Members and Friends of the Minneapolis Trade Union Movement – Support the Industrial Exposition and Harvest Festival at the Minneapolis Auditorium from November 19-27! For the Minneapolis labor movement to be housed together in one Labor Temple would be a progressive move. ALL OUT to the HARVEST FESTIVAL!
Coal Drivers, Helpers Sign New '38 Working Agreement
Contract Provides for 75 Cent Minimum, and Complete Holiday Pay For Hour Work Guarantee

About four hundred and fifty coal drivers, yard laborers and carmen are affected by the new coal agreement which was signed last week between General Motors Local 114 and the Coal Dealers Contractors Committee. The contract, as represented by John B. Carsten of the G.M. Local, is the result of four weeks of talks for all coal workers.

The "no strike" clause in the agreement is due to the fact that the local is not powerfully organized. Men are employed by half a dozen firms, with the result that no one firm is large enough to have much leverage.

The contract provides an increase of 75 cents an hour for the first 5 hours at 50 cents an hour for the next 5 hours, with no additional pay for the 10 hours worked. All drivers who work past 10 hours will receive an additional 25 cents. The increase is spread over a period of six weeks.

The new agreement is the result of the work of the Coal Dealers Contractors Committee, headed by J. B. Carsten. The committee, which was formed two months ago, has met several times with the G.M. Local.

VOORHEES CASE A STRUGGLE FOR UNION PICKETS

Workers all over the country ought to get a good look at the new 1938 coal contract that this local has signed. We are happy that we have been able to get the increase. But why should we lock us? We only unlock them.

Bill Brown
President of the 114

100 Delegates at Midwest Woodworkers' Council Meet
By-Laws Adopted to Discourage Piece Work, Reduce Hours, Land Products Urged

The meeting of the Midwest Advisory Council of Furniture and Woodworking Employes convened in Chicago, Wisconsin, on Saturday, November 6, with more than 100 delegates in attendance. Several new unions have come into the Council since the last meeting in September.

The reports of the various locals indicated the encouraging progress being made by unions in this industry. It is generally agreed that the problem of organizing the small employers is one of the greatest problems facing the union movement.

Several delegates from the Woodworking Council of the Trades Department of the United Mine Workers, representing 30,000 workers in the industry, were in attendance.

BARREY BLAB
By A. M. Quyen
SPECIAL NOTICE

The J. B. Barry Co., of Chicago, has moved their offices to 1032 Marquette Ave., The Lafayette Building, Auto Landuse, a 120-foot head office, the first floor of 1032 Marquette Ave., The Lafayette Building, Auto Landuse, a 120-foot head office, the first floor.

Hennepin Cleaning & Dry Cleaning, Inc., 501 East Washington Ave., Minneapolis, will conduct a public auction of all of their equipment and furnishings on December 15.

Wool TRANSFER CO., Inc., Commercial Bldg., and Bldg., 3114 E. AVE. NORTH, Minneapolis, 7111

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How would you like to become a member of the Minnesota State Life Insurance Company for your own protection?

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Minnesota State Life Insurance Co.
Lincoln at Coffee

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HOLD THE ONE DG TWO MINUTES - ELEVEN O'CLOCK

With the Limousines

(From the Front Seat)
The old boys have a huge party for the boys last Tuesday evening. The American Legion had a good time.

Any time they give free beer, boys will be there to enjoy it. The parade on Armistice Day was a great success.

Four new members came to this town last week. Two of the guys are from the U.S. Army and the other two are from the Navy. They have been very helpful to everyone. The boys are happy to have them here.

Pink Flute: No, the flute with the mouthpiece is on the top of the page. That's right, we have that one too. We only hope that they keep it.

George Lucas has been in bed with a bad case of Pink Flute—no kids, he is all right.

Last Saturday there were about 200 cars at the U.S. Army parade in town.

We hear the initiation is to go to the last night. It looks like the biggest parade ever.

Pink Flute: We have a big parade tonight on November 14 at the Armistice Day event in town.

On the Route With the Milkman

Over 1,160 items attended the parade.

Federal Workers Turn Out to Demand Action

At a special membership meeting held on November 14 at 5 p.m., Local 14 at Frederick's last Friday, over 1,160 federal employees turned out to demand action on their grievances.

Grievances included a pay raise, a better work schedule, and an end to layoffs. These grievances have been outstanding for a long time, but the federal government has not been taking them seriously.

Retail Clerks Still Bargaining With Leader

With the retail clerks at the Local 1420 bargaining session last week, negotiations are still ongoing. The clerks are demanding increases in wages and benefits, while the management is offering minimal increases. The two sides have been at odds over these issues for months.