKLES
Secretary-Treasurer

Washington, D. C.,
October 30, 1947.

To the Officers and Membership,
Affiliated Locals.

GREETINGS:

The activities of your Secretary-Treasurer away from the General Office during the past quarter, in accordance with instructions of President Mullaney, began at Chicago, Ill., in conference with President Mullaney and Vice President Mulligan re preliminary arrangements for the 17th convention of our International Association.

Again to Chicago attending pre-convention General Executive Board meeting, followed by attendance as a delegate representing Local No. 24, Washington, D. C., at the convention, proceedings of which will be found elsewhere in this JOURNAL issue.

Then came post-convention board meeting, as also reported in this issue.

Back to Washington and brief stop at the General Office to catch up on accumulated correspondence, etc.

Then West and a stop-off at Salt Lake City, Utah, where a day was spent in company of Secretary C. G. Walters and meeting with a majority of the local membership, as also visit to one of our signed shops in that city.

On to San Francisco where your Secretary-Treasurer represented our International at the annual sessions of the Building and Construction Trades Department and the A. F. of L. conventions.

On arrival at San Francisco your Secretary found Vice President Dalton visiting that city and substituted him for President Mullaney as a delegate to the Building and Construction Trades Department Convention.

The fact that the daily press reported in detail convention actions makes unnecessary a repetition of same. Your Secretary-Treasurer could, however, point out that the adjournment of the convention found Secretary-Treasurer George Meany (a member of the United Association) in the opinion of the great majority of the delegates, including the writer, the biggest man within the official family of the A. F. of L. today.

While in San Francisco and together with Vice President Dalton, came a series of conferences with Mr. Abrams of the Bartells Insulating Company of Seattle, with specific reference to our craft work in Alaska.

At a later date your Secretary met and conferred with Mr. Hahn, the plumbing contractor, on several operations in Alaska of interest to our Anchorage, Alaska, Local No. 97 and the General Office. These conferences at one time showed every indication of a settlement of the existing misunderstanding to the satisfaction of all concerned, but to date this has not been effected.

A luncheon conference was held with Vice President Dalton and your Secretary, together with the West Coast representatives of the J-M Company, at which time several craft problems were discussed and advised upon.

While in San Francisco your Secretary attended the regular semi-monthly meeting of Local No. 16, at which time many craft problems affecting the San Francisco area were discussed and the officers and membership advised in accordance with International policy. This meeting found several visitors from other West Coast Locals in attendance, including a committee from our Vallejo Local No. 70.

Following the A. F. of L. convention adjournment came Los Angeles, Calif., and conference with Vice President Thompson, followed by a regular scheduled meeting of Local No. 5, at which time your Secretary was called upon to advise and make decisions in re several trade problems confronting the Local.

While in Los Angeles your Secretary was a guest at several meetings and conferences of the Local No. 5 Executive Board, Building Trades Council representatives and legal advisers, climaxed the day of departure by a luncheon conference with the Los Angeles Joint Trade Board.

Heading East came a stop-off at Denver, Colo., with meeting of the Joint Trade Board, followed by conference with the executives of the Sterns-Rogers Corporation, one of the recognized "national" employers of our International membership. Later the same day a meeting of Local No. 28, followed by a banquet tendered in honor of your Secretary-Treasurer's first visit to the city of Denver. Later events developed that this was the first social event sponsored by Local No. 28 since they were originally chartered 30 years ago, which coincides with the fact that your Secretary-Treasurer likewise affiliated with our International just 30 years ago the month in which this banquet was held. Among the guest speakers at this banquet were George W. Brayfield, President of the Colorado State Federation of Labor; Organizer Fitzgerald of the United Association, and the Business Agents for the Plumbers and Steamfitters Local Unions, together with several other local labor representatives.

Then to Washington and at work in connection with convention minutes and preparation of this JOURNAL issue.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. Sickles
Secretary-Treasurer.

NOTICE

All affiliated Local Unions will in the near future receive communication from the Committee elected at our recent Convention for the purpose of carrying out the Convention action in making necessary arrangements for the tendering of Testimonial Dinner in honor of General President Joseph A. Mullaney.

This communication will solicit certain information and advice from the Local as to the desire and extent to which the Local wishes to participate in this Testimonial.

In order for the Committee to be in a position to make appropriate plans, reservations, etc., it will be appreciated if all Local Unions will cooperate by making early reply.

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BUSINESS REPORT

CHARTERS ISSUED

Local No. 28-B.....Denver, Colo.
Local No. I.P.W.-1.....Insulation Production Workers, Kansas City, Mo., & Vicinity

New Members

Reg. No.	Name	Local No.
14101	Don L. Magness	23
14102	John Perry, Jr.	12
14103	Joseph J. Lusich	12
14104	Francis J. Brady	12
14105	Gerard J. Dougherty	12
14106	Bobby L. Rhoads	64
14107	Robert W. Overton	86
14108	William R. Wall	86
14109	William A. Chambers, Jr.	86
14110	Sheldon J. Myers	95
14111	Emil Hamberg	95
14112	John A. Chisholm	95
14113	Edmondo S. Crovella	5
14114	Leo Mahren	5
14115	Joe B. Greene	5
14116	Harvey H. Herman	5
14117	Sidney Crawford	5
14118	Charles B. Bain	18
14119	Nelson L. Ellis	18
14120	Thomas Groves	18
14121	Richard F. Pippin	18
14122	Donald D. Lanier	21
14123	Eugene B. Jacks	21
14124	Tommie P. Claxton	21
14125	Lewis A. Smith	21
14126	William W. Gerken	102
14127	J. I. Stewart	102
14128	Kenneth J. Murphy	45
14129	Chester Ostapowicz	45
14130	Chester F. Kamoza	45
14132	Dale E. Wick	35
14133	Harry P. Lutz, Jr.	35
14134	Robert H. Doyle	6
14135	Jack Kimberley	6
14136	Francis A. Eydenberg	6
14137	Harry F. Sine	9
14138	John R. Dempsey	9
14139	Charles H. Lunde	28
14140	Gene H. Evans	67
14141	Carleton M. Parrish	24
14142	Charles F. Grimes	24
14143	Arthur M. Gibbons	24
14144	Paul A. Fearson	24
14145	Ira M. Helsley	24
14146	John A. Dix	24
14147	Robert J. Bugos	24
14148	Charles E. Carrico	24
14149	Paul W. Witherspoon	47
14150	Wallace L. Bailey	47
14151	Gordon A. Macher	47
14152	Paul Marlett	47
14153	Hubert G. Hacker	24
14154	Harry H. Hartley	16
14155	Roy J. Shumate	16
14157	Charles J. Shannon	3
14158	Louis J. Liegl	3
14159	William Hurley	3
14160	Robert F. Ackerman	3
14161	Wilfred T. Minchak	3
14162	Joseph P. Boyle	3
14163	Edgar N. Bell	61
14164	Demps L. Brawley	61
14165	Keith J. Bittle	61
14166	Edward C. Williford	61
14167	John T. Windell	61
14168	Julius F. Freeman, Jr.	61
14169	Aubrey J. Bragg	61
14171	Walter J. Swieder	42
14172	Walter R. Santa Barbara	42
14173	Robert J. Ernest	42
14174	William A. Arterbridge	42
14175	Elmer L. Corrigan	22
14176	Howard Van Brunt	22
14177	John E. Cobb	22
14178	Audrey Jarrell	22
14179	Pete Rayburn	22
14180	Sidney J. Sonnier	22
14181	Joseph C. Theriot	22
14182	Henry G. Torres	76
14183	Pedro Rodiquez, Jr.	76
14184	Leroy J. Funnell	4
14185	Thomas P. Haun	52
14186	George A. Davis	88
14187	Stanley F. Raich	12
14188	Michael C. Stipicuvich	12
14193	M. C. Moore	87
14194	Robert C. Land	87
14196	Thomas B. Duffy	6
14197	Albert Dignan	6
14198	Robert Diltz	6
14199	Thomas H. Hunt	6
14200	Paul Hoban	6
14201	Arthur E. Seale	6
14202	Richard Irwin	6
14203	Armand Alfieri	6
14204	Arthur Camuso	6
14205	Robert Matson	6
14206	John Hartley	6
14207	George Katz	6
14209	Joseph F. Williams	8
14210	John F. Wilms	8
14211	James Murray	8
14212	Paul H. Hensler	8
14213	Vernon V. Eby	8
14214	Thomas J. Burns	8
14215	James C. Mansel	102
14216	Joe R. Hughes	102
14217	John F. Bain	18
14218	Donald R. Dunn	18
14219	Paul F. Hartnagle	18
14220	John G. West	70
14221	Edwin S. Grodovich	33
14222	Joseph Derrico	33
14223	Benjamin Greco	33
14224	William J. Jones, Jr.	33
14225	John W. LeRoy	33
14226	John W. Muldoon	33
14227	Frank J. Poltorak	33
14228	Richard J. Sweeney	33
14229	Leonard H. Viele	33
14230	Bernard G. Taillon	33
14231	Alois H. Van Hatten	34
14232	Albert J. Zmuda	34
14233	Thomas C. Campbell	16
14234	Paul J. Cornils	81
14235	Albert L. Johnston	9
14236	Russell P. Joyner	9
14238	Wesley W. Price	9
14240	Jack D. Bishop	95
14243	Norman H. Kinsman	7
14244	Joseph P. Zinser	11
14245	James K. Schmidt	11
14246	Edward F. Fales	11
14247	Vernon R. Easton	11
14249	Warren L. Batteiger	1
14250	William Laughlin	1
14251	Robert J. Mathews	1
14252	Kenneth W. Roach	1
14253	Billy J. Smith	102
14254	Archie H. Fox	102
14255	Steve H. Simmons	22
14256	Fred D. Bailey	22
14257	William H. Alexander	22
14258	Kelsey J. Babineaux	22
14259	William D. Luker	22
14260	William J. Brown	22
14261	Travis W. Ferrell	22
14262	Max G. Greiner	22
14263	Roland E. Guidry	22
14264	Alfred R. Kyburz, Jr.	22
14265	John F. Legnon	22
14266	Robert L. Mooney, Jr.	22
14267	Fern C. Cranford	76
14268	Douglas D. Whyte	2
14269	John L. Coll	2
14271	Lee W. Stennette	5
14272	William L. Hoy	5
14273	Thomas F. Hoover	86
14274	James D. Frazier	90
14275	Julius Scian	90
14276	Francis J. Gagnon	43
14278	Ralph Dugger	46
14279	Earl L. Marlatt	47
14280	George E. Fisk	25
14281	Robert E. Furby	25
14282	John Hrynko	25
14283	Clarence M. Pethke	25
14284	Daniel W. Rogers	25
14285	Walter S. Kinners	16
14286	Gerald R. Balick	12
14287	Thomas A. Barkigia	12
14288	Vincent J. Cudiner	12
14289	Marin Kvestich	12
14290	Charles C. Mohr	12
14291	Kenneth J. Leannah	19
14293	Jessie L. Campbell	22
14294	Jewel J. Hart	22
14295	Ulyses N. Landry	22
14296	William C. Murphree	22
14297	Sam H. Slott	22
14298	Gerald G. Wilson	22
14299	David M. Mulligan	8
14300	John N. Jansen	8
14301	Loren C. Davis	15
14302	William R. Brown	27
14303	Frederick L. Miller	27
14304	Norman W. Van Bebber	27
14305	Mark M. Hynes	58
14306	William B. Hall	97
14307	Carl O. Anderson	6
14310	Hillier Richard	95
14312	James R. Thompson	5
14313	Gurvis J. Hebert	55
14314	James N. Strickland, Jr.	55
14315	Lawrence J. Melvin	55
14316	William B. Collins	55
14317	Melvin C. Cundiff	84
14318	Glenn R. Abel	84
14320	Charles J. Heughlin	51
14321	Charles P. Hobson, Jr.	51
14322	John A. Lincoln, Jr.	51
14323	Arthur E. Luker	51
14324	Leonard L. Lyons	51
14325	Jasper N. Matthews	51
14326	William H. O'Reilly, Jr.	51
14327	George A. Ryan, Jr.	51
14328	Edward I. Thomas	51
14329	William T. Tingle	51
14330	Robert A. Dotterer	30
14331	Paul A. Riley	30
14332	Maurice R. Galvin	30
14335	William C. Miner	100
14336	Frederick F. Riley	100
14337	Warren K. Wisecup	100

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14338	Richard D. Griffin	47
14339	Theodore E. Dana	7
14340	John V. McCormick	60
14341	Howard W. Burkett	52
14342	Robert R. Lowe	52
14343	Eblin G. Morris	52
14344	Ralph L. Seeber	52
14345	Hubert M. Griffith	52
14346	William E. Trapp	52
14347	Bobby B. Rannals	52
14348	Robert R. Jones	52
14349	Arthur C. Taylor	9
14350	Jack W. Smith	52
14351	Damon L. Howell	78
14352	Howard E. Cash	78
14353	Joseph R. Theer	89

Lapsed Members Reaffiliated

14100	Oris L. Beeny	69
14131	Allan T. Spiegel	35
14156	Douglas R. Nead	16
14170	Colwell T. Gibbons	42
14189	James W. Oefelein	12
14190	Edward Connolly	12
14191	Martin Evitts	68
14192	Clarence E. Thomas	68
14195	Gyden Q. Jenkins	87
14208	Richard A. Williamson	97
14237	Bert A. Klippen	58
14239	Cecil Cook	95
14241	Lawrence A. Parker	88
14242	Loyd T. Jenkins	88
14248	John F. Curl	20
14270	Elbert A. Ward	5
14277	Clarence Agan	30
14292	Edward J. Parrish	22
14308	Fred R. Ibbotson	95
14309	Edgar P. Tasse	95
14311	Albert E. Hutchinson	5
14319	Fred D. Lindsay	77
14333	Arthur A. Stitt	100
14334	James R. Duncan	100

Withdrawal Cards Returned

13144	Arthur Hurtt, Jr.	1
10740	William L. Hamper	3
9975	Patrick E. Gavin	3
11463	Joseph W. Walters	4
7916	Harry Heppard	5
8289	Carl D. Walton	5
12256	John R. Dickens	5
9829	Harry H. Ingraham	5
9747	Samuel L. King	5
8901	Joseph Holton	5
10795	Robert Carddock	5
9986	Wilbur C. Jacobsen	6
12189	Robert Y. Williams	9
12246	Charles H. Griffis, Jr.	10
9972	Clarence E. Fearn	11
10677	John J. Myers	11
2178	David Deckert	11
9520	Adam S. Gamber, Jr.	11
13429	Roy H. Thorsted	16
11103	George W. Sanderson	16
6114	Paul J. Maroney	17
12574	Frank I. Hayden	20
4976	M. D. Geiser	21
8587	Leland B. Little	21
9884	Geoffrey Myane	21
13308	John D. Isbell	21
12341	Frank R. Bergeron	22
5916	Prescott A. Jentzel	31
4022	Adolph Genthe	32
13267	Edwin M. Fitzgerald	32
9306	Nicholas J. Cudina	32
11093	John R. Lutz	35
8522	Charles Brown	35
10632	Kenneth E. Gloss	36
3252	G. S. Pease	41
10949	Harley H. Moyers	46
8075	James A. Geiger	51
13327	Austin A. Swaffard	52
8604	Joseph B. Wilbert	53
8783	T. Dorsa	53
11825	Robert G. Elliott, Jr.	55
8690	Buford G. Lindsay	61
12928	William R. Culberson	61
8923	L. R. Privett	61
9409	C. B. Beard, Jr.	61
12457	Helmer Lovset	62
12432	Jack G. Cook	62
10524	Robert B. Epperson	64
10650	Hugh S. Thompson	66
7605	George E. Huff	66
12800	Dan W. McFarland	67
12849	Edwin C. Turnage	68
11221	Harvey R. Cassady	70
10160	Thomas G. Howell	78
7855	James Casey	81
8138	William T. Daughtrey	83
10528	Hugh B. Porter	86
10529	Frank G Erwin	86
11185	Robert A. Darnell	94
10856	Ivan Davenport	94
11684	Kenneth H. McLaren	95
13463	Bill Gordon	95

Withdrawal Cards Issued

11071	Andrew Hamper	3
10315	William J.McSorley, Jr.	3
10397	Steve R. Evans	3
10318	Robert P. Doyle	3
10016	Bengie C. Case	5
9554	Bertrand L. Wicke	5
10131	Loren R. Porter	5
13659	James C. Riley	5
11659	Stanley W. Morgan	5
8600	George Johnson	5
10177	Leland W. Van Buren	5
10928	Joseph A. Mascola	5
9989	Harold A. Shaffer	10
4445	Raymond Tyler	11
1378	William A. Dowd	11
10657	John P. Barnes	11
1496	Jesse Root	11
14011	Samuel Babich, Jr.	12
14286	Gerald R. Balick	12
7259	Martin M. Sapnar	12
10907	Edward W. Barsh	13
3489	William Haist	14
8212	John E. Crowl	15
10426	Howard B. Johnson	16
4841	P. J. Allen	16
11956	Edwin Z. Kereta	16
6284	Frank Nevers	16
8509	R. P. Grist	16
5491	Clint Flynn	17
8739	William Hollerich	17
9701	Thomas Vahl	17
4251	Harvey Legate	22
2811	Joseph Sterkens	22
13757	Cullus E. Lloyd	23
5269	R. E. Thomas	24
12953	Russell H. Andres	29
2052	J. Scheicher, Sr.	32
5574	Joseph Mara	32
14221	Edward S. Grodovich	33
11229	Gordon A. Whitehead	34
12773	Henry P. Flaman	36
11758	Henry N. Grebel	47
13005	Dale D. Peck	47
13811	John H. Reed	47
13472	James S. Myers	52
13612	Ernest A. Sexton	52
7558	Clarence Curtier	53
13201	Milfred A. Lange	54
13114	Oren D. Lockwood	54
10480	Thomas C. Smith	61
10599	Walter L. Blocker	61
14163	Edgar N. Bell	61
12479	Melvin R. Ross	62
8001	Cecil Crawford	68
9050	Lesley F. York	72
10148	William D. Harrell	83
1435	George Davis	84
9878	Murl Harlow	87
12337	Charles W. Boggs	94
9787	Andrew Wise	95
9851	George V. Lord	95
13188	William J. Watts	99
12262	Francis K. Kekahuna	100
12804	Elmer M. Fischer	100

Members Suspended

13195	Frank Elliott	95

Members Lapsed

(Non Payment Dues)

13625	Joseph E. Barron	6
13134	Alvia Young	10
8696	Claude L. Stephenson	15
7188	Roy Padfield	16
11315	Alexandra B. McLendon	21
12055	Lee R. Carroll	21
14019	Daniel C. Davis	21
13252	Harold D. McCreight	23
13246	Edwin E. Keefer	23
13011	John Dilascio	33
9574	Henry A. Noykos	47
12279	Victor H. Booth	55
11125	Fred J. Douglas	61
12730	Joseph P. Grace	62
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issue of THE JOURNAL to print it, I am sure the gang would enjoy it and the writer would appreciate the favor.

Fraternally yours,

CHARLES L. MOORE,
Rec. Sec'y, Local No. 90.

Borger, Tex.,
August 24, 1947.

Editor, THE ASBESTOS WORKER,
Washington, D. C.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER:

I am enclosing a picture of members, travelers and shop managers and their families attending the fourth annual get-together of Local No. 66, which was held in Borger, Tex., August 8.

If there is room in the next issue of our JOURNAL, would appreciate having the picture in it.

Thanking you in advance, I am,

Fraternally yours,

T. C. DONNELL,
Secretary, Local No. 66.

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MINUTES OF CONFERENCE MEETINGS

CENTRAL STATES

Chicago, Ill.,
September 17, 1947.

The meeting of the Central States Conference of Asbestos Workers convened at the Palmer House, Chicago, Ill., at 1 p. m., September 17, 1947.

The meeting was called to order by President James J. Dalton with the following delegates present: Local No. 3, Cleveland, Ohio, Business Agent James J. Dalton, Thomas O'Neil and Eddie Doyle; Local No. 8, Cincinnati, Ohio, Business Agent John Meyers; Local No. 18, Indianapolis, Ind., Business Agent Robert J. Scott, President William F. Feier and John Grob; Local No. 25, Detroit, Mich., Business Agent Malcolm Detlefs and President Edward Montie; Local No. 37, Evansville, Ind., Business Agent Robt. W. Procaskey; Local No. 41, Fort Wayne, Ind., Business Agent Marvin Bennett and Secretary F. J. Fleck; Local No. 47, Grand Rapids, Lansing, Jackson, Kalamazoo and Saginaw, Mich., Business Agent H. R. Ritzema and President Virgil P. Fisher; Local No. 51, Louisville, Ky., Business Agent A. Maddux and Roy Stultz; Local No. 75, South Bend, Ind., Business Agent E. J. Filley; Local No. 79, Dayton, Ohio, Business Agent Lloyd E. Yount; Local No. 80, Charleston and Huntington, W. Va., Business Agent Vernon Adkins and President William Dement; Local No. 84, Akron, Ohio, Business Agent H. R. Chaddock, President P. D. Bennett, and Secretary A. W. Gamble.

International President Joseph A. Mullaney and International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles were also present.

Attending as a visitor was M. H. Nicols of Local No. 95, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. The Conference voted to extend an invitation to Local No. 95 to join the Conference.

President Mullaney gave a brief talk and advised the delegates to use GI's as emergency men.

The delegates assembled voted to rotate cities for meetings and to meet on the fourth Sunday of March, June, September and December.

Local No. 79, Dayton, Ohio, extended an invitation to us to hold the next meeting in Dayton, which invitation was accepted. We were further invited to a luncheon to be given by Local No. 79 following the adjournment of the meeting.

The delegates assembled voted to go on record as favoring the reelection of all of the International Vice Presidents and of International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles, and to offer President Mullaney their loyal support; also, to go down the line with Brother William Howell of Local No. 78 for International Vice President.

A motion was made, seconded and carried that the Conference delegates offer their deepest appreciation to Vice President Hugh E. Mulligan and members of Local No. 17, Chicago, for making their stay in the city a very enjoyable one, and hope to come back again in five years.

Local No. 35, Youngstown, Ohio; Local No. 44, Columbus, Ohio; and Local No. 45, Toledo, Ohio, were not represented.

With no further business to transact, meeting adjourned at 2.15 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,
VERNON ADKINS,
Secretary.

MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES

Chicago, Ill.,
September 17, 1947.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Middle Atlantic States Conference of Asbestos Workers was held on the above date at the Palmer House, Chicago, Ill., and was called to order by President James A. Roche at 4 p. m., with the following delegates present:

Local No. 2, Pittsburgh, Pa., Business Agent Fred E. Rust; Local No. 11, Baltimore, Md., Business Agent Edward McGann; Local No. 14, Philadelphia, Pa., Business Agent Joseph W. Hunter and President Charles H. Trout; Local No. 24, Washington, D. C., Business Agent N. L. Hoyle; Local No. 32, Essex and Hudson Co., N. J., Business Agent James A. Roche; Local No. 42, Wilmington, Del., Business Agent Arvid O. Johnson; Local No. 72, Allentown, Pa., under International Supervision, International Vice President Joseph W. Hunter; Local No. 89, Trenton, N. J., Business Agent Stephen J. Kopp.

International President Joseph A. Mullaney and Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles were also in attendance.

Present as visitors were the following: Local No. 2, Brother W. P. Omslaer; Local No. 11, Brothers Sidney A. Mohsberg and Oliver Ryan; Local No. 14, Brothers William Scout and Edward Boyle; Local No. 32, Brother Terence McConnell; Local No. Brother Edwin Carter.

Reports of Delegates:

Delegate Rust, of Local No. 2, F burgh, Pa., reported conditions at ent time very good with 50 to 75 r mechanics needed. Future outlool deed bright. Present agreement pires December, 1948.

Delegate McGann, of Local No. Baltimore, Md., reported still very l with more marine work coming al due to the reopening of the Maryl Shipyard. With the Western Elec and the $11,000,000 gypsum plant j coming along the future outlook is ceedingly bright. Present agreem expires June 30, 1948.

Delegate Hunter, of Local No. Philadelphia, Pa., reported conditi there are practically the same si last Conference meeting. All memb ship at work and conditions movi along nicely. Future looks good. Pr ent agreement expires June 30, 1948

Delegate Hoyle, of Local No. 2 Washington, D. C., reported con tions very busy with 60 "emergen asbestos workers" being used. work now is on a 5-day basis. Travele are welcome. The Western Electr heating plant job is now in the offin Present agreement expires January 3 1948.

Delegate Roche, of Local No. 3 Essex and Hudson C N. J., reporte conditions there are the same as of la Conference meeting—all membershi at work plus some G.I.'s being use With considerable work coming alon future prospects look good. Preser agreement expires May 31, 1948.

Delegate Johnson, of Local No. 4 Wilmington, Del., reported condition there are very good at the present time All membership plus 25 "emergenc asbestos workers" at work. The ne Chrysler job is coming along about th first of the year. Present agreemen expires June 30, 1948.

International Vice President Josepl W. Hunter, reporting on conditions i Local No. 71, Allentown, Pa., state that all membership are at work, plus 10 "emergency men." Future expected to continue along these lines. Present agreement expires June 30, 1948.

Delegate Kopp, of Local No. 89, Trenton, N. J., reported conditions now have improved since last Conference meeting with all membership at work and future outlook very good with plenty of new construction work coming along. Present agreement expires June 30, 1948.

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During the reports of delegates President Mullaney and Secretary Sickles gave advice and instructions wherever needed, with particular emphasis on the necessity for all Locals to fulfill the Improver agreement ratio. Also to secure the necessary manpower to man all jobs from the Veterans Administration after exhausting all available Building Tradesmen.

The secretary of the Conference was instructed to forward a picture of the Conference dinner held at the Bismarck Hotel on Tuesday evening, September 16, 1947, for publication in the next issue of THE ASBESTOS WORKER.

All delegates were requested to present new credentials at the next Conference meeting to be held on December 6, 1947, at the regular place of meeting in Electricians Hall, 1807 Spring Garden Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

With all business transacted, adjournment was voted at 5.30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,
STEPHEN J. KOPP,
Secretary.

NEW ENGLAND STATES

Chicago, Ill.,
September 17, 1947.

The regular quarterly meeting of the New England States Conference was held Wednesday, September 17, 1947, at the Palmer House, Chicago, Ill., between the sessions of the convention.

Meeting was called to order by President James J. Dunn.

Delegates present were: John W. Hoff, E. A. Johnson and Richard Lindstrom, of Local No. 6, Boston, Mass.; Ernest Carlson, Local No. 31, Providence, R. I.; Lance Gaspic and Charles Soelch, of Local No. 33, Connecticut; James J. Dunn and Patrick O'Connor, of Local No. 43, Springfield, Mass.

International President Joseph A. Mullaney and Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles were also in attendance.

Minutes of previous meeting held in Springfield, Mass., were read and accepted.

Reports of delegates:

Delegate Carlson, of Local No. 31, reported work plentiful which consists of a power plant, Federal and State hospitals, and other sizable jobs and has at least two years' work ahead for his Local. Reported on meeting with his employers on new agreement as present one expires on November 1, 1947, and Local requested increase from $1.80 to $2 per hour for mechanics. Reported also on one of his employers who sent an emergency mechanic into Local No. 43 territory to which Local No. 43 objected. President Mullaney instructed Delegate Carlson on procedure and to further take the matter up with the employer as same was done unbeknown to Delegate Carlson.

Delegates Gaspic and Soelch, of Local No. 33, reported work plentiful with constant calls for men for power plant and college dormitories, plus many other operations. Reported on hiring prospective improvers and objection in the Connecticut Building Trades by another organization and President Mullaney advised Local to issue official International permits with no charge.

Discussion of Local No. 91, White Plains, N. Y., operating in Local No. 33 territory and instructions were issued that former understanding and decision made by Secretary Sickles on wages and expenses should stand.

Delegates Hoff, Johnson and Lindstrom, of Local No. 6, reported work exceptionally good with many emergency mechanics, mostly plasterers and tradesmen from other unions, employed. Operations include power plants, housing jobs, large telephone and insurance building, paper mills and industrial work, and the future looks excellent.

Delegates reported on meeting with their employers in Boston on a new wage agreement with a request for increase from $1.90 per hour to $2.15, plus other changes. Present agreement expires on October 1, 1947, and a settlement on the above new rate will, no doubt, be put into effect by the first of the month. (New rate of $2.15 effective October 1, 1947.)

Delegates further reported of taking in many mechanics and improvers at different meetings in order to meet the constant demand from the employers for their many operations and will continue to do so until the demand levels off.

Delegates Dunn and O'Connor reported that their Local is very busy and working plenty of overtime . . . large industrial operations, which include an exceptionally large job at the Monsanto Chemical Company. Present rate of $1.92½ and agreement expires on March 10, 1948.

Delegates were instructed to contact emergency men employed on permit for several years by the Local in regard to procuring an application and give them a time limit on coming into the Local.

On question raised as to a veteran improver applicant, who was an exceptionally good worker and over 31 years old, being given membership, President Mullaney stated under no circumstances would he be acceptable and that 31 years old was the deadline.

General discussion then took place, mostly on the Taft-Hartley Bill, on which President Mullaney and Secretary Sickles advised as to procedure and that the General Office would keep all Locals up-to-date on matters that come up in Washington concerning same.

With no further business to come before the Conference, meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN W. HOFF,
Secretary.

SOUTHEAST STATES

Chicago, Ill.,
September 17, 1947.

The regular meeting of the Southeast States Conference of Asbestos Workers was held on the above date at the Palmer House, Chicago, Ill., being called to order by President William Howell at 2 p. m.

The following delegates answered roll call: Local No. 48, Atlanta, Ga., Business Agent H. M. Hoffman and Secretary F. E. Gorman; Local No. 72, Greensboro, N. C., Business Agent E. C. Walters and Secretary B. H. Summers; Local No. 78, Birmingham, Ala., Business Agent William Howell and President James O. Goff; Local No. 86, Nashville, Tenn., Business Agent R. G. Oglesby; Local No. 90, Memphis, Tenn., Business Agent F. S. Finley and Recording Secretary C. L. Moore.

International President Joseph A. Mullaney and International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles were also in attendance.

Minutes of last meeting were approved.

Reports of delegates:

Delegates H. M. Hoffman and F. E. Gorman, of Local No. 48, reported conditions excellent and prospects for future work very good. Several large power plants in the near future and a paper plant now about ready to start. New wage rate January 1, 1948, provides $1 per day increase for mechanics and improvers.

Delegates E. C. Walters and B. H. Summers, of Local No. 72, reported that all members are working, together with about 25 travelers, and need more. Future looks very bright. A new wage rate increase in the near future.

Delegates William Howell and James O. Goff, of Local No. 78, reported work picking up. They enumerated several large operations including a large paper plant near Birmingham. January 1, 1948, new wage rate $1.90 per hour.

Delegate Robert G. Oglesby, of Local No. 86, reported part of membership working on traveling card at present.

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Future outlook very bright. A wage rate increase expected within the next two or three months.

Delegates F. S. Finley and Charles Moore, of Local No. 90, reported work fair, all members busy and some travelers at work. Prospects for future very good—also expect to have a wage increase very soon.

A discussion was held and the delegates went on record to support our Conference president, William Howell, for International Vice President.

International President Joseph A. Mullaney advised on a number of questions; also as to what to do in emergency when our Locals cannot supply enough of our membership—that, is contact the Veterans Administration for veterans to be employed on fourth-year improver rates. These men are to apply material so long as the emergency lasts and to take them into the Local if the emergency lasts for a period of time justifying same.

The convention was thoroughly enjoyed by all the delegates and their wives. They wish to express their thanks to the Chicago Local and employers.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn at 3 p. m.

Respectfully submitted.
H. M. HOFFMAN.
Secretary.

MIDWEST STATES

Chicago, Ill.,
September 17, 1947.

The regular semi-annual meeting of the Midwest States Conference of Asbestos Workers was held at the Palmer House, Chicago, Ill., September 17, 1947. The meeting was called to order at 12.30 p. m. by Vice President Verne Striker, the following delegates responding to roll call:

Local No. 34, Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn., Lee Anthony and C. Skoglund; Local No. 39, Omaha, Nebr., Wm. J. Ryan and R. W. Treiber; Local No. 57, Sioux City, Iowa, Pete B. Morgan; Local No. 74, Des Moines, Iowa, R. E. Peterson; Local No. 81, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Verne D. Striker.

International President Joseph A. Mullaney and International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles were also in attendance.

Visitors present were Business Agent Jack Tuttle, Local No. 28, Denver, Colo., and President Howard A. Cook, Local No. 15, Wichita, Kans.

A motion was made and seconded that reading of the minutes of last meeting be dispensed with. Motion carried.

All delegates reported that work is very good and that they could use more mechanics.

International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles advised all Conference delegates to obey the Taft-Hartley Law.

Meeting recessed for lunch until 2.30 p. m., September 18, 1947.

Meeting was called to order at 2.30 p. m., September 18, 1947, by Vice President Verne D. Striker, all delegates responding to roll call.

Affiliated Locals not represented: Local No. 49, Duluth, Minn.

Visitors present were: Jack Tuttle, Local No. 28, Denver, Colo., and Howard A. Cook, Local No. 15, Wichita, Kans.

Bills were read and upon motion were ordered paid.

Election of officers: Verne D. Striker was elected president by acclamation; Wm. J. Ryan, secretary-treasurer by acclamation; Lee Anthony, Pete B. Morgan, R. E. Peterson and Thos. Thorstensen were elected vice presidents.

An invitation to hold the next Conference meeting at Omaha, Nebr., was accepted, the date to be set by the president.

All delegates expressed their appreciation of the many courtesies shown them by Brother Hugh E. Mulligan, Chairman of the Arrangement Committee, Local No. 17, and the Master Insulators Association of Chicago.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned until March, 1948.

Respectfully submitted,
WM. J. RYAN,
Secretary-Treasurer.

SOUTHWEST STATES

Chicago, Ill.,
September 14, 1947.

The regular meeting of the Southwest States Conference of Asbestos Workers was held at the Palmer House in Chicago, Ill., September 14, 1947. The meeting was called to order at 2 p. m., by President Hullinghorst, the following delegates in attendance:

Local No. 21, Dallas, Ft. Worth, Tex., and Shreveport, La., N. L. Stilwell and E. P. Holley; Local No. 22, Houston, Beaumont, Port Arthur, Galveston, Tex., L. M. Robertson and A. R. Clements; Local No. 53, New Orleans, Baton Rouge, La., and Jackson, Miss., A. L. Hullinghorst and J. J. Trainor; Local No. 55, Mobile, Ala., and Pascagoula, Miss., International Supervisor A. L. Hullinghorst; Local No. 64, Tulsa, Okla., George Majors; Local No. 66, Amarillo and Borger, Tex., T. C. Donnell; Local No. 76, Albuquerque, N. Mex., B. H. Green; Local No. 87, San Antonio, Austin and Corpus Christi, Tex., Sim E. Tyler and G. M. Hatfield; Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, Okla., J. W. Flinsbaugh.

International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles was also in attendance.

Attending as visitors were: Brothers W. A. Jackson, of Local No. 21, and T. L. Smith, of Local No. 22.

Local No. 10 was not represented.

Delegate Stilwell, Local No. 21, Dallas, Ft. Worth, Tex., and Shreveport, La., reported that they have signed new agreement for one year with new wage scale of $2 per hour starting January 1, 1948, that all members are working, with 50 "emergency asbestos workers" employed, and that the future looks very good through 1948.

Delegate Robertson, Local No. 22, Houston, Beaumont, Port Arthur, Galveston, Tex., reported 50 "emergency asbestos workers" employed and that they need all the travelers they can get. Work is good and will be through 1948.

He further reported that they had agreed with the contractors to renegotiate agreements on overtime and also room and board allowance for Freeport, Tex., and Lake Charles, La.

Delegate Hullinghorst, Local No. 53, New Orleans, Baton Rouge, La., and Jackson, Miss., reported all members busy, 41 travelers and 18 "emergency asbestos workers" employed, with several big jobs to break soon.

Delegate Hullinghorst further reported the signing of a new agreement with the rate of $2 per hour to become effective on January 1, 1948.

International Supervisor Hullinghorst, reporting for Local No. 55, Mobile, Ala., and Pascagoula, Miss., stated that he has 50 "emergency asbestos workers" employed on the Pascagoula job, that work is slack in Mobile at the present but the future looks very bright.

He further reported the signing of a new agreement, with the rate of $1.87½ per hour becoming affective January 1, 1948.

Delegate Majors, Local No. 64, Tulsa, Okla., reported several travelers at work, but no "emergency asbestos workers" employed. Work looks good for the future.

Delegate Majors further reported the signing of a new agreement, with the rate of $2 per hour becoming effective January 1, 1948.

Delegate Donnell Local No. 66, Amarillo and Borger, Tex., reported that they have mostly small jobs at present, with 5 travelers and 4 "emergency asbestos workers" employed. Work will be very good through 1948.

Delegate Green, Local No. 76, Albuquerque, N. Mex., reported all members working with 10 travelers and 16 "emergency asbestos workers" em-

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ployed. Future looks good for 1948.

He further reported the signing of a new agreement with wage rate of $1.87½ per hour effective January 1, 1948.

Delegate Tyler, Local No. 87, San Antonio and Corpus Christi, Tex., reported new agreement negotiated with wage scale of $2 per hour effective January 1, 1948. He further reported 15 "emergency asbestos workers" and 15 travelers employed, with work looking good for the future—through 1948.

Delegate Flinsbaugh, Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, Okla., reported 6 travelers working in the territory. Future looks good through 1948.

International Secretary-Treasurer Sickles spoke briefly to the Conference concerning the Taft-Hartley law.

Conference Secretary-Treasurer Majors reported $736.42 in the bank and three $1.000 War Bonds.

The Conference as a whole wish to thank Brother Hugh Mulligan for the hospitality extended us while in the city of Chicago attending the Seventeenth Convention of our International.

San Antonio, Tex., was selected as the next Conference city, subject to call by the President.

With no further business to come before the Conference, meeting adjourned at 4.30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE MAJORS,
Secretary.

NEW YORK STATE

Chicago, Ill.,
September 18, 1947.

The regular quarterly meeting of the New York State Conference of Asbestos Workers was held September 18, 1947, at the Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

The meeting was called to order at 11.00 a. m. President P. J. McCormick presided.

The following members responded to the roll call:

George Rider, Local No. 12; Patrick O'Connor, Local No. 12; A. Forton, Local No. 4; Gus Cook, Local No. 26; P. J. McCormick, Local No. 30; Frank Brown, Local No. 91; John C. Fallon, Local No. 40.

International President Joseph A. Mullaney and Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles were also in attendance.

Reading of minutes of previous meeting were dispensed with.

Credentials—Credential of Brother Gus Cook, Local No. 26, Rochester, N. Y., was presented. A motion was made and seconded that the delegate be seated. Motion carried.

Reports of affiliated Locals—Delegate Forton, of Local No. 4, Buffalo, N. Y., stated that conditions have not changed since our last meeting and prospects for the future are excellent. He also stated that he needed additional men.

Delegate O'Connor, Local No. 12, New York City, stated they are very busy at the present time and the future looks favorable. He stated that Local No. 12 recently signed a new agreement at $2.75 per hour, seven-hour day.

Delegate Cook of Local No. 26, Rochester, N. Y., stated that they are very busy at the present time and need men badly. He also stated that there are several large jobs in operation and the future looks very favorable.

Delegate McCormick, Local No. 30, Syracuse, N. Y., stated that they are very busy and need mechanics.

Delegate Fallon, of Local No. 40, Albany, N. Y., stated that work is plentiful and can use extra mechanics.

Delegate Brown, of Local No. 91, White Plains, N. Y., stated that all men are working and prospects for future work are excellent. He stated that he could use a few extra men.

Good and Welfare—Delegate O'Connor stated that Local No. 12 has started a pension system whereby all their incapacitated members will receive a small pension.

International President Mullaney spoke in detail on matters pertaining to our craft throughout the country. He also advised the delegates on procedure on matters pertaining to their individual Locals.

There being no further business a motion was made and seconded to adjourn at 1.15 p. m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN C. FALLON,
Secretary.

In Memoriam

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

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Office—1280 West 3rd St. Zone 13. Cherry 5086.
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President—Charles C. Rice, 703 Grant St. Li. 4143.
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Office—38 Causeway St. Zone 14. Capital 2964.
President—Richard E. Lindstrom, 118 Almont St., Mattapan, Mass. Blue Hills 0459.
Financial Secretary—John W. Hoff, 211 Spring St., Medford 55, Mass. Mystic 4759.
Business Agent—John W. Hoff, 211 Spring St., Medford 55, Mass. Mystic 4759.

No. 7—SEATTLE, WASH.—Meets 1st and 3rd Fridays at 1st Ave. and Clay St.
President—Gust Selander, 4010 Cascadia Ave. Zone 8. Rainier 1489.
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Business Agent—Miles C. Dodds, 304 West 74th St. Sunset 8594.

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President—Fred Buldt, 6402 Stover Ave., Zone 12. Mel. 8872.
Financial Secretary—Al Kaiser, 462 Purcell Avenue, Price Hill. Gr. 4681.
Business Agent—John Meyers, 4411 Colerain Ave. Zone 23. Kirby 8345.

No. 9—NORFOLK, VA., NAVY YARD—Meets 3rd Friday at Labor Temple, County and Middle Sts., Portsmouth, Va.
President—Russell A. Dennis, 3 Treakle Terrace, Portsmouth, Va. Phone: 5039-W.
Financial Secretary—Hayes L. Whiddon, 216 Old Street, Portsmouth, Va. Phone: 3181-M.
Business Agent—Hayes L. Whiddon, 216 Old St., Portsmouth, Va. Phone: 3181-M.

No. 10—LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—Meets 1st Wednesday, at Labor Temple, Markham and Cross Sts., at 7:30 p. m.
President—J. L. Cantrell, 3719 West 6th Street. Phone: 3-6942.
Financial Secretary—John E. Byers, Rt. 4, Box 366-D, Pine Bluff, Ark. Phone: 5744-J-1.
Business Agent—John E. Byers, Rt. 4, Box 366-D, Pine Bluff, Ark. Phone 5744-J-1.

No. 11—BALTIMORE, MD.—Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at Workmans Hall, 2500 East Madison Street.
President—John Ball, Edgewater Avenue, Box 562. Zone 12. Riverside 1775.
Financial Secretary—S. A. Mohsberg, Jr., 1 Northland Road. Zone 7. Woodlawn 547.
Business Agent—Edward McGann, 1643 Gorsuch Ave., Zone 18, University 2592.

No. 12—NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—Meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays at 305 East 23rd Street.
Office—305 East 23rd Street. Zone 10. Lexington 2-8461.
President—George Rider, 84-14 54th Ave. Elmhurst, L. I., N. Y. HAvemeyer 4-0378.
Financial Secretary—Jos. Flynn, 305 East 23rd Street. Zone 10. Lexington 2-8461.
Business Agent—Patrick O'Connor, 82-44 84th Street, Long Island City, N. Y. Ravenswood 8-3640.
Business Agent—Samuel Pinyuh, 113 63rd Street, West New York, N. J. Union 5-3527.

No. 13—JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—Meets 2nd Monday of each month at 8 p. m., Labor Temple, 808 Main Street.
President—L. A. Barsh, 230 W. 7th St. Zone 6. Phone 5-5101-W.
Financial Secretary—R. C. White, 1540-A Ionia St. Zone 6. Phone 3-0258-M.
Business Agent—Walter E. Heape, 120 Andrews St. Phone: 2-5634.

No. 14—PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Meets 1st Wednesday at 1807 Spring Garden St. Zone 30.
Office—1807 Spring Garden St. Open daily. Locust 7-6886.
President—Chas. Trout, R. F. D. No. 1, Berlin, N. J.
Financial Secretary—Wm. Scout, 305 Haddon Ave., Westmont, N. J.
Business Agent—Joseph W. Hunter, 131 Maplewood Ave., Willow Grove, Pa. Willow Grove 0869.

No. 15—WICHITA, KANS.—Meets 1st Monday at Labor Temple, 417 E. English St.
President—Roy H. Hanchett, 2241 Santa Fe St
Financial Secretary—Howard A. Cook, 203 South Poplar St. Phone 3-3200.
Business Agent—Howard A. Cook, 203 South Poplar St. Phone 3-3200.

No. 16—SAN FRANCISCO AND SACRAMENTO, CALIF.—Meets 2nd and 4th Monday at Building Trades Temple 14th and Guerrero Sts.
President—Earl Rozar, 1734 29th Ave., San Francisco, Calif. Overland 0274.
Financial Secretary—Edward A. Dwyer, 1442 22nd Ave., San Francisco 22, Calif. Ov. 4455.
Business Agent—Edward A. Dwyer, 200 Guerrero St., Building Trades Temple, San Francisco 3, Calif. Market 1806.

No. 17—CHICAGO, ILL.—Meets 1st Thursday at Engineering Bldg., 205 West Wacker Drive. Zone 6.
Office—Room 922, Engineering Bldg., 205 West Wacker Drive. Dearborn 3631. Zone 6.
President—Al Burns, 8754 Harper Ave. Regent 1173.
Financial Secretary—Arthur G. Anderson, Room 922 Engineering Bldg., 205 West Wacker Dr.
Business Agent—Hugh E. Mulligan, 1120 N Linden Ave., Oak Park, Ill. Village 8992.

No. 18—INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Meets 4th Friday at I. O. O. F. Building, corner of Hamilton and East Washington Streets
President—William F. Feier, 722 Bates St., Indianapolis, Ind
Financial Secretary—Robert Alford, Church Street, Fortville, Ind.
Business Agent—Robert J. Scott, 946 North Highland Street. Cherry 0187.

No. 19—MILWAUKEE, MANITOWOC, MADISON, APPLETON, AND WAUSAU, WIS.—Meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 2317 N. Teutonia Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.
President—John Knaun, 3525 N. 21st St., Milwaukee 6, Wis. Hopkins 6016-W
Financial Secretary—Wm. J. Lutz, 6050 N Green Bay Ave., Milwaukee 9, Wis. Locust 3769.
Business Agent—Henry C. Hess, 5923 W. Park Hill Avenue, Milwaukee 13, Wisconsin. Greenfield 3046.

No. 20—TERMINAL ISLAND, CALIF., NAVY YARD—
President—Thurman G. Wade, 347 Truman Boyd Manor, Long Beach 6, Calif.
Financial Secretary—Webster F. Ay, 2184 W. 20th Street, Long Beach 6, Calif. Phone: 658-485.

No. 21—DALLAS, FORT WORTH, TEXAS, AND SHREVEPORT, LA.—Meets 4th Tuesday at Labor Temple, 1727 Young St., Dallas 1, Texas, at 7:30 p. m.
Office—1727 Young Street, Dallas 1, Texas. Riverside 6844.
President—Ernest Brown, Rt. 6, Box 308-C, Dallas, Texas.
Financial Secretary—N. L. Stilwell, 3518 Travis St., Dallas, Texas. Tennison 3-5609.
Business Agent—N. L. Stilwell, 3518 Travis St., Dallas, Texas. Tennison 3-5609.

No. 22—HOUSTON, BEAUMONT, PORT ARTHUR, GALVESTON, TEXAS—Meets 3rd Friday at 2309 Austin Street, Houston, Texas, at 8:30 p. m.
Office—2320 La Branch St., Houston 4, Texas. Charter 4-4880.
President—Jule Guidry, 3348 42nd Street, Port Arthur, Texas. Phone: 6590.
Financial Secretary—L. M. Robertson. Rt. 2, Box 467, Houston, Texas. Phone: Humble, Texas, 4F3.
Business Agent—L. M. Robertson, Rt. 2, Box 467, Houston, Texas. Phone: Humble, Texas, 4F3.

No. 23—BOISE, IDAHO—Meets 3rd Friday at Boise Labor Temple, 613 Idaho Street, at 7:30 p. m.
President—Roy T. Smith, Box 337, Emmett, Idaho.
Financial Secretary—C. E. Lloyd, Box 337, Emmett, Idaho.
Business Agent—Roy T. Smith, Box 337, Emmett, Idaho.

No. 24—WASHINGTON, D. C.—Meets 2nd Monday at Pythian Temple, 1012 9th St., N. W.
Office—(Open 9 a. m. to 12 noon.) Room 403, 600 F St., N. W. Zone 4. Na. 0158.
President—Ernest Trammell, 3579 13th St., N. W. Hobart 2341.
Financial Secretary—N. L. Hoyle, 4616 4th Street, N. W. Zone 11. Randolph 4255
Business Agent—N. L. Hoyle, 4616 4th Street, N. W. Zone 11. Randolph 4255.

No. 25—DETROIT, MICH.—Meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays at Danish Brotherhood Temple, 12th St. and Forrest Ave.
President—Edward Montie, 4109 Fairview Avenue. Zone 14. Lenox 2763.
Financial Secretary—W. Ashton, 4430 Gibson St. Zone 1. Te. 2-6945.
Business Agent—Malcolm Detlefs, 5347 Joy Road. Zone 4. Hogarth 7177.

No. 27—ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Meets 2nd and 4th Fridays at 118 N. Fitzhugh St.
President—Rudy E. Haidle, 2270 Norton St., Culver 4350-J.
Financial Secretary—Kenneth Tennity, 15 Quincy St. Zone 9. Culver 4382-J.
Business Agent—Gus Cook, 40 Walzer Road. Culver 5367-M.

No. 27—KANSAS CITY, MO.—Meets 2nd and 4th Mondays at 101 East Armour Blvd.
Office—101 East Armour Blvd. Zone 2. 8:00 to 11:00 a. m. Westport 9550.
President—J. C. Whittaker, 215 S. Jackson St. Be. 6693
Financial Secretary—August Brown, 1863 N. 32nd St., Kansas City, Kans. Fairfax 5132.
Business Agent—J. H. Thompson, 6622 Prospect St. Hi 9525.

No. 28—DENVER, COLO.—Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at Odd Fellows Temple, 1751 Champa St.
President—John R. Wathen, 617 Gaylord St. East 8182.
Financial Secretary—Harold Tuttle, 1320 Fox St. Zone 4. Keystone 0857.
Business Agent—Jack Tuttle, 868 South High St. Spruce 9180.

No. 29—SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF., NAVAL SHIPYARD Meets 3rd Friday, at 17 Raymond St., San Francisco, Calif
President—Fred E Strickland, 165 Cook St.
Financial Secretary—Orie E. Malone, 238 Grattan St. Zone 17.

No. 30—SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Meets 1st Friday, 8 p. m., at Labor Temple, 3009 S. Franklin St.
President—Charles J. Callahan, 334 Hillview Ave. Phone: 5-3766.
Financial Secretary—Paul J. McCormick, 125 Peck Ave. Phone: 5-6998.
Business Agent—Paul J. McCormick, 125 Peck Ave. Phone: 5-6998.

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No. 31—PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Meets 3rd Friday, 8 p. m., at Carpenters' Hall, 85 Broadway.
President—Carl Larson, 55 Circuit Drive, Riverside, R. I. East Providence 788.
Financial Secretary—George Olson, 282 Pawtucket Ave., Rumford 16, R. I. East Providence 2757-W.
Business Agent—Ernest S. Carlson, 29 Woodward Ave., 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.
Office—(Open 8 to 10:30 a. m.) 56 19th Ave. and 17th St., Newark 3, N. J. Essex 2-4737.
President—Louis H. Reiss, 13 Marion Ave., Newark, N. J. Essex 3-4575.
Financial Secretary—Terence McConnell, 53 N. 7th St., Newark 7, N. J.
Business Agent—James A. Roche, 322 Ellery Ave., Newark 5, N. J. Essex 3-8311.

No. 33—CONNECTICUT—Meets 1st Friday at Hotel and Restaurant Employes Hall, 72½ East Main St., Meriden, Conn.
President—Charles Soelch, 496 Main St., Rocky Hill, Conn. Hartford 9-2501.
Financial Secretary—John A. Gaspic, 59 Grandview Terrace, Wethersfield, Conn. Zone 9. Hartford 9-1839.
Business Agent—Lance Gaspic, 288 Hillside Ave., Hartford, Conn. Hartford 5-5077.

No. 34—MINNEAPOLIS AND ST. PAUL, MINN.—Meets 2nd Wednesday at 117 Fourth St., S. E., Minneapolis, Minn.
President—Walter Owens, 2531 Washington Ave., N. E., Minneapolis, Minn. Granville 8300.
Financial Secretary—Lee Anthony, 3906 Tyler St., N. E., Minneapolis 13, Minn. Gr. 1878.
Business Agent—Lee Anthony, 3906 Tyler St., N. E., Minneapolis 13, Minn. Gr. 1878.

No. 35—YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO—Meets 3rd Friday at 1742 Market St.
President—Joseph F. Meredith, Sr., 762 McClurg Rd. Phone 24790.
Financial Secretary—Albert McIntire, 242 Como Ave., Struthers, Ohio. Phone: 53898
Business Agent—Albert McIntire, 242 Como Ave., Struthers, Ohio. Phone: 53898.

No. 36—PORTLAND, OREG.—Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at Labor Temple.
President—O. Van Blaricum, 3414 S. E. 52nd Ave.
Financial Secretary—A. D. Evans, 1610 N. W. Marshall St. La. 6946.
Business Agent—A. D. Evans, 1610 N. W. Marshall St. La. 6946.

No. 37—EVANSVILLE, IND.—Meets 2nd Friday at Central Labor Union Building, 210 N. Fulton Ave., 7 p. m.
President—Robert W. Vaught, Elberfeld, Ind.
Financial Secretary—Jesse W. Conkwright, 202 Oakley St. Phone 9986.
Business Agent—Robert W. Procaskey, 719 S. Englewood Ave. Zone 14. Phone: 3-1695.

No. 38—WILKES-BARRE AND SCRANTON, PA.—Meets 4th Sunday at Carpenters' Hall, 41 East Market St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
President—William Linker, 456 North Washington St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
Financial Secretary—H. C. Bressler, 59 Eley St., Kingston, Pa. Phone: 74780.
Business Agent—

No. 39—OMAHA, NEBR.—Meets 1st Friday at Labor Temple, 19th and Davenport St.
President—Harlan Marr, 1802 Lathrop St. Jackson 7861.
Financial Secretary—Roy R. Russell, 3116 North 47th Ave. Zone 3 Wal. 1562.
Business Agent—William J. Ryan, 2894 California St., Harney 2893.

No. 40—ALBANY, N. Y.—Meets 1st Friday at Labor Temple.
President—Roy Van Alstyne, 792 Park Ave. Zone 3. Phone: 2-4754.
Financial Secretary—John C. Fallon, RFD No. 1, Voorheesville, N. Y. Albany 8-4441
Business Agent—John C. Fallon, RFD No. 1, Voorheesville, N. Y. Albany 8-4441.

No. 41—FORT WAYNE, IND.—Meets 1st Friday at 213½ W. Main St.
President—Delmar Baker, RFD No. 1, Churubusco, Ind. Phone: 3269.
Financial Secretary—F. J. Fleck, 2118 Pleasant Ave. Zone 3. Anthony 49178.
Business Agent—Marvin Bennett, 1342 E. Lewis St. Eastbrook 4-0812.

No. 42—WILMINGTON, DEL.—Meets 2nd Monday at Christopher Columbus Italian-American Benevolent Society, 805 Walnut St.
President—Harry E. Mahan, 8th & West Ave., Holloway Terrace, New Castle, Del. Wilm. 43400.
Financial Secretary—Edwin W. Carter, 118 Laurel Lane, Forest Brook Glen. Zone 17.
Business Agent—Arvid Johnson, 211 Jefferson Ave., Wilmington Manor, New Castle, Del. New Castle 6930.

No. 43—SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—Meets 3rd Friday at Central Labor Hall, 25 Sanford St.
President—P. J. O'Connor, 18 Warrenton St. Phone 2-1923
Financial Secretary—James J. Dunn, 395 Wilbraham Rd. Zone 2. Phone: 3-4688.
Business Agent—James J. Dunn, 395 Wilbraham Rd. Zone 2. Phone: 3-4688.

No. 44—COLUMBUS, OHIO—Meets 1st Friday at Carpenters' Hall, 288 East Rich St.
President—William A. Davis, 1159 Stelzer Rd. Zone 3. Douglas 1300.
Financial Secretary—Howard Ratcliff, Box 28, Reynoldsburg, Ohio. Fr. 4-6688.
Business Agent—Howard Ratcliff, Box 28, Reynoldsburg, Ohio. Fr. 4-6688.

No. 45—TOLEDO, OHIO—Meets 4th Friday at Labor Temple, Adams at 10th St.
President—Frank Zaborski, 1026 Huron St. Adams 3377.
Financial Secretary—E. H. Hackman, RFD No. 1, Rauch Rd., Temperance, Mich. Samaria 3381.
Business Agent—Robert J. Harter, 1845 Krieger Dr. Zone 7. Jordan 4280.

No. 46—KNOXVILLE, TENN.—Meets 1st and 3rd Fridays at Labor Temple.
President—Hogan Byrd, Rt. No. 2, Sweetwater, Tenn.
Financial Secretary—John R. Woody, Rt. No. 4, Johnson City, Tenn. Phone 2419-L.
Business Agent—H. W. Woody, Rt. No. 3, Johnson City, Tenn. Phone 1778-R.

No. 47—GRAND RAPIDS, LANSING, JACKSON, KALAMAZOO AND SAGINAW, MICH.—Meets 2nd Friday at Lansing Labor Temple, 135 N. Cedar St.
President—Virgil P. Fisher, Box 94, Haslet, Mich. Lansing 8-7432.
Financial Secretary—Lawrence Brimmer, Box No. 74, Baldwin, Mich. Phone: 127.
Business Agent—H. R. Ritzema, R. R. No. 1, Fennville, Mich. Phone: 2-5729.

No. 48—ATLANTA, GA.—Meets 1st Sunday at Labor Temple, 2 p. m.
President—T. E. Hagler, 767 Hill St., S. E. Wa. 5832.
Financial Secretary—F. E. Gorman, 1472 Mozley Pl., S. W.
Business Agent—H. M. Hoffman, 1608 Woodbine Ave., S. E. Dearborn 4595.

No. 49—DULUTH, MINN.—Meets 2nd Friday at Labor Temple, 220 W. 1st St.
President—Thomas Thorstensen, 901 W. 9th St. Zone 6. Melrose 3876.
Financial Secretary—Erik W. Judeen, 1302 W. 1st St. Zone 2. Melrose 1999.
Business Agent—Thomas Thorstensen, 901 W. 9th St. Zone 6. Melrose 3876.

No. 50—TACOMA, WASH.—Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays at Labor Temple, 15th and Market St.
President—Ralph O. Ottren, 2611 So. 14th St. Br. 2986
Financial Secretary—H. T. Curlette, 416 No. C St. Zone 3. Ma. 4345.
Business Agent—C. E. Carr, Room 226, Labor Temple. Zone 3. Ma. 1166

No. 51—LOUISVILLE, KY.—Meets 2nd and 4th Fridays at Cherokee Redmen Hall, S. W. corner 17th and Main Sts.
President—Marvin E. Rice, 2008 Murray St. Highland 6152-R.
Financial Secretary—W. L. Dreher, R. R. No. 3, Georgetown, Ind. Phone: 70-06.
Business Agent—A. F. Maddux, 1025 Cecil Ave. Zone 12. Shawnee 1421-J.

No. 52—OAK RIDGE, TENN. (Clinton Engineer Works Maintenance only)—Meets 2nd Friday at A. F. of L. Hall in Gamble Valley.
President—W. O. Evans, 208 Iroquis Rd.
Financial Secretary—W. H. Haun, 564 W. Outer Dr.
Business Agent—G. E. Burris, 139 Wayside Rd.

No. 53—NEW ORLEANS AND BATON ROUGE, LA., AND JACKSON, MISS.—Meets 2nd Sundays at B. K. of A. Hall, 8 p. m., 627 North St.
President—J. J. Trainor, 1015 Richard St., New Orleans 18, La.
Financial Secretary—A. L. Hullinghorst, 1722 Gentilly Rd., New Orleans 19, La. Crescent 3135.
Business Agent—A. L. Hullinghorst, 1722 Gentilly Rd., New Orleans 19, La. Crescent 3135.

No. 54—LAWRENCEBURG, IND. (Distillery Plant Workers only)—Meets 2nd Friday at 238 Walnut St.
President—Cletus Engler, 111 3rd St.
Financial Secretary—Harvey Cook, 201 4th St.
Business Agent—Cletus Engler, 111 3rd St.

No. 55—MOBILE, ALA., AND PASCAGOULA, MISS.—Local under International supervision. Address all correspondence to A. L. Hullinghorst, 1722 Gentilly Rd., New Orleans 19, La. Crescent 3135.

No. 56—WOOD RIVER, ILL. (Oil Refinery only)—Meets 4th Friday at Central Labor Union Headquarters.
President—Elza F. White, 278 13th St., Wood River, Ill.
Financial Secretary—J. L. Hurtt, 128 Adams Ave., Ferguson, Mo. Victor 7-1032.
Business Agent—Frank Weese, 128 East Acton St. Wood River 4-5845.

No. 57—SIOUX CITY, IOWA—Meets last Saturday at 809½ West 7th St., Room No. 1.
President—W. R. Axemaker, 1200 Plymouth St. Phone: 55962.
Financial Secretary—Gordon Mason, 2121 St. Lemon St. Zone 20. Phone: 67264.
Business Agent—Merlin C. Tobey, 103 Bluff St. Phone: 56147.

No. 58—GREAT FALLS, MONT.—Meets 2nd and last Tuesdays at 521½ 6th Ave. So.
President—
Financial Secretary—Axel L. Johnson, 521½ 6th Ave. So.
Business Agent—

No. 59—PORT ARTHUR AND FORT WILLIAM, ONTARIO, CANADA—Meets every 4th Wednesday in Wilson Street Hall, Port Arthur, Ontario.
President—George Andrusyk, 297 Park St., Port Arthur, Ontario.

No. 60—MIAMI, FLA.—Meets 2nd Thursday at Labor Temple, 925 N. E. 1st Ave.
President—James Gailey, Willard Hotel, 124 N. E 14th St.
Financial Secretary—Thomas M. Washington. 2225 N. W. 34th St.
Business Agent—Martin Fernander, 2225 N. W. 34th St. Phone: 26092.

No. 61—CHARLOTTE, N. C.—Meets 2nd and 4th Saturdays at Central Labor Union Hall, 312½ N. Tyron St.
President—George L. Stegall, 2137 West Trade St. Phone: 24914.
Financial Secretary—C. M. Sloop, 1608 Sumter Ave. Zone 2. Phone: 2-4293.
Business Agent—C. M. Sloop, 1608 Sumter Ave. Zone 2. Phone: 2-4293.

No. 62—PUGET SOUND NAVAL SHIPYARD, BREMERTON, WASH.—Meets 1st Thursday at Labor Temple, 850 Burwell St.
President—Arthur Eastman, Rt. No. 1, Box 3. Port Orchard, Wash.
Financial Secretary—Charles H. Downey, Rt. 6, Box 3194.
Business Agent—Harry L. Heaton, 123 Russell Rd., Apt. A. Phone: 4844-W.

No. 63—SPRINGFIELD, MO.—Meets 1st Saturday at the Pythian Castle Hall. 1126 Boonville.
President—Wm. H. McCroskey, 1005 North Clay Ave.
Financial Secretary—Walter Brandon, 1005 North Clay Ave Phone: 3-3580.
Business Agent Walter Brandon, 1005 North Clay Ave. Phone: 3-3580.

No. 64—TULSA, OKLA.—Meets 1st Sunday at Carpenters' Hall.
President—C. A. Browning, 815 S. Wheeling St. Phone: 2-7405.
Financial Secretary—George Majors, P. O. Box 1961. Phone: 6-3385.
Business Agent—Fred Barton, Box 566, Sperry, Okla. Phone: 45.

No. 65—YORK, PA.—Meets 2nd Friday at Labor Temple.
President—James E. Potts, 48 Broad St.

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Business Agent—Ralph E. Kuntz, Hellam R. D. No. 1, York County, Pa. Phone: 36137.

No. 66—AMARILLO AND BORGER, TEX.—Meets 1st and 3rd Sundays at Carpenters' Hall, Borger, Tex., at 10 a. m.
President—Jack A. Nance, 308 Jackson St., P. O. Box 611, Borger, Tex.
Financial Secretary—T. C. Donnell, P. O. Box 774, 819 N. Harvey St., Borger, Tex. Phone: 1331-J.
Business Agent—T. C. Donnell, P. O. Box 774, 819 N. Harvey St., Borger, Tex. Phone: 1331-J.

No. 67—TAMPA, FLA.—Meets 2nd Saturday at 2 p. m., at 1211 Tampa St.
President—H. L. Pierce, 3004 Mitchell St. M59-581.
Financial Secretary—Scott Thompson, 1505 East Giddens Ave.
Business Agent—

No. 68—CHARLESTON, S. C., NAVY YARD—Meets 2nd Sunday at 668 Society St., at 10:30 a. m.
President—L. M. Beyer, 105 A Ben Tillman Homes, Naval Base 53, S. C.
Financial Secretary—Wallace Crawford, Highland Park, Route No. 2, Box 79, Naval Base, S. C. Charleston 6450.
Business Agent—L. M. Beyer, 105 A Ben Tillman Homes, Naval Base 53, S. C.

No. 69—SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH—Meets 2nd Tuesday, at Labor Temple, 161 South 2nd St., East.
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Financial Secretary—C. G. Walters, 2160 S. 6th St., East. Zone 5. Phone: 6-8315.
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No. 70—MARE ISLAND NAVAL SHIPYARD, VALLEJO, CALIF.—Meets 4th Monday at Labor Temple.
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No. 71—ALLENTOWN, PA.—Local under International supervision. Address all correspondence to Vice President Joseph W Hunter, 1807 Spring Garden St., Philadelphia 30, Pa. Bell phone: Popular 4319.

No. 72—GREENSBORO, N. C.—Meets 1st Saturday at Labor Hall, Sycamore St., 7:30 p. m
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No. 73—PHOENIX, ARIZ.—Meetings to be held 2nd Sunday, Labor Temple, 1637 West Jefferson St.
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No. 74—DES MOINES, IOWA—Meets last Tuesday at Labor Temple, 1220½ Grand Ave.
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Business Agent—E. J. Filley, 226 N. St. Peter St Zone 17. Phone 4-2508

No. 76—ALBUQUERQUE, N. MEX.—Meets last Sunday at Carpenters' Hall.
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Financial Secretary—H. V. Green, 515 N. 13th St.
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No. 77—CHARLESTON, S. C. (Except Navy Yard)—Meets 1st Sunday, 10 a. m., at 68 Society St
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Business Agent—R. M. King, 12 Parkwood Ave. Zone 19. Phone: 2-1390.

No. 78—BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Meets 3rd Sunday at the United Temple, 1809½ 4th Ave. North.
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Business Agent—William Howell, 1004 8th Court, South. Zone 5. Phone: 7-5000.

No. 79—DAYTON, OHIO—Meets 1st Thursday at Labor Temple, 5th and Ludlow Sts., Room 22.
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Financial Secretary—Raymond F. Yount, R. R. No. 4, Box 226-A.
Business Agent—Lloyd E. Yount, 355 Mia Ave. Zone 7. Melrose 1044.

No. 80—CHARLESTON AND HUNTINGTON, W. VA.—Meets 2nd Tuesday at 606 Tennessee Ave., Charleston, W. Va.
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No. 81—CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA—Meets last Saturday at Labor Temple, 90 1st Ave., N. E.
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Business Agent—William Hornburger, Sr., 209 Tomlin Ave. Phone 4-4267.

No 86—NASHVILLE, TENN.—Meets 1st Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., at Labor Temple.
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No. 89—TRENTON, N. J.—Meets 3rd Monday at Hiel's Hall, corner Whitaker and Beatty Sts.
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No. 90—MEMPHIS, TENN.—Meets 1st and 3rd Fridays at Labor Temple.
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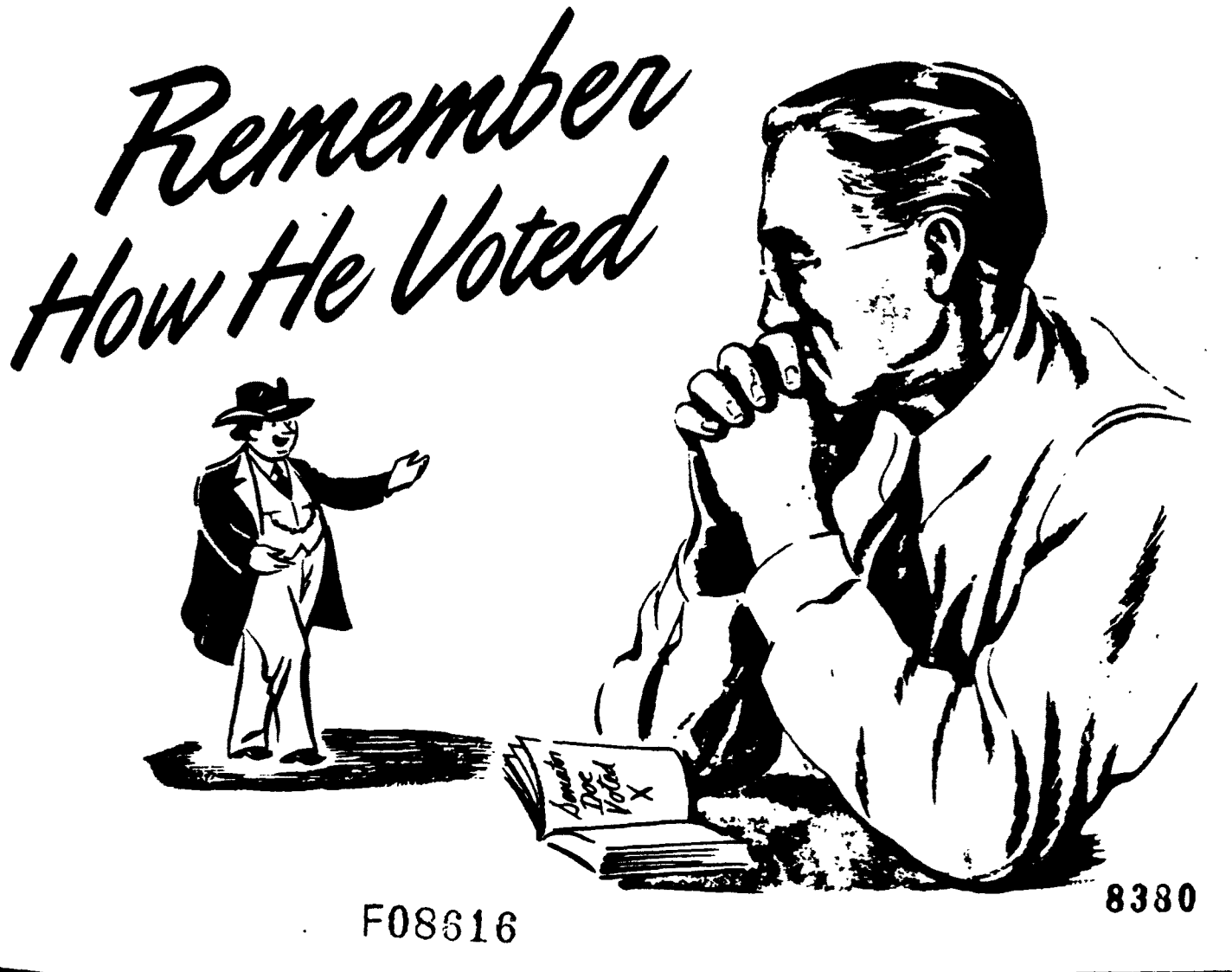
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