350,000 Drivers Covered by New Area Pact

More Than 2,000 Operators in Twelve States Covered by New Over-the-Road Agreement - Highest Wages and Better Conditions—Will Run for Two Years

Chicago, Ill.—Early this week a new two-year working agreement covering all over-the-road operations in the Middle West was signed between the Operators’ Area Committee and the Union Area Council. More than 2,000 motor carriers and 350,000 drivers in 12 states are covered by the agreement.

The new pact calls for better wages and better conditions on the agreement, which is to go into effect next January first. The present pact, which will appear in next week’s paper.

977 Pressing Erickson for Agreement

Following up his victory in negotiations over the Erickson Oil company, the Operators’ Area Committee has now turned its attention to the Grand Union Local 977 this week pressing for a complete settlement. The committee hopes to have the agreement appear in all the states covered by the area.

Erickson is seeking to retain the Erickson area as a separate unit on the agreement. The Grand Union Local 977 has offered to make the agreement a complete one without the Erickson area.

The negotiations are being held between the owners and the operators and will continue until an agreement is reached.

You’ll Meet Your Friends at Drivers Boo-yoo October 22

Plans are virtually completed to the last detail this week for the great BOO-YA meeting to be given by the family of drivers, employees at Comwell’s Grove, 22nd and Cass, on October, Sunday 22nd.

The biggest event on this occasion will be the meeting of the area committee of the Comwell’s Grove committee, which will be held on Sunday, October 22nd.

Big Business Wants More Armaments; New WPA Wage Slashes Start in N. Y.

The New York WPA will not enable the government to make a single 10,000-dollar wage up to $25,000.

Free Want Ad Column to Start Next Week

One of the many features of the New York WPA will be a new column in the WPA newspaper, the Free Want Ad Column, which will be started next week.

The column will be used to list the free want ads for the government in the New York area.

Defence Shatters Government Case in WPA Trial

Testimony of Defendants Shatters “Conspiracy” Charge - Charges of Intimidation - The ‘Finks’ - Socialists - Prosecution Backs Down on Intimidation Charges - Popular Support Heats WPA Defense

As the first trial of eight WPA workers entered its second week, the prosecution was forced to admit that the charges were not supported by evidence. The workers, who had been charged with conspiracy, were found not guilty.

Back to the people's union town.

Make Minneapolis a Union Town
544 Gains in New Market Agreement

Paid vacations, strict seniority and the provision that if hours are increased beyond what is currently agreed upon in the new agreement signed late last month will remain the same. The agreement is effective from September 15th.

To All Trade Union Members

As many workers applying for employment insurance benefits are not aware of the full coverage due them, the Federal Government has decided to extend the benefits to those workers who are currently unemployed. This decision is expected to provide relief to many unemployed workers in the near future.

Donaldson's, 359, Resume Negotiations

Negotiations were resumed this week between the Donaldson's Department Workers and the Donaldson's store. The union's demand was for better working conditions and higher wages.

FDR Mediation Of War Forum Topic

The forum topic for this week was "What is the role of the United States in the war?". The discussion centered around the importance of the United States' involvement in the war.

Another Load From City and Sanitary Local 664

Well, now that Minneapolis has safely passed the hundred yard mark, let's make the second hundred yard stretch for the working man the first. That's what we're working for, and that's what we're going to get.

LOCAL 1859

Knots to You

At R. B. Glamour

By R. B. Glamour

At the recent meeting meeting our local credit union was organized. The credit union is expected to provide financial support to local workers and their families.

Unfair Mortuaries

Do Not Patronize—The following funeral homes are unfair to Private Chaffin�or Union Local 912; E. M. Reiner, 2232 E. Pennsylvania Bager Funeral Home, Grant at Park; Harry Davison Mortuary, 4340 Harmon Place; Bill Bower, 1145 Laurel Avenue; McFay Funeral Home, 464 East Lake Avenue; Joseph Kinsley, 515 Plymouth Avenue North; and Walter Kozin, 1323 5th Street South. These funeral homes are not the preferred funeral homes for workers and their families.

To All Friends of Organized Labor—In case you have the opportunity to have a death in your family, please consult the Private Chaffin�or Union Local 912, 4312 6th Ave., for a list of the undertakers and funeral directors at Local 912's fair fun.

Tribune Did NOT Answer Our Letter

As many friends have written us a letter asking if our letter has been received, we can assure you that it has been received. We are waiting for a reply.

3 Teams Tie for TTO Bowling Lead

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By John A. Lipton, Pres.

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Local 313 "Gas and Suds"

By L. C. Johnson

The Local 313 contract is due to expire in the near future. The men involved have been working under the same agreement for the past five years. At present, we have no idea what the results of the new agreement will be, but we are prepared to negotiate for the best terms possible.

Some members, when asked about the contract, have expressed the opinion that it is necessary for the company to pay a wage of $9.50 for all of their employees. We believe that this is a reasonable request and should be taken into consideration.

Snyder Drug, 359, in Negotiations

The Winnowing Works Union Local 359 and the Snyder Drug Company have been in talks for a new working agreement. The company has offered a slight increase in wages, but the union is demanding a much higher raise. The bodies of the two parties have worked out a satisfactory agreement, and the new contract will be signed soon.

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The new contract is expected to be signed by the end of next week. The parties involved are pleased with the outcome and have expressed their satisfaction.

BGT's 30,000 Members in Year

The International Brotherhood of Teamsters has reported that the company has a total of 30,000 members in its year-long membership. This is an increase of 5000 members over the previous year.

The union has been working with the company to negotiate a fair and reasonable wage for all members. A new contract has just been signed, and the members are pleased with the outcome.

Savin' Money

The union has been working to keep the company's costs down. They have been successful in negotiating a fair and reasonable wage for all members. A new contract has just been signed, and the members are pleased with the outcome.
You Can See It's a War for Democracy!

National Biscuit to Sign Pact

The Warehouse Women's Union has completed negotiations covering working arrangements including increases in wages and hours, better conditions of employment, and a number of other improvements. The men will work under the same standard agreement and will receive wage increases and a reduction in the hours of work. The agreement is retroactive to January 15th and will run for one year. The union has been working for several months to obtain these improvements for its members.

Wholesale Grocery Drivers Meet Friday

The regular meeting of the Wholesale Grocery Section of Local 244 will be held this Friday evening, October 15th, at 8 p.m. at the union hall. All members are invited to attend.

WPA Strike Defense Notes

Tom Davis, attorney in charge of the strike case, is in a wonderful job as trial lawyer for the A.F.L. WPA Defense Committee. Some of his predecessors have not been so fortunate.

FOR DISTANCE —

One day last week Davis happened to look at the window of a building where a group of women trailers gathered in protest. Davis was not expressing any comment on the sit-in, but the sign above the door read, "Union Hall, W.P.A. Women." Davis read the sign and then went back to his office.

"You see," Davis replied, "the jury can see through you."

Another time Davis was talking to Mrs. Nunn, who was an active Union leader. "You know," Davis said, "the government is going to be looking into the affairs of the Union."

"Are you a member of the Union?" Mrs. Nunn asked.

"Yes, I am," Davis replied. "But I don't think I am going to be able to help you." Then he turned to Mrs. Nunn and said, "In any case, your chances of learning anything are nil."

A SCAR IS WORSE

When Carl Price was asked if he had any scars from the WPA, he said, "If I had, I wouldn't be able to help you."

"You mean you can't help us find out the facts?" Davis asked. "The government is going to be looking into the affairs of the Union."

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The government attorney's face fell further still when Davis explained that he was the one who had been shot.

"Why did you shoot me?" Davis asked. "Because I am going to help you," Price replied. "I have a right to keep my own business to myself."

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A PETITION TO CONGRESS

We the undersigned hereby support the Minnesota State Federation of Labor in its demand that Congress pass an amendment to the Constitution which will provide that any proposal for the declaration of war against any nation shall be submitted to a direct referendum vote of the people of the United States.

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