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Some Facts About YOUR COVER PICTURE

NOWHERE else in the world may be seen a waterfall spectacle such as is found in Yosemite National Park. Vernal Fall, pictured on this month's cover, though not the highest waterfall in Yosemite is perhaps one of the park's most breathtaking spots with a drop of 317 feet.

The falls reach their maximum flow in May and June while the winter snows are melting. They are still running in July, but some are entirely dry by Mid-August when there has been little rain or snow.

The park, situated in spectacular mountain country, was reserved for public use primarily because of its matchless scenery. Its deep canyons, towering cliffs, and inspiring back country include some of the finest examples of erosion in granite by stream and ice action.

Yosemite valley, earliest and best known of the park features, is a magnificient gorge, world renowned for Half, Dome, El Capitan, and other lofty peaks, and for Yosemite Falls, with a total drop of almost half a mile.

Glacier Point, above the Valley rim, commands a magnificent view of the High Sierra. Spread before the eye is one of the world's grandest panoramas.

The Mariposa Grove of giant sequoias, is one of the most important points of interest in the park. This grove contains some 200 trees of enormous size, some of which are estimated to be more than 3,000 years old. There are thousands of younger trees. Reproduction is healthy, and the trees show a remarkable resistance to fire, fungi, and insects.

Because of the great range in altitude of about 2,000 feet to over 13,000 feet and the varied moisture conditions, there are more than 1,300 varieties of flowering plants in the park. Approximately 60 species of mammals, more than 200 varieties of birds, about 25 kinds of reptiles, and a dozen kinds of amphibians are to be found here.

Yosemite Valley and the Mariposa Grove were set aside by act of Congress of 1864, to be administered as a public trust by the State of California. In 1890, Yosemite National Park, surrounding these areas, was established; and, in 1906, the State receded the Valley and the Grove to the Federal Government. The park now contains 757,617.36 acres of federally-owned lands.

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Report of the GENERAL PRESIDENT



JOSEPH A. MULLANEY
General President

WASHINGTON, D. C.
April 1, 1953.

To the Officers and Membership, Affiliated Locals.

GREETINGS:

The activities of your President away from the General Office during the past quarter began with a trip to Buffalo, N. Y., and a meeting of Local No. 4. Next to Albany and the services and funeral of Brother Fallon, the Business Agent of Local No. 40 and the Secretary of the New York State Conference of Asbestos Workers. All affiliated locals were represented by committees and floral offerings.

Next, the offices of The Kellogg Company at New York City with Business Agent Nicols of Local No. 95, Toronto. There we met with Mr. McGonnigle and his Canadian representative and did justice to an existing dispute.

Next came Philadelphia and the regular session of the Middle Atlantic States Conference. The following week came the annual session of the International Executive Board in Washington. Next came the regular quarterly session of the New York State Conference of Asbestos Workers held at Syracuse, N. Y. Next came the Southeast States Conference held in Atlanta, Ga.

The minutes of the General Executive Board and the conferences mentioned can be found printed in this JOURNAL issue.

Work is still with us. The demand for welfare coverage still grows among our locals. Is your local covered?

Fraternally,

Joseph A. Mullaney

President.

Decisions

Your President, in furthering instructions of the General Executive Board, notified the officers of our Knoxville, Tenn., Local No. 46 to appear for hearing in Atlanta, Ga., March 28, 1953, following adjournment of the regular scheduled Southeast States Conference meeting. This hearing was called to order by your President together with Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles and Vice President William Howell and representing Local No. 46 at this hearing were President French, Financial Secretary Starnes, Corresponding Secretary Loudy, Business Agent Poole and C. R. Rogers, Chairman of the Executive Board.

An exhaustive review of the activities of Local No. 46, both officers and membership, resulted in these officers being duly notified by your President and Secretary Sickles of the many instances where the method employed by Local No. 46 must be terminated and gave specific instructions as to certain things, including membership issuances to bona fide Improver applicants, which must be complied with immediately and failure of the Local to be so guided at once and in full could be expected to result in disciplinary action in the extreme.

This hearing adjourned with your International President believing that the Local No. 46 officers thoroughly understand the situation and will properly convey the necessary information and advice to the membership of Local No. 46. Failure on the part of the officers and membership of Local No. 46 to be so guided will, most definitely, result in either charter suspension or, if necessary, charter revocation and the subdividing of the present Local No. 46 territory into two or more local union charters.

Appeal of R. L. Salyer, Reg. No. 9118, Local No. 66, Amarillo and Borger, Tex., against trial action and penalty. Referred to Vice President Hullinghorst for investigation and decision. Testimony taken at Dallas, Tex., March 28, 1953, with Business Agent T. C. Donnell testifying on behalf of Local No. 66 action and the accused Brother R. L. Salyer appearing in person in his own defense. Testimony fails to substantiate trial action and penalty. Appeal sustained.

Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, Okla., vs. H. D. Furbeck, Reg. No. 7902, Local No. 64, Tulsa, Okla., violation of agreement. Referred to Vice President Hullinghorst for further investigation and decision. Testimony taken at Dallas, Tex., March 28, 1953. Defendant failed to attend hearing as requested. His home Local Business Agent Lewis Hart and Secretary George Majors in attendance and complainant Local No. 94 represented by Business Agent J. L. Sullivan and Brother Claude Jeffries. Testimony substantiates charges as filed. Guilty. Penalty $25.

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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.	$2.98
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 2	Pittsburgh, Pa.	3.15
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 3	Cleveland, Ohio	2.90
No. 4	Buffalo, N. Y.	2.86½
No. 5	Los Angeles, Calif.	2.90
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 6	Boston, Mass.	2.85
	(Plus 9c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 7	Seattle, Wash.	2.67½
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 8	Cincinnati, Ohio	2.70½
No. 9	Norfolk, Va., Navy Yard	2.07
No. 10	Little Rock, Ark.	2.76
No. 11	Baltimore, Md.	2.75
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 12	New York City, N. Y.	3.15
	(Plus 6 per cent Welfare Fund)	
No. 13	Jacksonville, Fla.	2.75
No. 14	Philadelphia, Pa.	3.04
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 15	Wichita, Kans.	2.62½
No. 16	San Francisco, Sacramento and Fresno, Calif.	2.90
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 17	Chicago, Ill.	2.95
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 18	Indianapolis, Ind.	2.90
No. 19	Milwaukee and Madison, Wis.	2.77
	(Plus 7c per hour Welfare Fund)	
	Manitowoc, Appleton, Wausau and Green Bay, Wis.	2.45
	(Plus 7c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 20	Long Beach, Calif., Navy Yard	2.05
No. 21	Dallas, Ft. Worth, Tex., and Shreveport, La.	2.75
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 22	Houston, Beaumont, Port Arthur, Galveston, Tex.	2.76¼
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 23	Boise, Idaho	2.34
No. 24	Washington, D. C.	2.90
	(Plus 10c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 25	Detroit, Mich.	3.02
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 26	Rochester, N. Y.	2.80
	(Plus 5c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 27	Kansas City, Mo.	2.76
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 28	Denver, Colo., and Laramie, Wyo.	2.75
	(Plus 6c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 29	San Francisco, Calif., Naval Shipyard	2.22
No. 30	Syracuse, N. Y.	2.79
	(Plus 5c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 31	Providence, R. I.	2.78
	Effective May 1, 1953	2.85
	(Plus 9c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 32	Essex and Hudson Counties, N. J.	3.10
	(Plus 3 per cent Welfare Fund)	
No. 33	Connecticut	2.71
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 34	Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn.	2.70
No. 35	Youngstown, Ohio	2.81
	(Plus 6½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 36	Portland, Oreg.	2.75
	(Plus 10c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 37	Evansville, Ind.	2.90
No. 38	Wilkes-Barre and Scranton, Pa.	2.68
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 39	Omaha, Nebr.	2.68
No. 40	Albany, N. Y.	2.79
No. 41	Fort Wayne, Ind.	2.75
No. 42	Wilmington, Del.	3.04
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 43	Springfield, Mass.	2.71
No. 44	Columbus, Ohio	2.84
No. 45	Toledo, Ohio	2.92
	(Plus 7c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 46	Knoxville, Tenn.	2.71
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 47	Grand Rapids, Lansing, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Saginaw, Mich.	$2.76
	(Plus 6c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 48	Atlanta, Ga.	2.62½
No. 49	Duluth, Minn.	2.45
No. 50	Tacoma, Wash.	2.67½
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 51	Louisville, Ky.	2.75
No. 52	Oak Ridge, Tenn. (Clinton Engineer Works, Maintenance Only)	2.17
No. 53	New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La., and Jackson, Miss.	2.73
No. 54	Lawrenceberg, Ind. (Distillery Plant Workers Only)	2.42½
No. 55	Mobile, Ala., and Pascagoula, Miss.	2.68
No. 56	Wood River, Ill. (Oil Refinery Only)	2.37
No. 57	Sioux City, Iowa	2.60
No. 60	Miami, Fla.	2.65
No. 61	Charlotte, N. C.	2.62½
No. 62	Puget Sound Naval Shipyard, Bremerton, Wash.	2.05
No. 63	Springfield, Mo.	2.62½
No. 64	Tulsa, Okla.	2.75
No. 65	York, Pa.	2.45
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 66	Amarillo and Borger, Tex.	2.75
No. 67	Tampa, Fla.	2.62½
No. 68	Charleston, S. C., Navy Yard	1.90
No. 69	Salt Lake City, Utah	2.51
No. 70	Mare Island Naval Shipyard, Vallejo, Calif.	2.22
No. 71	Allentown, Pa.	2.51
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 72	Greensboro, N. C.	2.62½
No. 73	Phoenix, Ariz.	2.80
No. 74	Des Moines, Iowa	2.62½
No. 75	South Bend, Ind.	2.65½
No. 76	Albuquerque, N. Mex.	2.86
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 77	Charleston, S. C. (Except Navy Yard)	2.62½
No. 78	Birmingham, Ala.	2.75
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 79	Dayton, Ohio	2.76
No. 80	Charleston and Huntington, W. Va.	2.77½
No. 81	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	2.63
No. 82	Spokane, Wash.	2.62½
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 83	Norfolk, Portsmouth, Newport News, Va. (Except Navy Yard)	2.62½
No. 84	Akron, Ohio	2.87½
No. 85	Atlantic City, N. J.	3.04
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 86	Nashville, Tenn.	2.62½
No. 87	San Antonio, Austin and Corpus Christi, Tex.	2.76
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 88	Richmond, Va.	2.62½
No. 89	Trenton, N. J.	3.04
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 90	Memphis, Tenn.	2.76
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 91	White Plains, N. Y.	3.17
No. 92	Columbia, S. C.	2.62½
No. 93	Philadelphia, Pa., Navy Yard	1.92
No. 94	Oklahoma City, Okla.	2.75
No. 96	Savannah, Ga.	2.62½
No. 97	Anchorage, Alaska	3.70
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 98	Boston Naval Shipyard	2.02
No. 101	Billings, Mont.	2.51½
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 102	Freeport, Tex. (Dow Chemical Co., Maintenance Only)	2.37
No. 104	New York Naval Shipyard	2.16
No. 105	Texas City, Tex. (Carbide Carbon Chemicals Corp., Maintenance Only)	2.45
No. 106	El Paso, Tex.	2.61¼
No. 107	Greenville, S. C.	2.62½
No. 108	Oleum, Calif. (Union Oil Co., Maintenance Only)	2.90
	(Plus 7½c per hour Welfare Fund)	
No. 109	Los Alamos, N. Mex. (Municipal Operations, Maintenance Only)	2.55

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General Executive Board, Annual Session

The session was called to order by International President Joseph A. Mullaney at 10:00 a. m., Monday, March 9, 1953, at the General Office.

The General Executive Board members present and answering roll call were: International President Joseph A. Mullaney, International Vice Presidents Hugh E. Mulligan, John W. Hoff, A. L. Hullinghorst, William Howell, Albert E. Hutchinson, Darrell Kammer and Thomas J. O'Neil and International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles.

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

Communications and data dealing with appeals, charges, decisions, etc., were received and Secretary instructed to attach this material to the proper case files for subsequent Board consideration.

The following business was transacted:

Vice President Mulligan gave a report on conditions in his territory. Report approved as presented.

Local No. 107, Greenville, S. C., vs. Ernest Helms, Reg. No. 17824, Local No. 61, Charlotte, N. C., failure to report and further trade law violations. Defendant, since filing of these charges, expelled by home local. No jurisdiction.

Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, Okla., vs. H. D. Furbeck, Reg. No. 7902, Local No. 64, Tulsa, Okla., violation of agreement. Referred to Vice President Hullinghorst for further investigation and decision.

Appeal of R. L. Salyer, Reg. No. 9118, Local No. 66, Amarillo and Borger, Tex., against trial action and penalty. Referred to Vice President Hullinghorst for investigation and decision.

Adjournment at 12:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Monday Afternoon, March 9

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

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hoff, Hullinghorst, Howell, Hutchinson, Kammer, O'Neil and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

Appeal of James B. Riley, Reg. No. 13567 and G. F. Martens, Reg. No. 10462, of Local No. 25, Detroit, Mich., against trial action and penalty. Referred to Vice President O'Neil for further investigation and decision.

Petition for separate charter issuance at Jackson, Miss., after due consideration, was denied.

Petition for maintenance charter issuance at Monsanto Chemical Co., Texas City, Tex., was approved.

The Board voted to appoint Vice President Albert E. Hutchinson to act as International Supervisor of our Local No. 73, Phoenix, Ariz., after having accepted the resignation of International Supervisor Joseph E. Cole, whose health prohibits his continuing in this capacity.

Vice President Howell reported on activities in connection with his territory and explained in detail the results of his recent assignments to Knoxville, Tenn., Local No. 46. This report was approved and, so far as the Knoxville issue was concerned, furthered by Secretary Sickles regarding activities of Local No. 46 during the last year. The subject matter of Local No. 46 and form of action to be taken was referred to President Mullaney for further investigation and decision.

Adjournment at 5 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Tuesday Morning, March 10

The session was called to order by President Mullaney at 10:00 a. m.

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hoff, Hullinghorst, Howell, Hutchinson, Kammer, O'Neil and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

Vice President Hullinghorst reported on conditions in his territory, which report was approved.

James E. Kelly of the Southwest Insulation & Packing Co., Dallas, Tex., appeared before the Board and outlined his present-day experiences on operations outside of his home territory and made special reference to the many unsatisfactory experiences in connection with one operation he is currently executing in the territory of our Kansas City, Mo., Local Union No. 27. The Board gave due consideration to Mr. Kelly's complaints and both advised and instructed him as to procedure intended to eliminate the conditions against which he complains.

A joint committee representing our New England States local unions, comprising Business Agent Prescott Jentzel of Local No. 31, Providence, R. I., Business Agent Henry S. Koziol of Local No. 43, Springfield, Mass., and five representatives of Local No. 33, Connecticut, including Business Agent Tony Gaspic, President John Johnson, James Amellin, Sr., Charles Soelch and Marlin Recor, appeared before the Board and gave testimony in connection with petition for charter issuance at Worcester, Mass., and extension of territorial jurisdiction of Connecticut Local Union No. 33.

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The testimony of the above committee continued throughout the balance of the morning session until adjournment at 12:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Tuesday Afternoon, March 10

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

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hoff, Hullinghorst, Howell, Hutchinson, Kammer, O'Neil and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

Petition for charter issuance at Worcester, Mass., after due consideration, was denied.

Petition for extending territorial jurisdiction of Connecticut Local No. 33 was, after considering all the facts in connection with this case, denied.

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

Petition for separate charter issuance at Sacramento, Calif., was, after due consideration, denied.

Petition for Local No. 16, San Francisco and Sacramento, Calif., to extend charter to include in its territory Fresno, Calif., and establish definite territorial boundary by county lines between Locals Nos. 5 and 16, granted.

The current drive of the Labor's League for Political Education for funds in connection with their present and future political and educational activities was thoroughly discussed and your officers instructed to cooperate with the LLPE 100 per cent in their activities. All affiliated local unions will receive correspondence in furtherance of the current LLPE appeal.

Adjournment at 5:00 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Wednesday Morning, March 11

The session was called to order by President Mullaney at 10:00 a. m.

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hoff, Hullinghorst, Howell, Hutchinson, Kammer, O'Neil and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

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

Petition for Local No. 10, Little Rock, Ark., to extend charter to include in its territory Camden, Ark., was, after due consideration, denied.

Business Agents Joseph Flynn and Patrick O'Connor of Local No. 12, New York City, appeared before the General Executive Board in connection with several craft problems and were duly advised as to trade custom and practice, as also future procedure.

Sidney Mohsberg, Sr., former Baltimore, Md., Local No. 11 Business Agent and convention delegate, now retired, paid an unexpected visit to the General Executive Board.

The General Executive Board, in reviewing the present-day labor situation, reaffirms its previous authorization for the emergency period of the present-day policy authorizing membership issuance to Improver applicants up to and including 30 years of age, or until the day they reach their 31st birthday; also, the granting of Mechanical examinations to any former G. I. Improver members who have completed three years actual trade experience and said ex-G. I. Improver must be granted a Mechanical examination on his request. The Board further authorized local unions, when in the opinion of the local the volume of trade work, current and future, warrants same, to grant Mechanical examinations to any Improver, not a former G. I., having concluded three years trade experience.

Adjournment at 12:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Wednesday Afternoon, March 11

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

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hoff, Hullinghorst, Howell, Hutchinson, Kammer, O'Neil and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

Vice Presidents Hutchinson and Kammer made detailed report of our craft conditions on the West Coast, including Alaska, together with resume of recent Western States Conference meeting which they both attended in Salt Lake City, Utah, on their way East to attend this Board meeting. Their reports were discussed and approved with advice as to future procedure in connection with certain craft issues now pending.

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

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Thursday Morning, March 12

Session called to order by President Mullaney at 10:00 a. m.

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hoff, Hullinghorst, Howell, Hutchinson, Kammer, O'Neil and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

Vice President Hoff reported on activities in connection with his territory, which report was approved. He further reported on the appointment of Brother E. A. Johnson, a member of our Boston Local No. 6, having

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been chosen by Governor Herter as Commissioner of Labor and Industries in the State of Massachusetts.

Petition for charter issuance at Lake Charles, La., was, after due consideration, denied.

Telegraphic inquiry from Houston, Tex., Local No. 22 re employment privileges emergency men, compensation, etc., received and Secretary instructed to make appropriate reply with Vice President Hullinghorst further instructed to explain subject matter in detail to all Southwest States Conference delegates, including Local No. 22, at their scheduled meeting Saturday, March 28.

Vice President Kammer was instructed by the General Executive Board to personally contact and assist Local No. 82, Spokane, Wash., with their agreement negotiations at his earliest convenience on return to the West Coast and in particular reference to the Hanford Ordnance Project to effect the elimination of any dual standards of employment as has developed on this Atomic Energy Commission project.

Adjournment at 12:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Thursday Afternoon, March 12

Session called to order at 2:30 p. m. by President Mullaney.

Present and answering roll call were: Mullaney, Mulligan, Hoff, Hullinghorst, Howell, Hutchinson, Kammer, O'Neil and Sickles.

The following business was transacted:

Vice President O'Neil reported on conditions in his territory. The report was approved.

The Board then considered accumulation of communications, telegrams, phone messages and direct personal reports throughout the session as to the conduct of several of our affiliated local unions, which resolved in a lengthy and thorough investigation and resulted in your Secretary-Treasurer being instructed by the General Executive Board to, in their name, direct a communication to be mailed all affiliated local unions which will appropriately cover these general complaints and instruct the locals as to disciplinary action that can be expected in the instance of any or all of these locals who fail to be guided by the letter and spirit of this communication and conduct the affairs of the local in the future in accordance with the International Constitution and By Laws and our trade custom and practice as approved by the General office over a lifetime. Copy of this communication will be found published elsewhere in this JOURNAL issue.

No further business appearing before the Board, final adjournment was declared at 4:00 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. SICKLES,
Secretary-Treasurer.



First annual dinner dance, Syracuse, N. Y., Local No. 30. ***(See Article under Correspondence.)***

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Notice Sent to Affiliated Local Unions by Direction Of General Executive Board

March 23, 1953

To All Affiliated Local Unions

GREETINGS:

The General Executive Board, which held its 1953 annual meeting at the General Office the week of March 9, did, after due consideration of all information and evidence placed before it, officially instruct the General Office to direct a communication to all affiliated local unions to be read at the next regular meeting of the local and serve as instructions and guidance for future conduct.

Outstanding among the complaints registered and considered by the General Executive Board were:

1. The manner in which our trade work is being conducted at the job site and failure on the part of many locals to make any effort whatever along the lines of "a fair day's work for a fair day's wage."

2. Demands for special wages and privileges for job stewards not endorsed by our International Association.

3. Locals supplying emergency men in preference to available International membership of other locals and especially where an out-of-town contractor is in a position to supply our local union members from his home local where the local in whose territory the operation is located cannot supply sufficient of their membership to properly man the job. Locals insisting men sent by the shop from the home local deposit traveling card when working on operations where the local has failed to supply necessary manpower, which is contrary to International law.

4. Locals who accept payment of assessments from travelers but do not pay the travelers' per capita tax to the General Office.

5. Locals failing completely to make any reasonable effort to augment the membership and provide relief to the employer, even to the extent that in some localities employers just will not accept additional work because the local cannot or will not supply the necessary manpower.

6. Locals charging or accepting monies from non-members of our International Association for working privileges.

7. Certain locals prohibiting emergency Improvers from applying materials.

The above is only a portion of the various complaints considered and all affiliated local unions are, as a consequence, instructed that any of our locals indulging in any of the above practices will discontinue same immediately and operate their local union in accordance with the International Constitution and By-Laws and accepted trade custom and practice of a lifetime as endorsed by the General Office and any Local Union failing to do so can expect, *without further warning*, to have the General Office take action to terminate any of the above abuses through any one of several methods including, if necessary, suspension of a local union and placing the local under supervision or issuance of *new charters* within the present territorial jurisdiction of the local failing to properly conduct its affairs.

As stated in the beginning, this communication is being sent all locals in accordance with the unanimous, specific instructions of the General Executive Board and I, as the International Secretary-Treasurer, sign this communication in behalf of our International Executive Board.

Fraternally yours,

C. W. Sickles

Secretary-Treasurer.

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BUSINESS REPORT

Charter Issued

Texas City, Tex. (Monsanto Chemical Co. Maintenance Only)..Local No. 111

Charter Petitions Denied

Jackson, Miss.
Worcester, Mass.
Lake Charles, La.
Sacramento, Calif.

New Members

Reg. No.	Name	Local No.
19193	Robert C. Bennett	69
19194	Roger N. Ferguson	69
19195	Robert L. Miller	69
19196	Everett W. Pace	41
19197	Thomas M. McEvilly	17
19198	Arthur Hiitt	6
19199	Francis M. Mahoney	6
19200	Walter M. Ramos	6
19201	Earl F. Kooker	74
19202	Robert T. Conner	55
19203	James L. Gaston	55
19204	Norbert L. Howell	55
19205	Eric F. Kearsey	55
19206	William D. Price	55
19207	Emmet S. Ross	55
19208	Thomas H. Traylor, Jr.	55
19209	Stanley M. Kellogg	28
19210	Donald W. Remmick	28
19211	Joseph G. Voelker, Jr.	11
19212	Garvase T. Hall	7
19213	Leslie A. Sturgeon	7
19214	Gary R. Thompson	7
19215	John A. Thompson	66
19216	Maurice Balla	59
19217	Nick Bella	59
19218	Donald McCluskey	59
19219	Herbert F. Bremerkamp	25
19220	Edward J. Conder	25
19221	Boone Drinkard	25
19222	Jean P. Houde	25
19223	William J. Matteson, Jr.	25
19224	Gary G. Robertson	25
19225	Robert C. Johnson, Jr.	53
19226	Lealos Wedgeworth	53
19227	Ned Wedgeworth, Jr.	53
19228	John Leggiero	98
19229	Claude R. Damewood	52
19230	William H. Ramsey	52
19231	Ellsworth N. Jones	16
19232	Herbert E. Ryan	16
19233	Richard W. Porter	16
19234	Meredith Brown	16
19235	Charles F. Deignan	16
19236	Robert C. Freese	16
19237	Stanley D. Hicks	16
19238	Richard C. Plant	16
19239	Charles K. Wood	16
19240	Paul G. Reed	20
19244	Harold E. Derrig	58
19245	Edward Gole	58
19246	Henry Logan	58
19247	Benoit Soulieres	58
19248	James R. Welsh	53
19249	Fred W. Goss	97
19250	Charles A. Hill	97
19251	Howard H. Kiplinger	97
19252	Olaf O. Olson	97
19253	Everett H. Wrede	97
19254	Howard R. Conner	97
19255	Robert K. Gregory	97
19256	Jack R. Otto	97
19257	Peter H. Pomeroy	97
19258	Charles O. Scott	97
19259	David L. Vincent	97
19260	Richard R. Goodwill	70
19261	Clyde E. Berry, Jr.	47
19262	Theodore D. Kingsley	47
19263	Paul E. Downey	56
19264	James Gemmell	95
19265	John P. Barranger	95
19266	William J. Corcoran	6
19267	Charles V. O'Neill	6
19268	Leo F. Santa Maria	6
19269	George J. Evelich	12
19270	John G. Matcovich	12
19271	Stuart S. Tremayne, Jr.	12
19272	Robert Van Doran	12
19273	Martin J. Zachman, Jr.	12
19274	Charles A. Boehringer	79
19275	John N. Goff	79
19276	Bobby W. South	79
19277	George Turner	79
19278	John F. Murphy	33
19280	Hyle F. Daughtry, Jr.	10
19281	Robert R. Elliott	10
19282	Clifford Chamlee	66
19283	Jack E. Ford	66
19284	Pasquale D'Abronzo	89
19285	Ralph F. Quinn	89
19286	Edmund F. Obduski	89
19287	Louis J. Zielinski	89
19289	William P. Byrne	32
19290	Nicholas Varrian	16
19291	Robert K. Birch	16
19292	Peter Meier	110
19293	Robert Ross	110
19294	Russel Storoschuk	110
19295	George E. Klott, Jr.	25
19296	Fredrick D. Greer	15
19297	Edward F. Holick	15
19298	Robert M. Weymouth	7
19299	Gene H. Zollweg	45
19301	George D. Blackburn, Jr.	55
19302	Austin H. Callaway	55
19303	Howard H. Chatham	55
19305	Marvin J. Harbin	55
19306	G. W. Pierce	55
19307	Levon L. Wright	55
19308	Joe A. Wallace	52
19309	C. Henry Bruggemeier	84
19310	James H. Watson	44
19311	Joseph B. Windsor	10
19312	Thomas F. Beaudet	11
19313	George E. Hennessey	11
19314	Charles D. Waters	11
19315	Thomas W. Wood	107
19316	Harry E. Oliver	51
19317	Steve W. Cieslak	49
19318	John A. Karjala	49
19319	Selmer A. Ramberg	49
19321	Andrew P. Listes	12
19322	William R. Madden	12
19323	James Watson	43
19325	Claudio A. Berella	29
19326	Ben G. Barron	29
19327	Aaron Bronstein	29
19328	John Carparella	29
19329	Richard H. Clark	29
19330	William E. Pemberton	29
19331	William J. Smith	29
19332	Joseph P. Traut	29
19333	Keith Stackpoole	29
19334	Harold R. Brice	21
19335	William R. Hughes	21
19336	L. V. Watson Routen	21
19337	Clarence R. Brister	70
19339	Donald J. Heider	97
19340	David W. Buckett	15
19341	Forrest L. Skinner	44
19342	Clifford Barbee	94
19343	Troy A. Linton	94
19344	William P. Kendrick	82
19345	Durwood L. Baumgartner	102
19402	Charles Boisvert	58
19403	Arthur Boivin	58
19404	Omer Delorme	58
19405	Georges Demers	58
19406	Nicholas Grano	58
19407	Edmond Horth	58
19408	Michael Kuczer	58
19409	Marcel Meunier	58
19410	Felix Plante	58
19411	Maurice Sincerny	58
19412	Yvan Trampe	58
19413	John Urbas	58
19414	Joseph J. McBride	58
19417	Carol Cloutier	58
19418	Antonio Corriveau	58
19419	Eddy Corriveau	58
19420	Oscar Cote	58
19421	Guy Desjardins	58
19422	Rene Dessureault	58
19423	Lucien Dompierre	58
19424	Armand Dupuis	58
19425	Bernard Gervais	58
19426	Nick Ierfino	58
19427	Steven Ingram	58
19428	Guy Labrecque	58
19429	Andre Laforce	58
19430	Roland LaRue	58
19431	Raymond Latour	58
19432	Jean G. Lavictoire	58
19433	Stanley Matieuskia	58
19434	Frank Moore	58
19435	Ernest Palladini	58
19436	Wilfrid Palladini	58
19437	Andre Paquette	58
19438	Joseph H. Paxton	58
19439	Marcel Vandal	58
19440	Gordon Cline	7
19441	James E. Fales, Jr.	11
19442	Walter A. Roswurm	15
19443	Edward Coeuille	16
19444	Andrew W. Grant	16
19445	James H. Van Swearingen	16
19446	Kenneth G. Nelligan	25
19449	Herbert E. Jeffries, Jr.	88
19450	Raymond Hulan	95
19451	Ronald G. T. Judd	95
19452	George M. Queen	95
19454	E. A. Bourrie	95
19455	Charles Healey	95
19456	H. M. Richardson	95
19457	William Brock	95
19458	Earl Brickell	95
19459	Norman R. Hunwicks	95
19460	Kenneth J. Lancaster	95
19461	Ronald L. Stork	95
19462	Anthony Povodnick	12
19463	Charles R. Scherer	20
19464	Lawrence Wilcox	73
19465	Bobby L. Kindle	21
19466	Clovis V. Thompson	48
19467	Joe Martinez	73

Lapsed Members Reaffiliated

Reg. No.	Name	Local No.
19241	Donald Alexander	58
19242	Frank Alexander	58
19243	Eugene Chartier	58
19279	Billy F. Malone	10
19288	Robert H. Owens	32
19300	Oscar Arnold	55

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Reg. No.	Name	Local No.
19320	Carl Shemnitz	98
19338	William C. Lowe	52
19346	Martin Amigorena	58
19347	Nelson Bedard	58
19348	Louis Berard	58
19349	Victor Binette	58
19350	Auguste Blache	58
19351	Maurice Bleau	58
19352	Alfred Bonsall	58
19353	Omer Bourgon	58
19354	Joseph A. Boutin	58
19355	Fernand Breton	58
19356	Raymond Breton	58
19357	Leonard Cadieux	58
19358	Paul Cadieux	58
19359	Sarto Cerutti	58
19360	Manfred Chalmers	58
19361	Vital Charbonneau	58
19362	Basil Christophe	58
19363	Alfred Collas	58
19364	Emile Corriveau	58
19365	Maurice Decary	58
19366	Gerard Dompierre	58
19367	Dominique Dagon	58
19368	James A. Dunbar	58
19369	Ulderic Duplessis	58
19370	John Ewart	58
19371	Everett Forrester	58
19372	Reginold Gionet	58
19373	Clarence J. Greene	58
19374	Dollard Hamel	58
19375	Alex Illes	58
19376	Edward Kane	58
19377	Paul Labelle	58
19378	Roch Labelle	58
19379	Normand Leduc	58
19380	Hermas Lefebove	58
19381	Andre Lemieux	58
19382	Gerard Lemieux	58
19383	Napoleon Lemieux	58
19384	Barney Makin	58
19385	Steve Manyheart	58
19386	Gaston Morency	58
19387	Gedeon Morin	58
19388	Alfred Ouimet	58
19389	Gaston Precourt	58
19390	Rene Precourt	58
19391	Frank Rady	58
19392	Joe Reagan	58
19393	Clement Riopel	58
19394	Rene Roy	58
19395	Wilbrod Savard	58
19396	Victor Smith	58
19397	Henri Turcot	58
19398	Gerard Vadeboncoeur	58
19399	Albert Villeneuve	58
19400	Earle Walsh	58
19401	Napoleon Warren	58
19415	Thomas Archambault	58
19416	Raymond Blache	58
19447	Clifford J. Milligan	22
19448	Ronald G. Moore	55
19453	Steve Pesti	95

Withdrawal Cards Returned

Reg. No.	Name	Local No.
13663	Donald E. Kloess	1
15763	Francis H. Bricmont	2
13573	John M. Kilbane	3
14539	Francis X. Fratus	3
16525	James P. Dugan	3
16379	Laverne B Scriven	4
16621	Donald A. Hess	4
16378	Galen A. Rapp	4
16637	Billy R. Morris	5
10928	Joseph A. Mascola	5
10537	Erle L. Faulkner	5
14355	Stanley A. Mattsen	6
13626	Alfred E. Kelly	6
7856	Edward J. Dwelly	8
15107	Thomas S. Viskovich	12
17573	Edward L. McDermott, Jr.	12
15104	John N. Kraljevich	12
12888	Louis Ellis, Jr.	14
10309	William H. Bailey	16
18828	Earl E. Beck	16
10426	Howard B. Johnson	16
16553	Jack C. Barbera	16
9703	James E. Mescall	17
16919	Marlin B. Nelson	19
16917	Edward J. Easter	19
11413	Edward Berkhahn	19
13354	Gerald L. Butterfield	19
114	Thomas B. Reed	22
17870	Charles Kramer	22
18181	W. Carlton Taylor	22
13167	John D. Strieter	24
16547	Robert L. Musgrove	24
17133	Robert L. Simmers, Jr.	25
13564	George G. Olson	25
14455	David R. Nelligan	25
16468	Arthur E. Holmberg	31
16235	Paul F. Connolly	33
15757	Alfred E. O'Neill	34
16429	Clarence Pietruszewski	34
14132	Dale E. Wick	35
15998	Alfred R. Klabe	42
14830	Jack L. Bennett	44
16304	Richard G. Adams	48
15524	John J. Winningkoff	53
16364	William C. Bowman	64
5324	Gus Fortman	67
13022	Edward M. Wood	68
14816	Walter L. Moody	72
17368	Otis W. Forkner	75
16614	John C. Morgan	79
18756	Charles M. Cundiff	86
16704	John S. Davidson	86
16781	Robert G. Oglesby, Jr.	86
14910	Donald L. Cockrill	87
16555	John R Flinsbaugh	94
16171	James W. Horning	96
10242	John R. Youmans	96
16174	Anthony T. Hope	96

Withdrawal Cards Issued

Reg. No.	Name	Local No.
18956	James E. McGeehon	1
16337	Richard C. Grooms	2
17715	Regis C. Coll	2
16338	John A. Schatzer	2
18683	William A. Perret	2
16541	Martin E. Stringer	3
16519	Paul O'Dea	3
13802	William J. Galvin	3
2797	Ben Wends	3
14157	Charles J. Shannon	3
9975	Patrick E. Gavin	3
4573	Anthony McNeely	3
1450	Harry Jacoby	3
17024	Clinton D. Benell	5
16134	William A. Daugherty	5
13879	Raymond Ferguson	5
19266	William J. Corcoran	6
893	Gus Selander	7
7384	Eugene Kinsman	7
18758	John E. Bell, Jr.	8
9895	William H. Mahoney	10
18750	Lindell C. Starks	10
16038	Pete C. Thornton, Jr.	10
17910	Lloyd F. Ward	12
16169	Nicholas F. Waters	12
5097	Martin J. Cass	12
14057	John M. Fauser	12
18617	Vincent N. Evelich	12
18189	Arthur W. Bienz	12
18311	Paul F. Guenther	14
18312	Joseph Janton	14
8542	Edward F. Toner	14
19234	Meredith Brown	16
9322	Harold R. Edsall	16
17087	John P. Mahoney	16
15779	Thomas J. O'Mahoney	16
10278	Frank M. Wilson	16
8176	William Rice	18
16860	John B. Shepherd	18
17681	Roland F. Foulks	19
9410	Albert U. Coates	21
9964	John W Graves	21
8675	John W. Bransom	22
15894	James A. Broussard	22
7954	W. C. Fountain	22
8957	Jule Guidry	22
17406	Gilbert P. Perry	22
12313	Ralph R. Rawls	22
8955	Luke Mondello	22
11543	Lindsey D. Blackburn	24
6607	Eugene Marstaller	24
10189	Maynard O'Connell	25
17225	Ernest F. Hollister	30
16898	George W. Carpenter, Jr.	31
9338	Thomas J. Harrington	31
19289	William P. Byrne	32
17433	Peter Mesich, Jr.	32
17819	Gerald E. Miller	34
2870	John A. Paulson	34
14131	Allan T. Spiegel	35
16801	Clair R. Fernberg	35
17801	Dean E. Miller	36
17669	Ralph J. Dunkel	37
9363	Ira D McCarns	42
18123	John P. Charest	43
18945	Bonde R Johnson	43
18374	Louis A Styler	43
16962	James W. Nichols	44
12756	Herschel A. Faw	46
18690	David C. Ruell	47
17737	Arthur W. VanderVen	47
14493	James T. Miller	52
13555	Mincie H. Hamlin	52
19229	Claude R. Damewood	52
13225	Armand H. Hullinghorst	53
15286	Sam J. Terito	53
16393	James M. Quain	56
19217	Nick Bella	59
19216	Maurice Balla	59
19063	Paul Tymtschischin	59
18743	Joe Meda	59
17822	James B. York	61
15243	John M. Davis	62
13481	Grant E. Frost	62
18826	Merle A. Arnold	62
14106	Bobby L. Rhoads	64
7902	Harold Furbeck	64
17333	Paul H. Clouser	65
17336	Richard D. Snyder	65
9118	Robert L. Salyer	66
12251	James H. Clements	66
12162	Joseph M. Holland	67
18148	Arthur R. Singley	71
17357	Jack W. Slaughter	76
7278	Clarence Sturges	78
18277	Thomas N. Taylor	81
10805	Edwin E. Jupe	87
17311	Leonard R. Dunnahoe	87
17164	Robert E. Wade	87
17162	Ronald F. Farrar	87
13490	Philip G. Demers	91
15611	Francis T. Shorter	95
13463	Bill Gordon	95
15561	John H. Beardwood	95
13767	Henry Parubocki	95
16990	Joseph J. McCallum	98
17624	Ernest A. Kastner	107
17993	Norman K. Leeks	110

Member Expelled

Reg. No.	Name	Local No.
17824	Ernest L. Helms	61

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Correspondence

PHILADELPHIA, PA.
April 7, 1953.

Editor, THE ASBESTOS WORKER,
Washington 1, D. C.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER:

As you already know, Local No. 14 has lost one of their most beloved brothers, William Scout, who has held the office of financial secretary and treasurer continuously for over 40 years. Brother Scout was a charter member of Local No. 14, which was issued October 15, 1909.



A lot could be said about Brother Scout, as to his loyalty to Local No. 14 and also his willingness at all times to give assistance to anyone. He is survived by his widow and two sons, Oliver and James, who are good standing members of Local No. 14.

I am enclosing a recent photograph of Brother Scout, which I hope can be reproduced and inserted in the next edition of THE ASBESTOS WORKER. Thanking you once again for taking time out to pay your respects to our late Brother William Scout.

Fraternally yours,
/s/ GEORGE J. JAKOB,
Business Agent.

TULSA, OKLA.
March 9, 1953.

Editor, THE ASBESTOS WORKER,
Washington 1, D. C.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER:

Local No. 64 would like to take this opportunity to thank you for sending Brother Hullinghorst to Tulsa. He was of great help in our negotiations with the contractors regarding increased subsistence.

It was agreed between the contractors, Brother Hullinghorst and our Local executive board, that the increase would start March 30.

After the negotiations, Brother Hullinghorst attended our regular meeting. This was especially enjoyed by some of our new members who had never seen an International officer.

Fraternally yours,
GEORGE MAJORS, *Secretary.*

SYRACUSE, N. Y.
March 29, 1953.

Editor, THE ASBESTOS WORKER,
Washington 1, D. C.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER:

Could you please find space in the next issue of THE ASBESTOS WORKER for the enclosed picture of our first annual dinner dance sponsored by the Employers Association and members of Local No. 30?

Thanking you.

Fraternally yours,
JOHN R. McCORMICK,
Secretary.

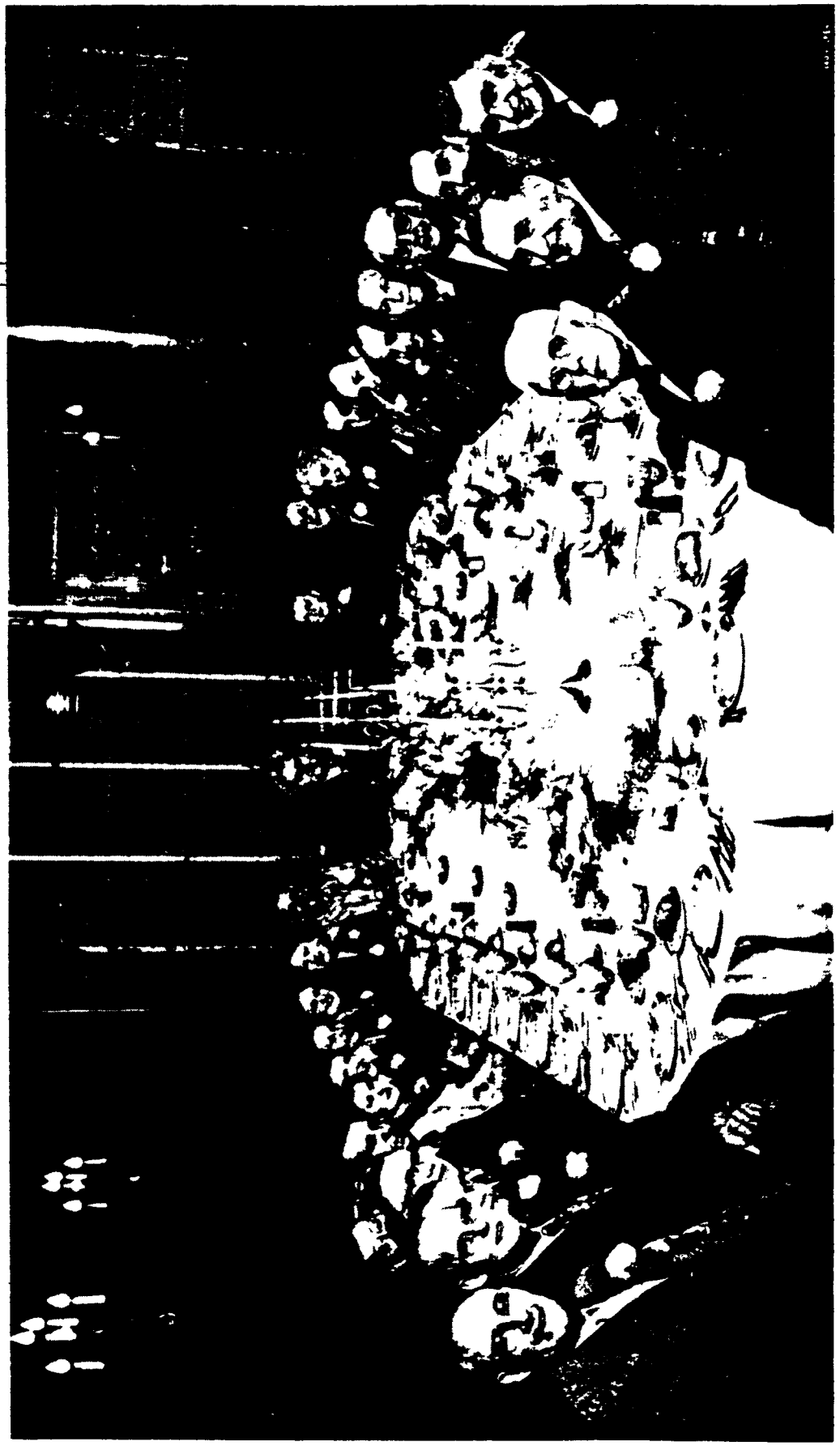
In Memoriam

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

Bro. Gustave Heyl, Registration No. 61, Local No. 2, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Bro. Joseph G. Storey, Registration No. 18260, Local No. 5, Los Angeles, Calif.
Bro. John Frederickson, Registration No. 281, Local No. 6, Boston, Mass.
Bro. Charles Hoffman, Registration No. 2664, Local No. 11, Baltimore, Md.
Bro. Gus Mayce, Registration No. 4048, Local No. 12, New York City, N. Y.
Bro. Harry J. McKernon, Sr., Registration No. 4355, Local No. 12, New York City, N. Y.
Bro. Theodore Carney, Registration No. 982, Local No. 12, New York City, N. Y.
Bro. Joseph Merz, Registration No. 6684, Local No. 12, New York City, N. Y.
Bro. William W. Scout, Registration No. 725, Local No. 14, Philadelphia, Pa.
Bro. Philip J. Schultz, Registration No. 2756, Local No. 14, Philadelphia, Pa.
Bro. John Mahoney, Registration No. 4480, Local No. 14, Philadelphia, Pa.
Bro. Thorvold Anderson, Registration No. 1755, Local No. 17, Chicago, Ill.
Bro. Thomas Doran, Registration No. 5177, Local No. 17, Chicago, Ill.
Bro. William Benkendorf, Registration No. 1757, Local No. 17, Chicago, Ill.
Bro. Claude Ray, Registration No. 4119, Local No. 18, Indianapolis, Ind.
Bro. Edward J. Scroggins, Registration No. 7026, Local No. 24, Washington, D. C.
Bro. Howard Coolidge, Registration No. 5611, Local No. 26, Rochester, N. Y.
Bro. J. M. Dix, Registration No. 685, Local No. 36, Portland, Oreg.
Bro. John C. Fallon, Registration No. 5094, Local No. 40, Albany, N. Y.
Bro. Clifton L. Waldrop, Registration No. 11505, Local No. 46, Knoxville, Tenn.
Bro. Kenneth V. Allred, Registration No. 14514, Local No. 63, Springfield, Mo.
Bro. William E. Davis, Registration No. 8769, Local No. 71, Allentown, Pa.
Bro. Orville E. Turk, Registration No. 15407, Local No. 87, San Antonio, Austin, and Corpus Christi, Tex.

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Dinner tendered by Senior Vice President Hugh E. Mulligan to Secretary of Labor Martin P. Durkin (second from right), his personal friend of a lifetime. Attending this dinner were Secretary Durkin's successor, Acting President Peter T. Schoemann (extreme left) of the United Association, the General Executive Board, their wives and guests. This dinner took the form of a St. Patrick's Day dinner during the week of the General Executive Board 1953 annual session, Washington, D. C.

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MINUTES OF CONFERENCE MEETINGS

CENTRAL STATES

COLUMBUS, OHIO
March 1, 1953.

The regular meeting of the Central States Conference of Asbestos Workers was held Sunday March 1, 1953, at the Fort Hayes Hotel, Columbus, Ohio. The meeting was called to order at 10 a. m. by President Robert J. Scott.

The following delegates were in attendance: Local No. 3, Cleveland, Ohio, Thomas J. O'Neil and J. E. McLaughlin; Local No. 8, Cincinnati, Ohio, Earl Kuntz; Local No. 18, Indianapolis, Ind., Robert J. Scott and William Feier; Local No. 25, Detroit, Mich., M. F. Detlefs; Local No. 35, Youngstown, Ohio, R. J. Mohr, Sr.; Local No. 37, Evansville, Ind.; Jesse Conkwright and James Alexander; Local No. 41, Fort Wayne, Ind., Lew Ambler and Harry E. Lynch; Local No. 44, Columbus, Ohio, Eldon R. Clayton; Local No. 45, Toledo, Ohio, Frank Kahl and William Momsen; Local No. 51, Louisville, Ky., A. F. Maddux; Local No. 75, South Bend, Ind., Elmer Dickens and C. Antisdel; Local No. 79, Dayton, Ohio, T. J. Aveyard; Local No. 80, Charleston, W. Va., James Wilks and Chester Neace; Local No. 84, Akron, Ohio, Ben Worster and N. A. Rice.

Visitors to this Conference were: Local No. 3, Edward English; Local No. 8, Vincent Eby; Local No. 18, John Grob; Local No. 44, E. C. Howard, Robert Gilmore, John H. Carey and G. Scott; Local No. 79, Claude Goddard and N. K. Smith; Local No. 80, Opie Adkins; Local No. 84, P. W. Bennett.

Also in attendance were General President Joseph A. Mullaney and Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read. The financial report as of January 1, 1953, was read by Secretary T. J. O'Neil. On a motion this report was unanimously accepted.

The delegates made the following reports:

Delegate of Local No. 3, J. E. McLaughlin, reports 218 members, 189 Mechanics, 29 Improvers, 6 members in the Armed Service, 16 members out on traveling cards. Work at the present time is slow, future outlook fair. Negotiating for a new wage rate and welfare plan.

Delegate of Local No. 8, Earl Kuntz, reports 78 members, 4 members in the Armed Service, 100 Emergency Asbestos Workers working in the territory. Negotiating for new wage rate and welfare plan.

Delegate of Local No. 18, William Feier, reports work good, conditions good, 103 members, 79 Mechanics, 24 Improvers, 7 members in the Armed Service.

Delegate of Local No. 25, M. F. Detlefs, reports 211 members, 162 Mechanics, 49 Improvers, 7 members in the Armed Service, 26 travelers working in the territory at the present time. Work at the present time good; outlook for the future good. Negotiating for a new wage rate.

Delegate of Local No. 35, Richard Mohr, Sr., reports 41 members, 30 Mechanics, 11 Improvers, 2 members in the Armed Service. Work at present time slow; outlook for the future good. Negotiating a new agreement.

Delegate of Local No. 37, Jesse Conkwright, reports 84 members, 63 Mechanics, 21 Improvers. Work good, future good.

Delegate of Local No. 41, Lew Ambler, reports 25 Mechanics, 9 Emergency Asbestos Workers. Negotiating for a new agreement. Work good, future good.

Delegate of Local No. 44, Eldon Clayton, reports 38 members, 28 Mechanics, 10 Improvers, 10 Emergency Asbestos Workers, 1 member in the Armed Service, 14 members out on traveler, work good, future work looks good.

Delegate of Local No. 45, Frank Kahl, reports 54 members, 43 Mechanics, 11 Improvers. Negotiating for welfare plan. Work at the present time good, future good.

Delegate of Local No. 51, A. F. Maddux, reports 93 members, 70 Mechanics, 23 Improvers, 125 Emergency Asbestos Workers. Present time work good, future looks good.

Delegate of Local No. 75, Elmer Dickens, reports 25 members, 16 Mechanics, 7 Improvers, work good, future outlook good.

Delegate of Local No. 79, T. J. Aveyard reports 49 members, 30 Mechanics, 19 Improvers, work good, future work good.

Delegate of Local No. 80, James Wilks, reports 48 members, 45 active members; 3 members in the Armed Service. Work good, future good.

Delegate of Local No. 84, Neil Rice, reports 45 members, 34 Mechanics, 11 Improvers, 1 member in the Armed Service, 14 travelers working in the territory. Work at the present time fair, future looks good.

A motion was made by A. F. Maddux and seconded by E. Kuntz that the next meeting of the Conference be held at Indianapolis, Ind. Motion passed unanimously and so ordered.

Secretary Sickles advised delegates on the procedure to be followed on any further negotiations concerning new agreements containing wage increases and welfare plans. He also gave advice on the matter concerning maps to ascertain territorial boundaries of locals in the Conference.

President Joseph Mullaney gave his usual sound advice to the delegates assembled on subject matters confronting the trade at the present time as well as some that may come up in the near future.

Attorney Carlton R. Sickles (a member of Washington, D. C., Local Union No. 24), who specializes as consultant and administrator of welfare funds and who is currently administering several of our local union welfare funds, addressed the Conference delegates on the question of welfare funds and gave a very interesting overall picture of the set-up that is necessary in order to secure and operate such funds. He also gave advice on technical points connected with the administrative and functional aspects of welfare programs. He further offered to advise any of the Conference locals more in detail if they cared to communicate with him or, for that matter, would gladly perform the same service in an advisory capacity for any of our International local unions soliciting any information regarding welfare funds.

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On a motion, there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1 p. m. and the delegates and visitors enjoyed a luncheon given by the Conference at the Fort Hayes Hotel.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. O'NEIL,
Secretary.

MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES

PHILADELPHIA, PA.
March 7, 1953.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Middle Atlantic States Conference was held on the above date at Plasterers' Hall, 1324 Melon Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and was called to order by Chairman Norman L. Hoyle with the following delegates in attendance: Local No. 11, Baltimore, Md., Gilbert Ball and Charles W. Moore; Local No. 14, Philadelphia, Pa., Henry Roesberg and George Jakob; Local No. 24, Washington, D. C., Robert Needham and Norman L. Hoyle; Local No. 32 Essex and Hudson Counties, N. J., Paul Springle and Terence McConnell; Local No. 38, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton, Pa., Herbert Bressler; Local No. 42, Wilmington, Del., Arvid O. Johnson and Harry E. Mahan; Local No. 65, York, Pa., Alfred K. Gotwalt and Richard Liek; Local No. 71, Allentown, Pa., Stanley C. Biddle and Nicholas Grello; Local No. 88, Richmond, Va., George Rew and Francis L. Joinville; Local No. 89, Trenton, N. J., Stephen J. Kopp; representing the General Office, President Joseph A. Mullaney and Secretary-Treasurer Carl W. Sickles.

In attendance as visitors were: William Scout of Local No. 14, Carlton Sickles of Local No. 24 and Herbert Tucker and Patrick Conlan of Local No. 32.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were accepted as corrected.

The secretary reported having received the annual Conference assessment from all affiliated locals.

Reports of the delegates:

Delegate Charles W. Moore of Local No. 11, reported all of local membership employed, augmented by use of 50 Emergency Asbestos Workers. While a current lull is being experienced in mariti ne work this slack will be taken up in the near future with a power house job, Standard Oil refinery expansion and also some schools. He also reported an increase in the hourly wage to $2.75 per hour.

Delegate George Jakob of Local No. 14 reported plenty of work now at hand with entire local membership plus 20 travelers and 30 Emergency Asbestos Workers at work throughout the territory. The future prospects look exceedingly bright with a refinery job, schools, hospitals, the National Steel job near Paulsboro, N. J., and some chemical work coming along. He also reported that negotiations on a new agreement shall soon be effected.

Delegate Norman L. Hoyle of Local No. 24, reported a seasonal lull is now being experienced with some of local membership now out on travelers. However, with a powerhouse job, schools and small commercial work listed for early spring, conditions will improve.

Delegate Paul Springle of Local No. 32 reported all of local membership plus 100 Emergency Asbestos Workers now being used to advantage throughout the territory. At the present time a leveling off process is being experienced. This condition is more noticeable among other related crafts of the area, however, there is enough on paper that when it materalizes continued full employment will be enjoyed.

Delegate Herbert Bressler of Local No. 38, reported entire local membership, together with several travelers, and 16 Emergency Asbestos Workers now working in jurisdiction of the local. The Sunbury Powerhouse job is now going on and with some schools and small type work coming along the prospects for at least one year are exceedingly bright.

Delegate Harry E. Mahan of Local No. 42, reported present conditions good. Entire local membership, plus 8 Emergency Asbestos Workers now being used. A large powerhouse job, also the DuPont office building are among the jobs listed for the future to keep conditions very favorable for our craft.

Delegate Alfred K. Gotwalt of Local No. 65, reported present conditions still very good. During past quarter, as many as 80 men were employed in the territory. Cantonment expansion at Camp Ritchie is now going on and also listed for the future is the Caterpillar job at York, Pa. He also reported the local is negotiating for an hourly wage rate increase in their new agreement.

Delegate Nicholas Grello of Local No. 71, reported entire local membership, plus 4 travelers and 26 Emergency Asbestos Workers now at work in territory. With plenty of work listed in the future, conditions should be very good. Included among these jobs is a powerhouse job for Bethlehem Steel Co., and also another in Easton, Pa.

Delegate Francis L. Joinville of Local No. 88, reported entire local membership working, augmented by 10 travelers and 30 Emergency Asbestos Workers. The first unit of the DuPont job is now started and at its peak, will require 40 Asbestos Workers. The Allied Chemical expansion program is also going on with no end in sight. He also advised that within the next 90 days an additional 75 men can be used.

Delegate Stephen J. Kopp of Local No. 89, reported present employment conditions the highest in the history of the local. The U. S. Steel job at Morrisville is moving along at a brisk pace and has reached the peak for Asbestos Workers. Listed among future prospects is an addition to the Public Service Power Station at Burlington, N. J., the Naval Laboratory job and cantonment expansion at Maguire Air Force Base and Fort Dix, N. J.

Affiliated locals of the Conference reported the following men in service: Local No. 11, 12 men; Local No. 14, 11 men; Local No. 24, 12 men; Local No. 32, 8 men; Local No. 65, 2 men; Local No. 71, 1 man; Local No. 89, 1 man.

During above delegates' reports, President Mullaney and Secretary Sickles gave their customary welcome advice and instructions of craft problems whenever necessary with emphasis on the proper procedure to be followed in regard to Improver examination, the necessity for all locals negotiating trade agreements to forward two copies of same to the General Office, one for retention in the files and one for the Office of the Solicitor of the Department of Labor for the predetermination of local wage rates, etc. He also advised that copies of latest decision on jurisdictional dispute of boiler construction with the Bricklayer is available in the General Office.

A discussion of welfare programs was then held with current committee to continue its investigation of same and report its findings at our next regular meeting.

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With all business transacted, adjournment was voted at 4:15 p. m., until our next regular meeting to be held at the Hotel Jefferson, Kentucky Avenue, Atlantic City, N. J., on June 6, 1953, at 12 noon.

Respectfully submitted,
STEPHEN J. KOPP,
Secretary.

MIDWEST STATES

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.
April 11, 1953.

The regular semi-annual meeting of the Midwest States Conference of Asbestos Workers was held at the Labor Temple, Minneapolis, Minn., April 11, 1953.

The meeting was called to order by President Don Chrisman at 9:35 a. m. with the following delegates present: Local No. 15, Wichita, Kans., Ralph Cross and F. Rogers; Local No. 34, Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn., Les Adair; Local No. 39, Omaha, Nebr., Don Chrisman; Local No. 49, Duluth, Minn., not represented; Local No. 57, Sioux City, Iowa, John Hanlon and Joseph Schimberg; Local No. 74, Des Moines, Iowa, C. O. Benton and T. Dagnillo; Local No. 81, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Norman Curtis and Earl Farley. The General Office was represented by International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles. Also in attendance as guests were Business Agent George W. Hogan of Local No. 27, Kansas City, Mo., and Attorney C. R. Sickles of Local No. 24, Washington, D. C.

The Chair then announced that Secretary Don Wilber of Local No. 57, Sioux City, Iowa, was no longer a delegate and the first order of business would be the electing of his successor as Conference Secretary. Delegate Les Adair of Local No. 34, Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn., proved to be the unanimous choice of the Conference and he was so declared as officially elected to complete the unexpired term of Conference Secretary-Treasurer.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

The delegates made the following reports:

Delegate Ralph Cross of Local No. 15 reported 8 Emergency Asbestos Workers working, work slow, the future looks good. None in armed services. Wage scale $2.62½, board allowance $30 per week, time and a half for overtime. New agreements August 15 asking increase board allowance to $7 per day, increase in wages, and welfare fund.

Delegate Les Adair of Local No. 34 reported 32 Emergency Asbestos Workers, 6 Travelers, 5 members in Armed Services. Wage scale $2.70, board allowance $4 per day, time and a half and double time for overtime. Asking increase in wage scale, increase in board allowance to $7 per day, also welfare fund.

Delegate Don Chrisman of Local No. 39 reported work fair now, future looks good. Wage scale $2.68, board allowance $6 per day, overtime double time in town, time and a half out of town. Asking for increase in wages and board allowance, also welfare fund.

Delegate John Hanlon of Local No. 57 reported work poor, future uncertain, 3 members in Armed Services. Wage scale $2.60, board allowance $6 per day, time and a half overtime, double Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. Will ask for wage increase shortly with other Sioux City crafts, also welfare fund.

Delegate C. O. Benton of Local No. 74 reported work poor, future not good, 3 members in Armed Services. Wage scale $2.62½, board allowance $6 per day, overtime time and a half and double time. New agreements 1st of August, will ask for increase and welfare fund in new agreement.

Delegate Dale Chilberg of Local No. 49 reported work good, future looks good. Wage scale $2.45, board allowance $5 per day, overtime time and a half and double time. New contract being negotiated including welfare fund in conjunction with the Building Trades Council.

Delegate Norman Curtis of Local No. 81 reported work slow now, future prospects good, 4 Emergency Asbestos Workers, 3 members in Armed Services.

Wage scale $2.63, board allowance $6 per day, time and a half and double time overtime. Board allowance and wage scale have been increased since last conference meeting. Asking for another increase next month and welfare fund.

Business Agent George Hogan of Local No. 27, who attended the conference by instructions of his home local to investigate the method of operation and benefits that could be expected from affiliation and report same back to his home local, reported that their local had been granted a welfare fund of 7½ cents per hour and payments were currently being made to this fund and the benefits will become effective in the very near future.

Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles outlined, for the benefit of Business Agent Hogan, how our many conferences throughout the country operate and some of them have been in existence for as long as 30 years and that in localities where these conferences do exist, there isn't any talk whatever of ever discontinuing them, they having long since proved their worth as an exchange of information and ideas and establishing of policy regionally together with the endorsement of the General Office.

In connection with a statement made by Business Agent Hogan as to the dissatisfaction of the Kansas City local regarding the manner in which one of the conference locals had been operating, Secretary Sickles advised that he had come to this meeting prepared to make an investigation into the conduct of this particular local, namely Local No. 15 of Wichita, Kans., and the outcome of the investigation during the conference meeting resulted in the understanding of all concerned that the so-called wholesale membership issuance by Local No. 15 had reached the end of the line and it was not to be expected that there would be any further membership issuance by this particular local, which currently has 50 per cent of its members on traveler.

It was pointed out to Business Agent Hogan that had their local been previously affiliated with the conference and the complaint registered at an early date, an investigation at that time might have resulted in corrective measures having been taken at that time rather than this late date, which is only one of the many reasons why all locals in any geographic area should be affiliated with their conference.

Secretary Sickles, replying to inquiry regarding Improver membership and credit for time spent at the trade, called attention to the fact that our regulations set forth the required amount of trade experience that an Improver must have before being eligible for Mechanic examination but that this trade experience must not necessarily have been obtained solely while in affiliation with the local union. By way of illustration, an Improver member, when joining the local, should be given credit for any actual trade experience he has received prior to the date he affiliated with the local, which

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credit would establish the exact Improver rate to which he was entitled and the time and the date that he will be eligible for a Mechanic examination.

The Secretary was called upon to explain numerous of the changes in our International Constitution and By-Laws as adopted by our recent Eighteenth International Convention, especially by those locals who did not have delegates in attendance at this Eighteenth Convention.

By majority vote, the conference at 12:15 p. m. voted luncheon recess, to reconvene at 2 p. m. Carried.

This conference meeting reconvened at 2:30 p. m. with President Don Chrisman in the chair and roll call showed all delegates and visitors recorded in the morning session again in attendance at this afternoon session and in addition, Delegate Harold Hedlund of Local No. 34, as also Brothers James Snyder, H. Snyder and Henry Filzen of Local No. 34 as visitors.

The question of maintaining current records of labor supply and demand throughout the conference locals was thoroughly discussed, after which a motion was duly moved, seconded and carried unanimously that each of the conference local union Business Agents send a report the first of each month to the conference secretary who will compile the information contained therein as to the labor supply and demand and forward this tabulation to all of the conference locals for their information and guidance.

Secretary Sickles advised the delegates as to the importance of sending two copies of all newly signed Joint Trade Agreements to the General Office immediately following the signing of same and that a communication from the General Office to all affiliated local unions was in the mails and would be received covering this requirement during the coming week.

Motion was readily moved and seconded that all of the conference local union Business Agents notify the conference secretary in the event of the death of any of the conference local membership and he in turn notify all affiliated locals.

It was readily moved and seconded that Local No. 63, Springfield, Mo., be sent an invitation to affiliate with the conference, which motion was unanimously carried.

Conference territorial radiused maps were distributed at the meeting, these maps having been made up per action of the last regular conference meeting. Secretary-Treasurer Sickles, in studying same, found that the draftsman had not been thoroughly advised in connection with certain local union territories, as a consequence of which the radiusing of the territories is not 100 per cent perfect and these maps will be corrected and reproduced through the General Office and available to the conference locals at an early date.

Questions of charter issuance at Fargo, N. Dak., was discussed and locals interested will see to it that the General Office is thoroughly advised before any action is taken in connection with same.

At this time, Attorney C. R. Sickles, a member of our Washington, D. C., Local No. 24, who is currently administering several building trades health and welfare funds, was called upon to address the conference and explain in detail the establishing and the functioning of these funds. After explaining them in detail, a question period was declared in order and he proceeded to answer the various questions submitted by the conference delegates, all of whom were most interested in view of their locals' current activities in endeavoring to establish the health and welfare fund in connection with the agreements currently being negotiated. Attorney Sickles explained how a regional conference fund could be established in which any number of the locals comprising the conference could become a party to such a group plan and not necessarily all become covered at the same identical time.

The Midwest Conference, after listening to the explanations regarding establishing of these funds and the various methods, voted unanimously to make every effort to establish a conference health and welfare fund especially for the benefit of the smaller local unions who would find it almost, if not entirely, impossible to administer a fund of their own due to their limited membership.

Conference President Don Chrisman, on behalf of the conference, expressed their appreciation to Attorney Sickles for his having come to Minneapolis and attending this conference meeting for the purpose of enlightening the delegates on the all-important present-day subject matter of health and welfare funds.

The conference then considered the city in which the next regular meeting is to be held on the third Saturday in September and by unanimous vote, Wichita, Kans., was selected.

This conference meeting again extends an invitation to the Kansas City Local No. 27 to affiliate and trusts that the observations and experience of Business Agent Hogan, when reported to Local No. 27, will result in a favorable vote and the next conference meeting find Local No. 27 recorded as in affiliation and duly represented. It was further agreed that should the Kansas City local agree to affiliate with the conference and other conditions develop as anticipated, the officers of the conference stand authorized to transfer the meeting city from Wichita to Kansas City, which authority was granted by unanimous vote.

There being no further business before the conference, the meeting was declared adjourned at 5:15 p. m. with the delegates, their wives and guests invited to attend the banquet sponsored by the host Local No. 34, Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn.

Respectfully submitted,
LES ADAIR,
Secretary.

NEW YORK STATE

SYRACUSE, N. Y.
March 14, 1953.

The regular quarterly meeting of the New York State Conference of Asbestos Workers was held Saturday, March 14, 1953, at the Hotel Syracuse, Syracuse, N. Y.

The meeting was called to order at 10 a. m. by President John McCormick and the following delegates responded to the roll call:

Joseph A. Mullaney, International President; Arthur Forton, Local No. 4, Buffalo, N. Y.; Patrick O'Connor and George Rider, Local No. 12, New York, N. Y.; Kenneth Tennity and H. B. Coon, Local No. 26, Rochester, N. Y.; John McCormick and George Mundy, Local No. 30, Syracuse, N. Y.; Roy Van Alstyne, Local No. 40, Albany, N. Y.; Charles Lent, Local No. 91, White Plains, N. Y.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Communications to the Conference were received and filed.

Delegate Forton of Local No. 4, reported that they are very busy at the present time, with a number of Emergency Asbestos Workers em-

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ployed. Most of the large jobs are within the city limits of Buffalo. Prospects for the future are very good, with full employment expected to continue for the remainder of the year. Negotiations for a new agreement have been started, including a welfare program. Seven men in the Service.

Delegate Rider of Local No. 12, reported that few men are unemployed at present, and prospects for the future are fair. Negotiations on a new agreement have been started. Eighteen men in Service.

Delegate Tennity of Local No. 26, reported conditions are very good at present, and this condition is expected to continue through the summer months. Local No. 26 is in the process of negotiating a new agreement on wages, board and welfare. Two men in Service.

Delegate McCormick of Local No. 30, reported that conditions in the Syracuse area are slowing down at present. The future outlook is fair. Also reported, 12 travelers are employed in the territory. A new agreement is being negotiated. Three men in Service.

Delegate Van Alstyne of Local No. 40, reported conditions very good with 20 Emergency Asbestos Workers employed. A new agreement on wages has just been completed with a welfare plan in the process of being set up. One man in Service.

Delegate Lent of Local No. 91, reported conditions are slow at present, but prospects for the future are bright. Negotiations on a new agreement are expected to start soon. One man in Service.

A motion was regularly made and seconded that the Conference give its full support to those locals now in the process of negotiating new agreements. Motion passed.

A motion was regularly made and seconded that the Conference assess all affiliated locals for their per capita tax for the year 1952 to the present date. Motion passed.

Nominations and elections:

President McCormick declared that nominations for officers of the Conference were in order. He vacated the chair in favor of International President Joseph A. Mullaney.

Nominations were as follows: President, John McCormick; Vice President, Arthur Forton; Secretary-Treasurer, Kenneth W. Tennity.

There being no further nominations to these offices, nominations were closed and the Secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for each of these offices. The new officers were given the oath of office.

International President Mullaney spoke in detail regarding the problems of the craft and of conditions throughout the country.

The delegates stood in one minute of silence in respect to the late Brother John Fallon.

Meeting adjourned at 1 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH W. TENNITY,
Secretary-Treasurer.

SOUTHEAST STATES

ATLANTA, GA.

March 28, 1953.

The regular meeting of the Southeast States Conference of Asbestos Workers was held on the above date at the Henry Grady Hotel, Atlanta, Ga., and was called to order at 10:15 a. m., by President William Howell, with the following delegates in attendance: Local No. 13, Jacksonville, Fla., Walter E. Heape; Local No. 46, Knoxville, Tenn., A. L. Poole and Delbert French; Local No. 48, Atlanta, Ga., H. M. Hoffman and J. H. Street; Local No. 60, Miami, Fla., no delegates; Local No. 61, Charlotte, N. C., C. M. Sloop and William Dye; Local No. 67, Tampa, Fla., Robert Marriott; Local No. 68, Charleston Navy Yard, S. C., no delegates; Local No. 72, Greensboro, N. C., E. C. Walters; Local No. 77, Charleston, S. C., no delegates; Local No. 78, Birmingham, Ala., William Howell; Local No. 86, Nashville, Tenn., G. P. Childress and C. M. Taylor; Local No. 90, Memphis, Tenn., Charles F. White; Local No. 92, Columbia, S. C., C. H. Lloyd and R. W. Quattlebaum; Local No. 96, Savannah, Ga., C. W. Hendricks and Vance Ruie; Local No. 107, Greenville, S. C., B. V. Adams and R. L. Johnson. Representing the General Office were International President Joseph A. Mullaney and International Secretary-Treasurer C. W. Sickles.

Delegates submitted the following reports:

Walter E. Heape, of Local No. 13, reported all members working plus four Travelers. Future very good. Several large jobs to be ready soon. Two in Armed Services.

A. L. Poole and Delbert French, of Local No. 46, reported practically all members working with 16 on Travelers. Future very good, several large jobs. One in Armed Services.

H. M. Hoffman and J. H. Street, Local No. 48, reported about two-thirds of membership working in home territory. Future very good. A large power house and paper mill among jobs to be ready shortly. None in Armed Services.

C. M. Sloop and William Dye, Local No. 61, reported one-third membership working in home territory, balance on Travelers. Future fair. One in Armed Services.

Robert Marriott, of Local No. 67, reported about three-fourths of membership working in home territory, six on Travelers. Future real good with three power houses, four acid plants, two hospitals and a number of other projects. One in Armed Services.

E. C. Walters, of Local No. 72, reported all members working in home territory with nine Emergency Asbestos Workers. Future work slow for several months. None in Armed Services.

William Howell, of Local No. 78, reported all members working in home territory, also 20 Travelers, 20 Emergency Asbestos Workers. Future work good. Three in Armed Services.

G. P. Childress and C. M. Taylor, of Local No. 86, reported all members working in home territory and 12 Travelers. Future fair. Two in Armed Services.

Charles F. White, of Local No. 90, reported all members working in home territory, about 25 Emergency Asbestos Workers. Future good. None in Armed Services.

C. H. Lloyd and R. W. Quattlebaum, of Local No. 92, reported all membership working in home territory plus 200 Travelers and 600 Emergency Asbestos Workers, practically all of whom are on the H-Bomb Plant which has reached its peak and a lay-off of about 400 is scheduled to start within the next week. Future very good with a number of large jobs on the way. Three in Armed Services.

C. W. Hendricks, of Local No. 96, reported all members working, also three Travelers and three Emergency Asbestos Workers. Future good. None in Armed Services.

B. V. Adams and R. L. Johnson, of Local No. 107, reported about two-thirds of members on Traveler.

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Future just fair. Five in Armed Services.

The meeting recessed from 12:30 until 1:30 with the conference delegates the luncheon guests of Local No. 48, Atlanta, Ga.

At the invitation of Conference President William Howell, Attorney Carlton R. Sickles (member of our Washington, D. C., Local No. 24) addressed the delegates, explaining in detail the formation and operation of health and welfare funds. He is currently assisting two of our conference Locals in the formation of their funds, namely, Knoxville, Tenn., Local No. 46, and Memphis, Tenn., Local No. 90.

He previously conferred with Business Agent Howell in the establishing of Local No. 78's welfare fund, which started paying benefits as of March 1, 1953.

After listening to Attorney Sickles outlining subject matter of welfare funds in detail, the conference, having gone on record at their last meeting for all Locals to endeavor to obtain a welfare fund in the amount of 7½ cents per hour, furthered this action by unanimous vote by agreeing that all of the conference Local Unions should make every effort to develop a conference health and welfare fund which would be beneficial to all those covered by such a fund and especially the members of the smaller Locals who would find it practically impossible to operate a health and welfare fund independent and individually. Attorney Sickles advised that he would continue to cooperate and advise the Locals in their future negotiations and the establishing of appropriate health and welfare funds at future dates.

After due consideration and especially in connection with the activities of the various Locals in connection with welfare funds, the officers of the Locals stand authorized to call a special meeting of the Southeast States Conference if and when said meeting appears justified.

Throughout the meeting both President Mullaney and Secretary Sickles answered trade questions as presented and advised and instructed the conference delegates as to procedure in connection with the many craft problems that were brought up by the various conference delegates.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, adjournment was declared at 3:05 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,
H. M. HOFFMAN,
Secretary.

SOUTHWEST STATES

DALLAS, TEX.
March 28, 1953.

The regular meeting of the Southwest States Conference of Asbestos Workers was called to order at 10 a. m., in the Skyline Room of the Jefferson Hotel by Conference President A. L. Hullinghorst.

Credentials were read and received for the following delegates: Business Agent R. E. Burris, Local No. 10, Little Rock, Ark.; Business Agent W. A. Jackson and President J. V. Harvey, Local No. 21, Dallas and Fort Worth, Tex., and Shreveport, La.; Business Agent Perry Day and President L. A. Rankin, Local No. 22, Houston, Beaumont, Port Arthur, Galveston, Tex.; Business Agent A. L. Hullinghorst and President John Prendergast, Local No. 53, New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La., and Jackson, Miss.; Business Agent C. E. Brown, Local No. 55, Mobile, Ala., and Pascagoula, Miss.; Business Agent Lewis Hart and President J. H. Jackson, Local No. 64, Tulsa, Okla.; Business Agent T. C. Donnell, Local No. 66, Amarillo and Borger, Tex.; Business Agent B. H. Green, Local No. 76, Albuquerque, N. Mex.; Business Agent C. H. Reed and President Neil Stanwood, Local No. 87, San Antonio, Austin and Corpus Christi, Tex.; Business Agent Jerry Sullivan and President M. A. Ridenour, Local No. 94, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Business Agent Rodolfo Rodriguez, Local No. 106, El Paso, Tex.

Also in attendance as visitors were Brothers George Majors, Red Woods, and Wayne Hurst, of Local No. 64; Harry Seal and J. C. Ford, of Local No. 87; Claude Jeffries, Fritz Flinsbaugh, and Thomas Cooper, of Local No. 94; and H. C. Thomas, of Local No. 102, as well as several members from home Local No. 21.

Report of delegates:

Delegate Burris, of Local No. 10, reported 74 members with the Improver ratio over the necessary number. He reported 35 Travelers and 75 Emergency men from various crafts now working. He further reported that although work was slowing down now to 40 hours that the future looked good with several big jobs coming up.

Delegate Jackson, of Local No. 21, reported that despite a four-week strike by the Iron Workers and a strike just going into its fifth week by the Sheet Metal Workers, that work in our trade had suddenly picked up and that several room and board jobs were going overtime. He further reported that power house jobs, hospitals, and several big jobs such as General Motors, a 40-story Republic Bank Building, and the usual commercial construction in this area, made it appear that a manpower shortage may develop in the future.

Delegate Day, of Local No. 22, reported a membership of 313, of which 75 are Improvers, with 75 Travelers and 100 Emergency men now employed in that area. He reported that work is slack now but should pick up in July when the Sinclair Refinery should be the biggest job in the history of his Local. He reported only one overtime job at the present time.

Delegate Hullinghorst, of Local No. 53, reported work slow at the present time in New Orleans, but that the Baton Rouge area is very brisk at the present time. He further reported that the future looked bright for the next two years in the New Orleans area.

Delegate Brown, of Local No. 55, reported work fair at the present time, with 10 Travelers and 18 Emergency men being used. He reported that the Pascagoula ship yards affords continuous employment for Asbestos Workers. He further reported that the future looked very good with several power house jobs and a Dupont job in Pensacola making it possible for him to invite Travelers to work in his territory.

Delegate Hart, of Local No. 64, reported 30 Mechanics and 10 Improvers now working, with 30 Travelers employed. He reported two refineries going at the present time and that work was steady. He further reported that about the first of the year an $18,000,000 fertilizer plant made it seem that work in his territory would be good for the next two years.

Delegate Donnell, of Local No. 66, reported that work was slow at the present time, and that his Local now had 84 members and was three over the ratio on Improvers. He reported no Emergency men and that the future looks fair.

Delegate Green, of Local No. 76, reported a membership of 55 with Improver ratio evenly balanced. He reported four Travelers and one Emergency man now employed. He

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further reported that the future looked fair with three power houses and a hospital combining with Government work to assure steady employment.

Delegate Reed, of Local No. 87, reported that work in his territory had slacked off recently with the big Braun job being cut back to 40 hours. He further reported very few room and board-jobs at the present but that the future looked good with a power house at San Angelo, some very large boilers at Rockdale, three other power houses combining with several other large jobs making the future for this area look very bright. He also reported that his Local was four Improvers shy on the ratio but that that condition will be corrected next meeting.

Delegate Sullivan, of Local No. 94, reported work fair at the present time with five Travelers and no Emergency men employed. He also reported a membership of 32 Mechanics and 11 Improvers and stated that the future looks good.

Delegate Rodriguez, of Local No. 106, reported a membership of 29 Mechanics and 10 Improvers with five Travelers and five Emergency men also being employed. He further reported that although work was slow at the present time that the future looks fair.

At the conclusion of reports of delegates, the meeting was thrown into an open discussion. Business Agent H. C. Thomas, of Local No. 102, Freeport, Tex., appeared before the Conference requesting affiliation for his Local. After quite a bit of discussion, Brother Hullinghorst suggested that Brother Thomas be accepted as a fraternal delegate with a voice but no vote in the Conference meetings. This would allow a representative of Local No. 102 to sit in at the Conference meetings and keep up to date on problems affecting this part of the country without setting a precedent of actually admitting Maintenance Locals to the Conferences. A motion incorporating Brother Hullinghorst's suggestion, properly seconded, carried unanimously.

The importance of the letter sent to all Local Unions by Secretary Sickles as a result of the General Executive Board meeting in March was explained by Vice President Hullinghorst and he stressed the necessity of all Locals being very careful to take the letter seriously. He gave the opinion that the Locals of the Southwest Conference were in pretty good shape in regards to the letter and stated that he certainly hoped that none of them would be guilty of jeopardizing their future.

A general discussion about the Welfare Plan was followed by a request from the Chair polling the Southwest Conference Locals not having the plan as to their intentions in their coming agreements. The poll showed practically a unanimous desire for the plan.

The delegates were informed that their shops could secure maps of our Conference at a very small charge by notifying the Secretary of the Conference.

The prefabrication of fittings and materials was discussed at some length and it was agreed that more information should be sought on this subject so that our International would get a better picture of what to decide.

Various parties involved in charges and investigations were instructed to meet with Brother Hullinghorst early in the afternoon so that he could complete the files on these cases.

A telegram from Mr. A. J. Essary, of the Acme Insulation and Supply Co., extending a welcome to the visiting delegates, was read and ordered put into the minutes by the Chair. Tulsa was chosen as the next meeting place of the Conference in September.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:15 p. m., to attend a luncheon in the Rose Room for visiting delegates and contractors. Present also at the luncheon were International Vice President Roy James and local Business Agent Dan Reynolds, of Sheet Metal Workers. Meanwhile the ladies were being guests of Local No. 21 at the Century Room at the Hotel Adolphus.

At 6 p. m. delegates and wives and visitors were guests of the Contractors' Association at a cocktail party in the Junior Ballroom of the Jefferson Hotel followed at 7:30 by the Contractors' Association dinner for the same group in the Walnut Room of the Jefferson Hotel. The finale was a Southwest Conference dance at Pappy's Showland for delegates, contractors, and visitors.

Respectfuly submitted,
W. A. JACKSON,
Secretary.

WESTERN STATES

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH
February 28, 1953.

The meeting of the Western States Conference of Asbestos Workers was held on the above date at the Newhouse Hotel, Salt Lake City, Utah, and was called to order at 9 a. m. by Conference President Albert E. Hutchinson; International Vice Presidents Albert E. Hutchinson and Darrell Kammer, along with other Conference officers, Secretary M. F. Chase and Treasurer Oliver H. Gagner; Vice Presidents Mike Bergin and Darrell Kammer were in attendance.

Secretary Chase reported that all parties present were properly credentialed with exception of Brother Gagner. Brother Gagner reported he was attending on his own, to consummate his Treasurer's duties.

Moved, seconded and passed that the following delegates be seated: Local No. 5, Los Angeles, Calif., Vice President John R. Talbert and Business Agent Albert E. Hutchinson; Local No. 7, Seattle, Wash., President Thomas Roe and Business Agent Darrell Kammer; Local No. 16, San Francisco and Sacramento, Calif., President Ray P. Grist and Business Agent M. F. Chase; Local No. 20, Long Beach, Calif., Naval Shipyard, Secretary Webster F. Ay; Local No. 23, Boise, Idaho, Delegate Arthur G. Johnson and Business Agent Earl H. Anderson; Local No. 36, Portland, Oreg., President Hans Mahlow and Business Agent Earl B. Kirkland; Local No. 50, Tacoma, Wash., Business Agent Darrel Kammer; Local No. 62, Bremerton, Wash., Naval Shipyard, Business Agent M. I. Hensley; Local No. 69, Salt Lake City, Utah, President A. F. Bullough, Business Agent Frank Calegory; Local No. 70, Vallejo, Calif., Naval Shipyard, President Howard K. Snyder; Local No. 82, Spokane, Wash., President William Crosby, Business Agent Mike Bergin; Local No. 97, Anchorage, Alaska, Business Agent McVeigh Whitson; Local No. 101, Billings, Mont., Business Agent Ben Hartung. Secretary Chase pointed out that he had received no credentials from Local No. 29 of San Francisco, Calif., Naval Shipyard or Local No. 73, Phoenix, Ariz., Brother Joe Cole having been ill.

Report of Financial Committee of National Assessments for Convention:

Brothers Ay and Hutchinson gave

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a detailed report on all costs of the National Convention. Moved, seconded and passed "the report be accepted"—moved, seconded and passed "the secretary send report to all affiliated Conference Locals"—moved, seconded and passed "that balance of Convention funds be deposited in the Conference General Fund"—moved, seconded and passed "the secretary send letter of appreciation to those Locals having members who contributed individually (Local No. 62) and to Local No. 108, who contributed 100 per cent even though not affiliated with the W. S. C. A. W."

Moved, seconded and passed unanimously "that a letter of thanks be sent to all Locals and employers who contributed to make the Convention a success."

Considerable discussion prevailed over the fact Locals No. 70 or No. 62 did not participate in sponsoring our National Convention even though it was understood at the time of establishment, it would be a unanimous action of W. S. C. A. W. affiliated.

Communications: Letter from International in regard to inserting, by the International, the word "minimum" in our new Constitution and By-Laws. All expressed extreme gratification over the consideration given in this matter. Letter relative to new Gilsulate material (underground insulation) referred to new business.

Brother Calegory, of Host Local No. 69, announced luncheon at 12 noon and banquet and dance to be held in the hotel at 8 p. m. Adjournment for luncheon at 11:45 a. m. by motion. Reconvene at 1:30 p. m.

Called to order at 1:30 p. m. by President Hutchinson. All officers and delegates present.

Moved, seconded and passed "all communications be filed as the secretary had made proper replies."

Local Union delegates' reports:

Delegates Hutchinson and Talbert, of Local No. 5, report 260 members, Improvers on ratio, 10 men in service, $2.90 per hour, 7½ cents health and welfare, $6 per day for each day worked on board and room, agreement expires on May 28, 1953, increase anticipated along with change in zones, health and welfare plan working very well, contributions started April 7, 1952, 80 hours qualifying period, receipts on health and welfare to December 31, 1952, $26,700, premiums to same date $15,000, paying $9.55 per month per man, claims of $6,500 paid for same period, carrier Occidental Co., plan on increasing benefits during second year, carrier very good in processing claims, John Suitor, Local No. 5, financial secretary, is a trustee and the administrator, receives $150 per month for services, if the individuals covered under the plan would just read the plan's provisions and limitations, much work could be eliminated. Dues are $10 per month, which includes $1,000 life policy on all members.

Delegates Kammer and Roe, of Local No. 7, reports 50 members, 38 Mechanics, 12 Improvers, two of these in Service, $2.67½ per hour plus 7½ cents health and welfare, $38.50 per week seven days subsistence, they have three transportation zones, their agreement expires May 8 and they anticipate a raise, their health and welfare plan is functioning good, premium of $9.70 per month per man, relations with their employers are improving, health and welfare costs $4 a year for each man for administration.

Delegates Chase and Grist, of Local No. 16, report 260 active members working, of these 52 are Improvers and 33 Mechanics of the Local are traveling, three are unemployed through illness, eight men in Service. They have 17 Travelers working in their area plus about 80 Emergency Asbestos Workers. They are presently employing 360 man total—of their present working staff 280 men are union Asbestos Workers, remaining 80 are building tradesmen and ex-service men, $2.90 per hour plus 7½ cents health and welfare, $42 per week seven days' subsistence, work picture looks very good through power houses, refineries, schools, public building and chemical plants plus five new Mariner type ships to start about middle of 1953, health and welfare plan under Occidental Co., working very well in all respects, claims paid promptly, employer contributions good. Their financial secretary, Emmet Meehan, administers their plan under the direction of the joint trustees for $100 per month, 386 men were covered during February. They pay $9 per month dues including $1,000 mortuary insurance. Their agreement expires August 1, 1953, and anticipate a raise. Employer relations are very good with 17 signed contractors. Overtime very minor and spotty. Want Travelers. Locals No. 108 and No. 70 joining their mortuary plan—No. 108 their welfare.

Delegate Ay, of Local No. 20, reports membership of 30, four of these are Improvers. Nine men on Travelers, 84 men are working at the trade there. Dues are $5 per month, scale of $2.05 with some premium wage being paid, hope for a 10-cent or 8-cent increase soon. Major part of their work in Marine conversion. Hope to entertain the next Western States Conference meeting and delegates in Long Beach. They have 41 days a year pay without working as their fringe benefits. Affiliated with the California State Metal Trades Council. Respectfully request all affiliates as individuals to work through letters for the abolishment of the Thomas rider. Relations with their sister Locals all very good; future work load questionable.

Delegates Anderson and Johnson, of Local No. 23, report 15 Mechanics and two Improvers membership Five on Travelers. Dues are $5 per month plus 25 cents work day assessment. Subsistence $35 for seven days. Scale $2.34 per hour. Plan on entering Seattle, Tacoma, health and welfare plan. Twenty-seven men on their job at Arco, of these 13 are union Asbestos Workers. Anticipate 20-cent raise plus 7½ cents per hour health and welfare.

Delegates from Local No. 29 were absent.

Delegates Kirkland and Mahlow of Local No. 36 report 106 members, 11 of these are Improvers, three traveling, two in service. Scale $2.75 per hour plus 10 cents hour welfare. Subsistence $6 per day, seven days a week. Dues are $5 per month plus 25 cents work day assessment. Their agreement expires July 1, 1953. Their Health and Welfare plan is doing fine and is solvent, their carrier the Aetna Company. They anticipate additional benefits, their insurance costs $11.67 per month per man. Work is very good.

Delegate Kammer of Local No. 50 reports membership 34, four Improvers, one in service. Scale $2.67½ plus 7½ cents welfare plan, $28.50 subsistence, work very good and need Travelers. Forty hour week, dues $5 per month plus 10 cents per work day assessment.

Delegate Hensley of Local No. 62 reports membership 63, 53 working in yard, one in service. One hundred and thirty-eight men working at trade in yard. Scale $2.05 with four men at fourth step at $2.13. They

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have recently won a yard decision over insulation on rectangular ducts that the joiners had been applying; also won placements on three craft committees. Their control of the trade is restricted as the government hires all men. A current survey is being made over wage increases. Work load is very stable for the next year. Initiation fee is $75.

Delegate Calegory and Bullough of Local No. 69 report members 52, there are three over their Improver ratio, one in the Service, one killed in action, dues are $6 per month, subsistence $5.50 per day or $35 per week. Initiation fee $100. Scale $2.51 per hour. Negotiating wages of western average of $2.74 plus 7½ cents welfare.

Delegate Snyder of Local No. 70 reports 30 men in Local, five of these are traveling. Fifty working at the trade in the yard. Have no Improvers. Scale $2.14, two men receiving fourth step ($2.22). Work load looks good. Dues are $5.50 per month. Most of their men occasionally work under Local No. 16 and relations are good. None in the Service.

Delegate of Local No. 73 absent. Brother Hutchinson reported their work load was good and that Brother Joe Cole had been ill.

Delegates Bergin and Crosby of Local No. 82 report membership 72, of these 11 are Improvers and 18 are on Traveler. Wage rate $2.62½. Subsistence $5.50 per day seven days a week, subsistence starts 20 miles out. They receive 8 cents per mile and travel time to the job. Dues are $6 per month; have a mortuary plan carrying $1,000 life insurance and a 7½ cent welfare plan. Their agreement expires July 1, 1953, and anticipate a raise. Work is good and the future looks very good. They pay 76 cents per month for their $1,000 mortuary insurance through their carrier, Great West Life.

Delegate Whitson of Local No. 97 reports 46 members, 11 are Improvers, two in the Service. Total of 75 men working in the area. They have 17 Travelers and 18 men under clearance. Six of their members are on Traveler. Wage rate is $3.70 per hour plus 7½ cents welfare. Nearly all jobs work overtime. Work load looks exceptionally even for next winter. Dues are $1 per month. They plan shortly to place a full time business agent in the field through a $1 per day worked assessment. Brother Whitson further reported on their wage problems and negotiations.

Delegate Hartung of Local No. 101 reports 27 members, of these six are Improvers, 14 are working and 10 are on Traveler. Scale of $2.51½ per hour plus 7½ cents welfare, $7 per day subsistence but not to exceed $35 per week. Work load looks good. Dues $6 per month. One man in Service.

Unfinished Business. Subject: Gilsulate insulation (underground insulation) manufactured by American Gilsonite Company, 248 South Main Street, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Secretary Chase read copy of a letter sent to John P. Williams of the above company by the distributors for Northern California, the Western Fibrous Glass Products Company. Various delegates reported on the application of this insulation for underground piping in their areas. Moved, seconded and unanimously passed that all Locals must apply this material and so notify any known distributors and manufacturers.

New Business. Moved, seconded and passed unanimously that Long Beach, Calif., via host Local No. 20, be the next conference site to be called at the discretion of our chairman.

Nominations and elections of officers: Moved, seconded, Brother Ay be nominated for treasurer. Moved, seconded, Brother Gagner be nominated. Nomination withdrawn. Motion passed unanimously. Moved, seconded and passed unanimously that all other current officers be renominated and elected, namely, President Hutchinson, Vice President Kammer, Vice President Bergin and Secretary Chase. Secretary instructed to cast white ballot for all of these candidates.

Good and Welfare: Discussion of Metal Trades on Marine work problems; general trade problems; inferior materials of different manufacturers; status of mechanical and refrigeration contractors.

Regularly moved, seconded and passed that the Treasurer notify all affiliated Local Unions the 15th of any month following the close of any quarter of any delinquent per capita. All Locals were requested to work for a united front relative to health and welfare plans.

Financial Secretary's and Treasurer's report: $4,222.20 receipts, $1,723.21 expenditures, $2.498.99 balance. Brothers Ay, Bergin and Gagner were appointed as a committee to go over the books and found all in order. Moved, seconded and passed that the Secretary send a detailed report of Convention fund expenditures and receipts to all affiliated Locals. Moved, seconded and passed that the Secretary send a detailed report of all bills to affiliated locals.

The Chair declared that as of 9 a. m., caucus appointment would be held in the Newhouse meeting rooms for all delegates desiring same. Adjournment at 6:30 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,
M. F. CHASE,
Secretary.

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Member Suspended (Non-Payment of Dues)

Reg. No.	*Name*	*Local No.*
15634	Samuel Horowitz	104

Members Lapsed (Non-Payment of Dues)

Reg. No.	*Name*	*Local No.*
15495	Grover E. Lines	4
18702	Billie J. Gadberry	5
10304	Robert L. Tangney	5
18892	Joseph Connerney	6
19004	Vernon E. Cole	16
19045	Salvatore F. Stefanello	16
16809	Kenneth D. Ross	23
16477	Leonard A. Luther	23
2939	Floyd Terry	24
16945	Jack R. Vaill	31
17552	Thomas F. Kelsch	40
9005	Henry Broeker	47
8547	James E. Hayde	47
18339	Wallace D. Brandt	50
11690	Herbert W. Seewer	51
14417	David O. Taylor	52
18646	John Ewacha	59
18206	Douglas G. Cruickshank	59
18967	Ivo Bischof	59
15253	Kenneth B. Barnes	72
17977	Walter J. Drohan	95
15770	Arthur Matzat	95
18323	Arthur J. Kelley	98
17421	Thomas J. Horan	98
15493	George Goren	104
18778	Max Wilkie	110

Members Lapsed (Failure to Renew Traveling Card)

Reg. No.	*Name*	*Local No.*
8813	Frank J. Noykos	47
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No. 13—JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—Meets 2nd Monday of each month at 8 p. m., Labor Temple, 808 Main St.
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Financial Secretary—Coy F. Bush, 2775 Myra St. Phone 7-6779.
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No. 14—PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Meets 1st Wednesday at 1324 Melon St.
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Financial Secretary—Howard A. Cook, 203 S. Poplar St. Phone: 62-7664.
Business Agent—Ralph W. Cross, 726 North D, Arkansas City, Kans. Phone: 598-W.

No. 16—SAN FRANCISCO, SACRAMENTO AND FRESNO, CALIF.—Meets 2nd and 4th Monday at Building Trades Temple, 14th and Guerrero Sts., San Francisco, Calif.
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No. 17—CHICAGO, ILL.—Meets 1st Thursday at Engineering Bldg., 205 West Wacker Drive. Zone 6.
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President—Al Burns, 8754 Harper Ave. Regent 1178.
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Financial Secretary—Arthur G. Anderson, Room 922 Engineering Bldg., 205 West Wacker Dr.
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No. 18—INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Meets 2nd Thursday at Mechanical Trades Bldg., 512 No. Illinois St.
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Financial Secretary—Robert Alford, Church St., Fortville, Ind. Phone: 115.
Business Agent—Robert J. Scott, 946 North Highland Ave., Zone 2. Atlantic 4234.

No. 19—MILWAUKEE, MANITOWOC, MADISON, APPLETON, WAUSAU and GREEN BAY, WIS.—Meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 2317 N. Teutonia Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.
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No. 20—LONG BEACH, CALIF., NAVY YARD—Meets 4th Friday at Long Beach Central Labor Temple, 1236 Locust Ave.
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No. 21—DALLAS, FORT WORTH, TEX., AND SHREVEPORT, LA.—Meets 4th Tuesday at Labor Temple, 1727 Young St., Dallas 1, Tex., at 7:30 p. m.
Office—1727 Young St., Dallas 1, Tex. Sterling 3266. Open daily; Saturday until Noon.
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No. 22—HOUSTON, BEAUMONT, PORT ARTHUR, GALVESTON, TEX.—Meets 3rd Friday at Electrical Workers Hall, 2501½ Crawford St. Houston, Tex.
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Financial Secretary—Brooks D. Baker, Sr., 815 Roosevelt Dr., La Marque, Tex.
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No. 23—BOISE, IDAHO—Meets 4th Friday at Boise Labor Temple, 613 Idaho St., at 7:30 p. m.
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Business Agent—Arthur G. Johnson, 1942 Leadville Ave. Phone: 2-6182.

No. 24—WASHINGTON, D. C.—Meets 3rd Monday at Pythian Temple, 1012 9th St., N. W.
Office—(Open 8:30 a. m. to 4 p. m.) Room 403, 600 F St., N. W. Zone 4. NA. 8-0158.
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No. 25—DETROIT, MICH.—Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at Danish Brotherhood Temple, 12th St. and Forrest Ave.

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No. 26—ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 118 N. Fitzhugh St.
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No. 28—DENVER, COLO., AND LARAMIE, WYO.—Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at Building and Trades Inc., 1450 Lawrence St., Denver, Colo.
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No. 30—SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Meets 1st Friday, 8 p. m., at Salt City Post VFW Hall.
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No. 31—PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Meets 3rd Friday 8 p. m., Carpenters' Hall, 85 Broadway.
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No. 32—ESSEX AND HUDSON COUNTY, N. J. Meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 56 19th Ave., Bohemian Hall, 19th Ave. and 17th St., Newark, N. J.
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No. 33—CONNECTICUT—Meets 1st Friday at Hotel and Restaurant Employes Hall, 72½ East Main St., Meriden, Conn.
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No. 34—MINNEAPOLIS AND ST. PAUL, MINN.—Meets 2nd Wednesday at 117 Fourth St., S. E., Minneapolis, Minn.
President—Harold Hedlund, 2626 James Ave. No., Minneapolis, Minn. Jupiter 1320.
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No. 35—YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO—Meets 4th Friday at 60 W. Indianola Ave.
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Corresponding Secretary—Richard Mohr, Sr., 138 Ayers St., Zone 8. Phone: 6-3122.
Financial Secretary—Merrill E. Lutz, 214 Hughes St., Zone 2. Phone: 6-4066.
Business Agent—Richard Mohr Sr., 138 Ayers St., Zone 8. Phone: 6-3122.

No. 36—PORTLAND, OREG.—Meets 2nd Friday at Labor Temple.
President—Hans Mahlow, 3905 S. E. Main. EM. 2730.
Corresponding Secretary—Earl B. Kirkland, 2303 Fairmount Ave., Vancouver, Wash. TW. 9808.
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No. 37—EVANSVILLE, IND.—Meets 2nd Saturday at Central Labor Union Building, 210 N. Fulton Ave., 7 p. m.
President—James Alexander, 1200 E. 5th St., Metropolis, Ill.
Corresponding Secretary—Jesse W. Conkwright, week ends: 202 Oakley St., phone 5-2545; week days, R.R. 7, Paducah, Ky., phone 3-4252.
Financial Secretary—Carl A. Procaskey, 1902 W. Virginia St. Phone: 3-2858.
Business Agent—Jesse W. Conkwright, week ends: 202 Oakley St., phone 5-2545; week days: R.R. 7, Paducah, Ky., phone 3-4252.

No. 38—WILKES-BARRE AND SCRANTON, PA.—Meets last Saturday at 7 p. m., at Carpenters' Hall, 41 East Market St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
President—William Linker, 456 North Washington St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
Corresponding Secretary—H. C. Bressler, 59 Eley St., Kingston, Pa. Phone: 7-4780.
Financial Secretary—H. C. Bressler, 59 Eley St., Kingston, Pa. Phone: 74780.
Business Agent—H. C. Bressler, 59 Eley St., Kingston, Pa. Phone: 7-4780.

No. 39—OMAHA, NEBR.—Meets 1st Friday at Labor Temple, 19th and California Sts.
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Financial Secretary—Harlan H. Marr, 7715 No. 39th St., Rt. 6, Ke. 4879.
Business Agent—Don C. Chrisman, 4104 No. 25th Ave., Pl. 9576.

No. 40—ALBANY, N. Y.—Meets 1st Friday at Labor Temple.
President—Forda LaBonte, 172 Bridge Ave., Cohoes, N. Y. Cedar 7-4194.
Corresponding Secretary—Roy Van Alstyne, 792 Park Ave., Zone 3. Phone: 2-4754.
Financial Secretary—Roy Van Alstyne, 792 Park Ave., Zone 3. Phone: 2-4754.
Business Agent—Roy Van Alstyne, 792 Park Ave., Zone 3. Phone: 2-4754.

No. 41—FORT WAYNE, IND.—Meets 1st Friday at 213½ W. Main St.
President—Delmar Baker, R. D. 1, Churubusco, Ind. Phone: 3262.
Corresponding Secretary—Raymond Colvin, 2015 Phenie St., Zone 6. Phone: A-3-9344.
Financial Secretary—Harry Lynch, 1122 Curdes Ave. Phone: E-72933.
Business Agent—Lew Ambler, Rt. 2, St. Joe Road, Zone 8. Phone: A-8-0298.

No. 42—WILMINGTON, DEL.—Meets 2nd Monday at Christopher Columbus Italian-American Benevolent Society, 305 Walnut St.
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Corresponding Secretary—Wm. H. Carlisle, Hamilton Park, New Castle, Del., Phone: Wilmington 4-6982.
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Business Agent—Harry E. Mahan, 709 West Ave., Holloway Terrace, New Castle, Del. Phone: 4-3400.

No. 43—SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—Meets 3rd Friday at Central Labor Hall, 25 Sanford St.
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Corresponding Secretary—Henry S. Koziol, 28 Pepin Ave., Easthampton, Mass. Phone 1550.
Financial Secretary — Ernest Blair, 153 Bowles St., Zone 9. Phone: 4-4623.
Business Agent—Henry S. Koziol, 28 Pepin Ave., Easthampton, Mass. Phone 1550.

No. 44—COLUMBUS, OHIO—Meets 1st Friday at Carpenters' Hall, 283 East Rich St.
President—Jeanne O. Clayton, 661 East Rathbone Road. Jefferson 7851.
Corresponding Secretary—Eldon R. Clayton, 391 East Jeffrey Place. Ludlow 3306.
Financial Secretary—Eldon R. Clayton, 391 East Jeffrey Place. Ludlow 3306.
Business Agent—Eldon R. Clayton, 391 East Jeffrey Place. Ludlow 3306.

No. 45—TOLEDO, OHIO—Meets 4th Friday at Labor Temple, Adams at 10th St.
President—William Momsen, 2718 Stateview. Wa. 0931.
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No. 46—KNOXVILLE, TENN.—Meets 1st Friday at Labor Temple.
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Corresponding Secretary—Robert Loudy, Jr., 119 So. Germantown Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Financial Secretary—J. J. Starnes, Rt. No. 4, Johnson City, Tenn. Phone: 1591-X.
Business Agent—A. L. Poole, 431 Churchwell Ave., N. E. Phone: 4-0563.

No. 47—GRAND RAPIDS, LANSING, JACKSON, KALAMAZOO AND SAGINAW MICH.—Meets 1st Friday at Lansing Labor Temple, 135 N. Cedar St.
President—Fay L. Peck, 2801 S. Dort Highway, Flint, Mich.
Corresponding Secretary—Lawrence F. Brimmer, 6800 N. Dort Highway, Flint 7, Mich. Sunset 9-8412.
Financial Secretary—Fred Hartsell, 1728 Forest Drive, West Lake, Kalamazoo 68, Mich. Phone: 3-3538.
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No. 48—ATLANTA, GA.—Meets 2nd Friday at Labor Temple.
President—J. H. Street, 1186 Eddie Ave., S. E. Dixie 8272.
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Business Agent—H. M. Hoffman, 1608 Woodbine Ave., S. E. Dearborn 4595.

No. 49—DULUTH, MINN.—Meets 2nd Friday at Labor Temple, 320 W. 1st St.
President—Thomas Thorstensen, Sr., 901 W. 9th St. Zone 6. Phone: 2-3876.
Corresponding Secretary—Howard E. Pearson, Rt. 2, Box 981-A. Phone: 7-5603.
Financial Secretary, Erik W. Judeen, 1302 W. 1st St. Zone 6. Phone 2-6574.
Business Agent—Dale Chilberg, 2216 W. 8th St. Phone: 7-2848.

No. 50—TACOMA, WASH.—Meets 1st Monday at Labor Temple, 15th and Market St.
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Corresponding Secretary—Gordon Findley, 3122 Glendale Dr. Pr. 5080.
Financial Secretary—John D. Baile, 4610 So. Park Ave., Zone 8. Ha. 3131.
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No. 51—LOUISVILLE, KY.—Meets 2nd and 4th Friday at Board of Trade Bldg., N. W. Corner of 3rd and Main Sts., Room 108.
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Corresponding Secretary—George Ryan, 127 Colonial Drive, Taylor 9618.
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No. 52—OAK RIDGE, TENN. (Clinton Engineer Works Maintenance only)—Meets

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Financial Secretary—Walter L. Johnson, 509 So. Patton Ave., Rockwood, Tenn. Phone: 84-R.
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No. 53—NEW ORLEANS AND BATON ROUGE, LA., AND JACKSON, MISS.— Meets 3rd Friday, 8:30 p. m., at B. K. of A. Hall, 627 North St.
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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.— Meets 4th Saturday of month at 8 p. m. at 51 So. Jackson St., Mobile, Ala.
Office—51 So. Jackson St., Mobile, Ala. Phone: 8-3085.
President—G. T. Lose, 213 Aragon Courts, Pensacola, Fla.
Corresponding Secretary—E. P. Jeter, 1208 New St. Francis St., Mobile, Ala. Phone: 3-8207.
Financial Secretary—Cecil E. Brown, 1553 So. Washington Ave., Mobile, Ala. Phone: 3-0136.
Business Agent—Cecil E. Brown, 1553 So. Washington Ave., Mobile, Ala. Phone: 3-0136.

No. 56—WOOD RIVER, ILL. (Oil Refinery only)—Meets 4th Friday at Central Labor Union Headquarters.
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Corresponding Secretary—H. E. Straub, Box 124, Mitchell, Ill. Tri-City 6-5470.
Financial Secretary—H. E. Straub, Box 124, Mitchell, Ill. Tri-City 6-5470.
Business Agent—John H. Williams, 9847 Jeffery Drive, St. Louis, Mo. Fireside 7833.

No. 57—SIOUX CITY, IOWA— Meets last Friday at 8 p. m. at Labor Temple.
President—Joseph H. Schimberg, 721 Dubuque St. Phone: 5-7204.
Corresponding Secretary—Frank J. Gibbons, 1601 So. Lakeport St. Phone: 6-5965.
Financial Secretary—Frank J. Gibbons, 1601 So. Lakeport St. Phone: 6-5965.
Business Agent—John P. Hanlon, 4629 Laurel Ave. Phone: 6-5965.

No. 58—MONTREAL, QUEBEC, CANADA.— Meets 4th Friday at 8 p. m. at 3560 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal, Quebec.
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Corresponding Secretary—Maurice Bleau, 2668 Dandurand St., Zone 36.
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Business Agent—Joseph Laforce, 4697 Chambord St. HO. 7900.

No. 59—PORT ARTHUR AND FORT WILLIAM, ONTARIO, CANADA— Meets every 4th Wednesday in Wilson Street Hall. Port Arthur, Ontario.
President—Victor H. Blunt, 218 McIntyre St., Port Arthur, Ont.
Corresponding Secretary—William Andrusyk, 275 Spruce Crescent, Port Arthur, Ontario. Phone: 4-1198.
Financial Secretary—William Andrusyk, 275 Spruce Crescent, Port Arthur, Ontario. Phone: 4-1198.

No. 60—MIAMI, FLA.— Meets 2nd Thursday at Labor Temple, 925 N. E. 1st Ave.
President—J. H. Kinsey, 4407 Anderson Rd., Coral Gables, Fla.
Corresponding Secretary—Herman A. Hubert, 290 N. W. 32nd Place. Phone: 33-6146.
Financial Secretary—James D. Moore, 2609 N. W. 7th St. Phone: 4-3650.
Business Agent—Joe E. Henry, 4600 N. W. 6th St. Phone: 4-0204.

No. 61—CHARLOTTE, N. C.— Meets 2nd Saturday at Labor Union Hall, 920 West Trade St.
President—Willard M. Dye, 520 E. Davidson St., Gastonia, N. C. Phone: 7807.
Corresponding Secretary—Calvin E. Miller, P. O. Box 8172. Phone: 6-7912.
Financial Secretary—Calvin E. Miller, P. O. Box 8172. Phone: 6-7912.
Business Agent—C. M. Stoop, 1608 Sumter Ave., Zone 6. Phone: 2-4295.

No. 62—PUGET SOUND NAVAL SHIPYARD, BREMERTON, WASH.— Meets 2nd Monday at Labor Temple, 550 Burwell St.
President—Orvo W. Sandberg, Box 61, Gorst, Wash.
Corresponding Secretary—Marion I. Hensley, P. O. Box 1817, Station A. Phone: 3-7602.
Financial Secretary—Marion I. Hensley, P. O. Box 1817, Station A. Phone: 3-7602.
Business Agent—Marion I. Hensley, P. O. Box 1817, Station A. Phone: 3-7602.

No. 63—SPRINGFIELD, MO.— Meets 1st Saturday at the Pythian Castle Hall 1126 Boonville at 10 a. m.
President—Sam Shipley, Rt. 1, Galena, Kans.
Corresponding Secretary—H. L. McCaskill, 3225 Main St. Rd., Joplin, Mo. Phone: 4686-W.
Financial Secretary—H. L. McCaskill, 3225 Main St. Rd., Joplin, Mo. Phone: 4686-W.
Business Agent—Clyde Hymer, 1502 Pennsylvania Ave., Joplin, Mo. Phone: 8191-J.

No. 64—TULSA, OKLA.— Meets 1st Sunday at Iron Workers Hall, 432 No. Boston at 10 a. m.
President—J. H. Jackson, 716 So. Elgin. Phone: 3-9792.
Corresponding Secretary — George Majors, 1844 E. 16th St. Phone: 6-6086.
Financial Secretary—Fred Barton, Box 506 Sperry, Okla. Phone 45.
Business Agent—Lewis Hart, 1844 E. 16th St. Phone: 6-6086.

No. 65—YORK, PA.— Meets 2nd Thursday at Labor Temple.
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Corresponding Secretary—Richard S. Liek, Rt. No. 1, Mount Wolf, Pa.
Financial Secretary—Richard S. Liek, Rt. No. 1, Mount Wolf, Pa.
Business Agent—Alfred K. Gotwalt, 390 E. Market St., Hellam, Pa.

No. 66—AMARILLO AND BORGER, TEX.— Meets 1st Sunday at Carpenters' Hall, Borger, Tex., at 10 a. m.
President—L. F. Gipson, 701 Delaware, Borger, Tex. Phone: 2084-M.
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