

OFFICERS OF LOCAL #157

(Sworn in June 13, 1968)

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March 9, 1967

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Lupu and Edward Hohensheldt absent.

Minutes of previous meeting of February 9, 1967 read and a motion was made by Harold DeBouca and seconded by Charles Baker to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Gull 14, Hanson 14 at Ballston, Duplex 13 & Felnick 1.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported brick work at Cobleskill Bomb shelter to start Monday. Two new schools to be built, one at Wilton and one at So. Glens Falls. Nothing new on United Engineer job. New bridge job near Saratoga Lake to be split between Troy and Schenectady locals. Sawyer job pile driving to start, at G.E.

Mr. Phillips reports M.L.B. has 8 laborers at Hospital job. Randall & at Printing Plant. A non-union contractor, Madden Const Co. was low bidder on piece of Amsterdam Arterial. Community College job to be let next month.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported that John Duguid & son was awarded the Labor Temple renovation job over.

March 9, 1967

Report of Committees

Maurice Morley presented the report on the voting held Saturday, March 4, 1967 for the increasing of the monthly dues and initiation fees. There were 188 votes cast and the results were as follows:

Dues		Initiation fees	
For increase	Against increase	For increase	Against increase
To \$5.00 per month		To \$100.00	
92 votes	85 votes	143 votes	24 votes

There were 11 void ballots. Mr. Morley presented a typed report, signed by the Judges of Election to be entered into the minutes and made part of same.

A motion was made by Stephen De Vivo and seconded by Charles Baker to accept the report of the Judges of Election as reported to the membership attending this meeting. None opposed.

New Business

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Stephen De Vivo that all members be notified by mail of the increases to be made in the dues and fees beginning May 1, 1967. None opposed.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Francis Carr, that the Judges of Election be paid the hourly rate for time spent overseeing the voting on the increase of dues & initiation fees. None opposed.

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Financial Report

A motion was made by Emory Daggs and seconded by Louis St. Louis to accept the Financial Report that was reported by the ^{Secretary} ~~Financial~~ ^{Treasurer} Secretary. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8.30 P.M.
30 members present

C. A. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

The report on the results of the voting on the raising of the initiation fees and dues.

On March 4, 1967 at 8:55 a.m. the ballot box was inspected by the two witnesses, F. L. Carr and L. Washington. The ballot box was found empty and then closed and locked.

Voting started at 9 a.m. and continued until 2 p.m., with the Judges of Election and Financial Secretary checking all books for eligibility. When a member was found eligible, their book was stamped, then they signed the register, received their ballot and then went into the voting booth provided. After they had voted, the ballot was put into the ballot box.

At 2:05 p.m. the ballot box was opened in front of the two witnesses, Nicholas Nocera and Salvatore Magavero, and counted.

The count was as follows:

\$ 4.00 no increase	85 votes
\$ 5.00 increase	92 votes
\$75.00 no increase	24 votes
\$100.00 increase	143 votes
Void Ballots	11
Total Ballots cast	188

(Signed) Judges of Elections

Maurice D. Morley
Maurice D. Morley

Anthony Landolfo
Anthony Landolfo

Paul Magavero
Paul Magavero

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Regular Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 8.00 P.M. President Phillips presiding as Chairman.

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Lupi and Carl Riorte absent. Dominick Pucci absent, reported sick.

Minutes of March 9, 1967 meeting read and a motion was made by Nick Masuta and seconded by Stephen De Vivo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Hanson 16 at Ballston, Duplex 16, Kilby 4 at Saratoga, Mae Fairland 4 and Weber 7 at Bedford Bridge.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported Roche Bros. has 12 laborers at Clifton Park School. New shopping center at So. Glens Falls 5, Hanson has 4 at new So. Glens Falls school. Turzillo 14 at survey job at G. E. Gull started calling men back.

Mr. Phillips reported Kilby has started excavation and grading at Community College job.

M. L. B. has 10 men at Littauer Hospital.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported on Labor Temple Asso. meeting and progress of renovation work.

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Paul Mogavero a trustee of the Pension Fund reported that the monthly Pension payments had been increased to \$90.00 for 30 years service.

Unfinished Business

New Business

Mr. Phillips reported that Madden Const. Co. a non-union firm has started bringing in equipment on the Amsterdam Arterial job and it is expected that the Laborers, Operating Engineers, Carpenters and Teamsters, known as the big four, will picket and try to organize the job.

A motion was made by Stephen De Vivo and seconded by Charles Green that the membership endorse any organizing or picketing efforts by the Laborers, Operating Engineers, Carpenters and Teamsters on the Madden Const. Company job.

Motion carried. None opposed.

Financial Report

Reading of the March Financial Report postponed due to illness of Financial Secretary.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Spencer Rifenburg who died recently.

C. M. Shave
Sec.
Rec.

Meeting adjourned 8:30 P.
38 members present

Labour Temple

Regular Meeting

May 11, 1967

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Roll Call of Officers

Dominick Guidano & Edward Hohenheldt absent.

Minutes of April 13, 1967 meeting read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Emory Dagg to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Perry 2, Hanson 18 at Ballston, M & B 7, Kilby 7, Gull 77, Kilby 4 at Clifton Park, Maloy 6 at Mayfield, Gloversville Hosp 4, F. J. Bell 4, Luczillo 8, Gaetano 5 and United Engineers 1.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported Sweet has about 25 labour working on four jobs. Hanson about 10 labourers between the So. Glen Falls School and Wilton. Roche Bros. won contract for Elmer Ave School. Sweet got contract for new County Library.

Mr. Phillips reported Randall has 5 men, Mason Const. Co. has Bowling Alley job. Work slow in Amsterdam area.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips reported that the Madden Const. Co. the non-union contractor on the Amsterdam Arterial, has filed charges of un-fair labour over.

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practices against the Laborer Local and the Teamsters.

New Business

Mr. Phillips announced that the Building and Construction Trades Convention and the Laborers meeting would be held at Washington, D. C. from June 9, 1967 through June 15, 1967.

A motion was made by Stephen De Vivo and seconded by Carl Risorti to delegate Robert Brown to attend the Laborers Meeting and Construction Trades Conference at Washington D. C. None opposed.

A motion allowing \$50 per day for expenses to the Conference was withdrawn by Steve De Vivo who made the motion.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Nick Nocera to allow the delegate \$75.00 per day for expenses to the Conference. Motion Carried. None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Carl Risorti that nomination for delegate to the Conference be closed. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips reported that he had to pay \$8.00 as his share of a luncheon meeting that was held in connection with the Madden job. (continued)

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() A motion was made by Carl Resorti and seconded by Carl Lupi that the Local reimburse Mr. Phillips the \$8.00 for share of luncheon meeting costs. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips reports 3 pickets covering the Mollen job. Harry Pozefski the Union attorney is handling the legal ends.

Mr. Phillips announced that the Amsterdam Kiwanis Club was asking for volunteers to work on an Windmill, advertising the City of Amsterdam.

Financial Report

() The financial report for March was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Carl Resorti to accept the report as read. None opposed.

The financial report for April was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Anthony Sandolfo to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips announced that copies of the Local's Annual Financial Report are available to the members after the meeting and that copies can

() be obtained at the Local's Office on request. Also a copy will be posted on the Office bulletin board.

C. M. Shaw. Sec. Sec.

Meeting adjourned 8:45
95 member present

June 8, 1967

Regular Meeting

Roll Call of Officers

R. Brown, E. Hohenfeldt and Carl Rosotte absent.

The minutes of the May 11, 1967 meeting were read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Carlo Farina to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

Letters from the International were read by the Secretary. The letters announce that contributions were being accepted for the family of Cecyl P. Babineaux, through a Memorial Fund. Mr. Babineaux was business manager of Local 1152, Lafayette La. and was in the process of organizing oil field workers when he was shot and killed on a public highway by an armed guard hired by an oil drilling company.

Steward's Report

Gull 87, Duplex 15, Kilby 8, Hanson 16 at Belton, M L B 14, Weber 4 at Niskayuna, Maloy 7 at Mayfield, Hanson 7 at Wilton, D. D. Davis 4, New England Foundation 3, Lupe 6 at Shidmore, Turzillo 10, United Engineers 1 and Gaetano 3,

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Report of Business Representative

() Mr. Phillips reports work slow getting started. Very few calls coming in for men.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported on Labor Temple Assn. meeting. Ouguid nearly finished on Labor Temple renovations.

New Business

() Mr. Phillips reported that a National Labor Relations representative audited the Local books recently and his only comment was that the Officers bonds should be increased. Mr. Phillips reported that the International was contacted and the Bond increased.

Mr. Phillips reported on the proceedings of the charges brought against the Local by Modden Construction Co. The Company is attempting to have a judge order an injunction against picking the job.

() Mr. Phillips asked the pleasure of the Body in regard to the request for contributions for the Cecyl P. Babineaux Memorial Trust Fund.

A motion was made by Charles Baker and seconded by Carl Lupi to have Local 157 do-

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made \$100.00 to the Cecyl P. Babineaux Memorial Fund. None opposed.

It was suggested that a new desk, chair and cabinet be obtained for the Local office.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by John Westerman, that a new desk, chair and cabinet be bought for the Local's office. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Maurice Moley, that the office be closed Saturdays beginning June 10th and until the end of September. None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Dominick Giardino that a collection be made among the body for Dominick Gallo who has been very ill. None opposed.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for May 1967 was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Carlo Farina, to accept the report as read. None opposed.

O. M. Shave
Pres. Sec.

Meeting adjourned 8:40 P.M.
34 members present.

July 13, 1967

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Regular Meeting

Roll Call of Officers

Hohensheldt, Riorti and Brown absent. Mr. Brown attending meeting in New York City.

Minutes of previous meeting read by Secretary and a motion was made by Dominick Quindaro and seconded by Steve De Vivo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

A letter from the Labor Temple Assoc. read, requesting the Local to buy an ad in yearbook as in past years.

A letter from the New York office of the Laborers International Union was read. The letter requested Mr. Brown to attend a special meeting there on July 13, 1967.

Steward's Report

Steward's reported from 18 jobs.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reported 7 laborers at Gloverville Hospital, Randall 3, Maloy 7 and Picozzi 7. Very little new work starting.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips reported that a Federal judge has ordered the original unions that were picketing Madden Const. Co., to cease. After the pickets were removed the iron workers put pickets on the site.

New Business

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Dominick Pucci that the Local allow \$125.00 for the expense of Mr. Brown attending the meeting at the New York office of the Laborers. None opposed.

A motion was made by Maurice Morley and seconded by Carl Lupi to have the Local take their usual 1/2 page ad, at \$60.00, in the Labor Temple yearbook. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips reported that the new desk, chair and cabinet have been ordered.

Good & Welfare

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Frank Piccola, to hold an anniversary dinner to celebrate the 30th year anniversary of Robert Brown as Business Agent of Local 157. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Dominick Pucci that tickets would be sold to members and friends of the Local and that the dinner would be stag. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Dominick Pucci, that the anniversary dinner be held in October. None opposed.

The President announced that all officers of the Local would serve on the Committee plus volunteers.

The following volunteered to serve on the Committee, Frank Piccola, Arthur Wench, Nick Nocera, John Westerman, Anthony Landolfo, Francis Carr, Frank Skuff, over

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A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded
() by Nick Nocera, that if necessary, the Local would
advance funds to the Committee to pay early ex-
penses. This money to be refunded if enough is
taken in from the sale of tickets or from any other
source. None opposed.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for the month of June was read
by the Financial Secretary and a motion was made
by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Giacobbo
to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:40 PM

38 members present

C. M. Shawe
Rec. Secretary

August 10, 1967

Regular Meeting
Roll Call of Officers

Edward Hohensheldt and Carl Lupi absent.

Minutes of the July 13, 1967 meeting read by Rec. Secretary and a motion was made by Francis Carr and seconded by Stephen Steffek to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Steward's from 18 jobs reported on men employed.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported work very slow in most of the area. Very little work left around Cobeskill.

Mr. Phillips reported work slow around Amsterdam area, Kelby 10, Gloversville Hospital 7, Unit Span 5, & Fayzone 2.

Communications

Letter was read by Recording Secretary announcing the 10th Annual Convention of the New York State Building and Construction Trades Council, to be held at The Commodore Hotel, New York City, September 28th and 29th, 1967.

Letter was read by Recording Secretary announcing the 10th Annual Constitutional Convention of the New York State A. F. L. C. I. O., also to be held at The Commodore Hotel, October 2nd, 3rd & 4th, 1967.

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Mr. Brown requested Dominick Pucci and Frank Piccola to withdraw their motion of last meeting pertaining to holding an anniversary dinner in Mr. Brown's honor.

Mr. Pucci withdrew his motion to hold the anniversary dinner and Mr. Piccola withdrew his seconding of the motion. So the passing of the motion was declared null & void by the President.

Mr. Brown also stated that the \$125.00 voted at the last meeting to cover his expenses at the meeting July 13th at New York, was excessive and that \$75.00 was enough to cover expenses. Mr. Brown reported that the meeting was called to acquaint the Business Managers of the Locals with a new Political League organization to be run by the International. Donations of \$1.00 per year are requested from the members.

New Business

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Louis St. Louis that only one delegate be sent to cover the two conventions to be held in New York September 28th through October 4th. None opposed

The Vice President was asked to take the Chair while a motion was to be made involving the President,

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August 10, 1967

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Louis St. Louis that President Louis Phillips be delegated to attend the New York State Building and Construction Trades Council Convention Sept. 28th and 29th and the New York State A F L C I O Convention to be held October 2nd, 3rd & 4th, at the Commodore Hotel, New York City. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips announced that if any one had another nomination to make, to do so and a secret ballot vote could be held.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Steve Steffek that nominations be closed. None opposed.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Mich Nocera that \$60.00 per day be allowed for the delegates expenses to the Conventions, None opposed.

Good and Welfare

A motion was made by Frank Piccola and seconded by Dominick Pucci that a party be held next meeting night, with beer and other refreshments. None opposed.

Financial Report

The July Financial Report was read by the Secretary-Treasurer and a motion was made by Frank Annuncio and seconded by John Westerman to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting adj: 8:45 P.M.

C. W. Shane, Sec'y

37 members present

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September 14, 1967

Regular Meeting

Roll Call of Officers

Edward Hohensheldt, Robert Brown excused for business reasons.

Minutes of previous meeting read by Recording Secretary and a motion was made by Carl Risorti and seconded by Frank Adamincio to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Stewards from 17 jobs reported on number of men employed.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reported only new job in his area is a building at Johnstown, Unit Span is the contractor employing 3 laborers. Two left at Gloversville Hospital, five at Central Market job. About four to seven men around the Hall weekdays mornings looking for work.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Carl Risorti to table any other business until the next regular meeting in October so that the members could proceed with the beer and refreshments. None opposed.

The Financial Report for August was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by

Francis Carr and seconded by Carl Lupi to accept the report as read. None opposed.

C. M. Shane, Rec. Sec.

Meeting adj. 8:20 PM
57 members present

October 12, 1967

Roll Call of Officers

Robert Brown & Carl Lupi reported sick. Ed. Hoken-sheldt absent.

Minutes of previous meeting read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Maurice Mokey to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Steward's reported from Ten jobs. Some heavy construction work shut down on account of Operating Engineers strike.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reported that there are few men around the Hall, out of work. Mr. Phillips reported on jobs in the Amsterdam - Gloversville area.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported on activities at the Building and Construction Trades Convention and the A F L C I O Convention, held at New York City, Sept 28th through October 4th 1967. Mr. Phillips reported that the Convention endorsed the Transportation Bond Issue and that the passage of the Bill would be an asset to our work. The Convention also endorsed the Constitutional Convention but Mr. Phillips stated he believed that the individual member should study it before voting on it.

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October 12, 1967

Unfinished Business

Brother Phillips read a letter from a Federal Trial Examiner, notifying the Local to cease picketing on the Madden job at Amsterdam.

New Business

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Nick Nocera to keep Harry Pozefski on as the Local's lawyer at \$1,500.00 annual fee. This motion reaffirms the original motion made and passed, November 11, 1965, when it was decided by the membership to engage Mr. Pozefski at an annual fee of \$1,500.00, to act as the Local's legal adviser. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips announced that a meeting would be held in Syracuse, October 16 & 17 to discuss a new Heavy Construction Agreement.

A motion was made by Dominick Guardono and seconded by John Westerman to allow \$50.00 per day for expenses to the Syracuse meetings if the delegates have to remain over-night. None opposed.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for September was read and a motion was made by Emory Dagg and seconded by Dominick Guardono to accept the report as read. None opposed.

C. M. Shane Pres. Sec.

Meeting adj.

32 members present
8:40 P.M.

Regular Meeting

November 9, 1967

Roll Call of Officers

D. Pucci, Carl Rosotti reported sick, Paul Magawis and Ed. Hohensheldt working.

The minutes of the October meeting were read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Steve De Vivo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Steward's from 14 jobs reported on number of men employed on their projects.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported Hanson 6 men at So. Glens Falls, 19 men at Ballston. Hanson also starting Schenectady Museum job, Esperance Bridge 6, D.A. Collins Bridge job 6, Alcobra & Machnick about 9 or 10 on Shopping Center job, Callahan starting Saratoga road job, Paving Contractors laying drain pipe on Rte. 50 job at Mayfair.

Mr. Phillips reports Trimpoli has water line job near Gloversville. Calls coming in from contractors and no men around to send out.

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Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips gave a report on the proceedings at the Heavy Construction meetings at Syracuse, October 16th & 17th.

Another meeting will be held November 20th at New York City. Either Mr. Brown or Phillips will attend.

New Business
none

Good & Welfare
none

Financial Report

Reading of the October Financial Statement is postponed to the next regular meeting due to the absence of the Financial Secretary.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Dominick Guardino to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:40 P.

24 members present

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

December 14, 1967

Roll Call of Officers

Edward Hohensheldt absent - working out of area.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by Steve DeVivo and seconded by Carl Luke to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Luke 22 at Saratoga, Callanan 8 at Saratoga, M&B 27 at Johnstown, United Engineers 24, Hull 6, Perry 2, Duplex 5 and Lumboli 5.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported Sweet Associates has started work on dormitory at Cobleskill College.

Mr. Phillips reported Gloversville Hospital job nearly completed. Motif has 3 men at Industrial School.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported on the last Labor Temple Asso. meeting.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips gave a report on the Heavy Construction meeting at New York. A committee was chosen to meet with employers and one meeting has been held. Jurisdictional disputes were discussed.

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Several meetings of the Negotiation Committee are scheduled for January.

Mr. Brown stated that unless a Heavy Agreement was signed by January, some new work might be left after January 1st at old rates.

New Business

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Ray Shimkus who died suddenly today. Paul Mogavero is taking up a collection for the family from voluntary contributors.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for November was read by the Secretary-Treasurer. A motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Charles Baker to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting was adjourned 8:30P.

31 members present

C. M. Shane, Sec. Sec.

January 11, 1968 ()

The regular January meeting was cancelled due to the absence of a quorum of 20 members being present.

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

() Edward Hohensheldt absent.

The minutes of the May 9, 1968 meeting were read by the Secretary - and a motion was made by Dominick Guaidano and seconded by John Westerman to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Report of Stewards

Stewards from 11 jobs reported on number of laborers employed.

Report of Business Representatives

() Mr. Brown reported on activity on jobs around Saratoga County and Schoharie County areas.

Mr. Phillips reported Hanson has started work on apartment building in Gloversville and that work had begun at the Boys School at Perth.

Old Business

A full report of activities during the Election, was given by Maurice Morley, the Chairman of the Judges of Election.

() A motion was made by Stephen De Vivo and seconded by Louis De Taglia to accept the report of the Judges of Election. None opposed.

A copy of the Judges report is included in the pages of tonight's minutes of the meeting. (over)

Installation of New Officers

The President, Mr. Phillips relinquished the chair to the Vice President, Don. Scaidone and was sworn in as President.

President Phillips resumed as Chairman and swore in the other newly elected officers and incumbents.

New Business

A letter was read from the A F L C O New York headquarters requesting a \$5.00 per month donation to be used for assistance to migrant farm workers in New York State.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Frank Adamuncio to donate \$5.00 per month, for a reasonable time, to help the migrant farm workers. None opposed.

A letter from the Building & Construction Trades Council announcing the Annual N. Y. State meeting to be held in Albany in August, was read by the Recording Secretary. The convention to be held at the Thru-way Motor Inn, August 8th & 9th.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Carl Lupi to delegate Louis J. Phillip to attend the Building Trades Convention. None opposed.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by John Westerman to allow the delegate \$25.00 per day for expenses. None opposed.

Mr. Brown reported that the Heavy Construction Agreement has been signed. Negotiators on the Gas Line Agreement have been meeting, but as yet have not come to an agreement.

Mr. Phillips suggested that as the Secretary Treasurer had to work during the hours of Election, checking members, that he should be paid for the day the same as the judges and police officers.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Gaidano that the Secretary Treasurer be paid for the time worked at the polls. None opposed.

Each of the incumbents and newly elected officers individually thanked the members present for their being elected.

Good & Welfare

A suggestion was made by Barney Villa that some recognition be given to men holding membership in the Local for 25 years or more, such as pins.

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One minute of silence was observed in memory of two of our Local members who died recently (Brother John Tykuthi and Raffael Nicoletti).

Financial Report

The Financial Report for the month of May was reported by the Financial Secretary and a motion was made by Salvatore Morgavero and seconded by Steve De Vito to accept the report as read. None opposed.

As there was no further business to come before the meeting a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Frank Adanuncio to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

31 members present

Meeting adj: 9.00 P.M.

C. M. Shave
Rec. Sec.

June 13, 1968

Report from the Judge of Elections:

Subject: Election of Officers of Local 157

1. The Judges of Elections received 1,000 ballots at 11:45, which was 15 minutes prior to the opening of the polls, at 12 noon on June 8, 1968. The registration book was also received at this time. At 11:55 the Judges of Election, with police officers and witnesses, checked the ballot box and found it to be empty. The box was then locked, and the key was given to a policeman for safe keeping. Secretary-Treasurer arrived with the records of paid up members. At 12 noon the voting began.

2. Procedures for voting:

Member showed his Union book to the Secretary-Treasurer and Judge of Election. If qualified, the book was stamped then he proceeded to sign the registration book, with his name and book number. Then he was issued an official ballot, he proceeded to the voting booth, voted for the candidates of his choice, then he folded the ballot and placed it in the locked ballot box, then left by the rear door.

3. There were 363 ballots cast for the candidates. For the office of President and Assistant Business Representative: Louis J. Phillips received 307 votes, elected
Office of Vice President - Dominick Giardono 252 votes, elected.

Recording Secretary = Carroll McShane 286 votes, elected.

Secretary = Treasurer Dominick Pucci 314 votes, elected

Business Representative : Robert Brown 285 votes, elected.

Frank Piccola 67 votes

9 votes void

Sergeant - at-Arms

Paul Magavero 215 votes, elected.

Louis DeTraglia 38 votes

Peter St. George 64 votes

44 void votes

Office of Auditors:

Carl Lupi 201 votes, elected.

Carl Risorti 182 votes, elected.

Charles Green 238 votes, elected.

Arthur Winch 130 votes

Office of Executive Board Members:

Steve DeVivo 166 votes, elected.

Anthony Landolfo 126 votes, elected.

Charles Baker 88 votes

Daniel Jones 67 votes

Paul Stafford 117 votes

36 void votes

4. The ballots were counted by the Judges of Election, with two policemen and five watchers. The Judges of Elections wish to thank the five watchers for their help with the tabulation of the ballots.

Signed

Maurice D Morley
Judge of Elections, Chairman

-- Nicholas Noccia
Judge of Election

Rosmary J Urea
Judge of Election

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Roll Call of Officers

Carl Rusotti absent.

Minutes of June 13th meeting read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Frank Adamuncio to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Weber 15, National Pence 25, Lupi 17 at Skidmore, Lupi 5 at Union College, Hanson 2 at Ballston and 8 at Museum, M L B 15, Kilby 7, NEC 1, at Gloversville, Pustolka 8, Peith School 15, U.E 17, Duplex 4 Callanan 20 and Walsh 7.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reports business needed at Cement Plant. Cement strike at Albany settled. Cushing's engineers still out.

Mr. Phillips reported on the Gas Line meeting in New York City. Also reported Lupi to build school at Fonda.

Communications

A letter announcing the Annual N.Y. State A F L C & C Convention, was read by the Secretary. Convention to be held September 4, 5 & 6th at the Concord Hotel, Kiamesha Lake, New York.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips reported that an error had been made at the June meeting in not offering time for other nominations for delegate to the Building and Construction Trades Council meeting in Albany, August 8 & 9th. Anyone wishing to nominate another person for delegate can do so at this time.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Nick Nocera that nominations be closed. Unanimously carried.

New Business

A motion was made by Nick Nocera and seconded by Steve De Vivo to send two delegates to the New York State A F L C I O Convention, Sept. 45 & 46 at Kiamesha Lake. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by William Gibson to send Robert Brown as a delegate to the Convention. None opposed.

A motion was made by Charles Green and seconded by Nick Nocera to send Dominick Pucci as a delegate to the Convention. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Charles Baker to close nominations for delegates to the A F L C I O Convention at Kiamesha Lake. None opposed.

Roll Call of Officers

All present except Carl Lupis.

Minutes of previous, July 11th meeting read and a motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Steve De Vivo to accept minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Lupe 17 at Skedmore, Weber 5 at Salmonville, M & B 10, KEC 1 & Capital District Lath 4 at Johnstown also Kilby 4, C.D. Perry 10 at Saratoga Lake, Corbeau-Newman 38, Ken Ross 1 at Fryer Boys School, National Pence 21, Fulgram 1 and United Engineers 20.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reports most members working. Very few men around the Hall.

Mr. Phillips reported on the Gas Line Meetings held in New York City. Also reported Motif has new job at Johnstown Industrial School.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Brown suggested that the party scheduled for September be postponed until the October meeting night.

Paul Magavero and Charles Baker withdrew the motion they had made and seconded at the last meeting, scheduling the party for the September meeting night.

A motion was made by Paul Magavero and seconded

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Charles Green to allow \$75.00 per day for expenses of each delegate to the Convention. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Charles Baker that a party be held in September with beer and other refreshments. None opposed. Paul Mogavero and Charles Baker were named as the Committee for the party.

Good and Welfare

Mr. Brown reports that several vacancies exist for jobs at West Milton.

The Secretary Treasurer reported that he has written to the International concerning 25-year pins for members and expects an answer soon.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for June was read by the Secretary and Treasurer and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Harold Gifford to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Carl Lupi to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adj. 8:45 P.M.

46 members present

C. McShane

Roll Call of Officers

Robert Brown reported sick and Steve DeVivo excused.

The minutes of the August 8th meeting were read and a motion was made by D. Geordano and seconded by Steve Stebbek to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

Letters concerning trade school classes for laborers were read by the secretary.

Steward's Report

Weber (Salmonville) 5; Perry 10, Pustolka 12, Weber (Gloverville) 12, Fulgrum (gasline) 55, Corbeson-Neuman 42, United Engineers 14, M.L.B. 34 & Callanan 28.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reported on jobs in Amsterdam area and also reported very few men coming into the Hall looking for work.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported for the Labor Temple Assn.

Mr. Pucci reported on activities at the A.F.L.C.I.O. Convention at Kiamesha Lake,

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by Charles Baker to hold the party the night of the October meeting. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips reported on the first days activities at the Building Trades Convention in Albany. More business scheduled for tomorrow Aug. 9th.

New Business

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Nick Nocera that a new adding machine be purchased for the Local. None opposed.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Calvin Horn who died recently.

Financial Report

The July financial report was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Dominic Guaidano and seconded by Anthony Lando to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Arthur Winch thanked the members who had voted for him at the last election.

There being no further business to be brought before the meeting, a motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Nick Nocera to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adj: 8:35 P.M.

31 members present

C. M. Shane, Rec. Sec.

February 8, 1968

Regular Meeting

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Rusotti ill, Edward Hohensheldt and Paul McGavero working.

Minutes of the December 14th meeting were read and a motion was made by Dominick Gacondone and seconded by Emory Paggs to accept the minutes as read.

Steward's Report

Lupi 4 at YMCA, Hanson 8 at Museum, Sweet 5 at Library, Sweet has several men on school work, Sweet 4 at Cobleskill, Hanson 5 at Ballston, Calanan 4, Duplex 2 and United Engineers 23.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reports Lupi has 14 at Skidmore College, M.L.B. 20 at Johnstown, Capital Bath 7, Walsh Construction has job at Paper Mill at Corinth New Hospital to be built at Corinth. Bids on 31 miles of work on Rte 7 may be let this summer.

Mr. Phillips reports Picorizzi 5, Rondall 5. Weber awarded road job between Salmonville and Johnstown.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported on the last Labor Temple Association meeting.

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A letter from the N.Y. State Building and Construction Trades Council was read by the Secretary. The letter announced that the 13th National Legislative Conference of the Building Trades, would be held at the Washington Hilton Hotel, Washington, D.C. March 25 thru March 28, 1968.

A motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Nicholas Nocera to delegate Robert Brown to attend the Conference, None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by John Westerman that Mr. Brown be allowed \$75.00 per day for expenses while attending the Building Trades Conference, None opposed.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for December was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Maurice Wooley and seconded by Carl Lupi to accept the report as read, None opposed.

The Financial Report for January was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Harold Deloucia and seconded by Emory Doggs to accept the report as read. None opposed.

C. W. Thorne Rec. Sec.

Meeting adjourned 8:35 P.M.
32 members present

March 14, 1968

Roll Call of Officers

Edward Hohensheldt absent, working.

Minutes of February meeting read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Charles Merchant to accept the minutes as read except for correction about Walsh Const. Co. receiving job at Corinth Paper Mill. Job has not been awarded.

Correspondence

Letter from International Union regarding Heavy Construction Agreement read by Secretary.

Steward's Report

Callahan 4, M.L.B 13 at Johnstown, N.E.C. 1, Capital District Lath 6, United Engineers 21, and Hanson 5 at Ballston.

Report of Business
Representatives

Mr. Brown reports that there will be quite a bit of work in our area but that Contractors are holding off starting hoping for good weather.

Mr. Phillips reports Weber has 3 men on new road job, Randall 4, Duplex 3 at Corinth Hospital.

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March 14, 1968

Report of Delegates

A report on the last Labor Temple Association meeting was given by Paul Mogavero and Louis Phillips.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips read a letter announcing action by the Plumbers Union of trying to pass a legislative Bill; - Senate Bill # 2982A & Assembly Bill # 4394A, making it a law that all pipework would have to be done by licensed plumbers, knocking out laborers. Mr. Phillips reported that he sent telegrams to members of the Assembly and the Senate asking rejection of the Bill.

Mr. Brown reported the trades had pickets out at the job site of the Lum's Restaurant on Aldermont Ave.

New Business

Mr. Phillips reported that a strike vote has been requested by the Laborers Negotiation Committee on the Heavy Agreement;

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Nick Nocera that Local 157 would go on strike if necessary on the Heavy Construction jobs in support of the demands presented by the Laborers Negotiation Committee. None

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Another meeting of the Negotiation Committees will be held in Syracuse March 19, 1968.

Discussions were held on Savings Clauses that Local #190 and Local #452 are planning.

Financial Report

The February Financial Report was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by John Westerman to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:45 P.M.
49 members present

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Executive Board Meeting April 4, 1968

Meeting was called to order at 8.00 P.M.

Roll Call

All members of the Executive Board present.

Mr. Phillips read parts of Article 6, Uniform Local Constitution, dealing with rules covering nominations and election of officers.

According to the rules, the Nomination Meeting must be held on or before April 29, 1968 or at least 10 days before the May 7, 1968 regular meeting.

Mr. Phillips reported that he has contacted the manager at the I. U. E. Hall and was advised that the Hall would be available for April 29th.

A motion was made by Charles Baker and seconded by Dominick Gaiddone that April 29, 1968 be approved as the date of the Nomination Meeting. None opposed.

A motion was made by Charles Baker and seconded by Stephen De Vivo, that the Nomination Meeting be held at the I. U. E. Hall, Erie Boulevard. None opposed.

A motion was made by Stephen De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Pucci that a Police Officer be engaged to be present at the meeting. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Dominick Gaiddone that the Executive Board recommend that there shall be the Position of Assistant Business Representative and that the Position of

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Assistant Business Representative and the Office of President of the Local be combined and that the combined position and office, be elective. It is further recommended that a resolution to that effect be presented on the floor at the next regular meeting, April 11, 1968. The foregoing resolution was made in order to conform with rules of the Uniform Local Constitution. None opposed.

A motion was made by Stephen De Vivo and seconded by Domenick Giardano, to donate \$10.00 to the Albany Association of the Blind. None opposed.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 8:40 P.M.

C. McShane
Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Rivetti and Edward Hohensheldt absent.

Minutes of previous regular meeting read and a motion was made by Dominick Gaiddone and seconded by Harold Deloria to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Minutes of the April 4, 1968 Executive Board Meeting read and a motion was made by John Westerman and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Steward's reported on 12 area jobs.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported on jobs at Cobleskill, So. Glens Falls and Saratoga. Reported M. Manus, George & Brockwehl are rebuilding the Schenectady Tannish Factory at Rotterdam Junction.

Mr. Phillips reported on work around Montgomery and Fulton Counties.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported on the Labor Temple Assn. meeting.

Communications

Answers were received from some of the Assembly and State Senate members that Mr. Phillips wrote to concerning the Assembly Bill and the Senate

Bill on all pipe work to be done by licensed plumbers. Answers were from Donald A. Campbell, member of Assembly, Dalwin J. Miles, State Senator and Alton H. Marshall, Executive Office to the Governor. Senator Miles expressed doubt that the bills could pass.

Mr. Phillips reported that he had contacted contractors doing pipe work, requesting them to send statements that they had been regularly employing laborers on certain kinds of pipe work. Answering letters were received from some employers.

New Business

Mr. Brown reported that the Negotiation Committees on the Navy and Highway have come to an agreement. Hourly wages to be increased as follows, 1st year 50¢ per hour, 2nd year 50¢ per hour and 45¢ the 3rd year. On jobs let after January 1, 1968 the increase is retro-active. Also the Welfare and Pension contribution rate will be 20¢ & 20¢.

Mr. Brown also announced that an automatic increase of 35¢ per hour, taken effect May 1, 1968 in the Building Agreement. This increase entirely in the envelope.

A motion was made by John Westerman and seconded by Carl Lupi, that the motions introduced at the April 4, 1968 Executive Board Meeting be accepted and ratified by the members present at this meeting. Show of hands, none opposed.

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A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by John Yuterman that the Nomination Meeting be held April 29, 1968, at the I.U.E. Hall, beginning at 8:00 P.M. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips stated that the notification of the date, time and place of the Nomination Meeting, would be mailed to all members, to the addresses on file at the Local's Office.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Louis St. Louis, that the Position of Assistant Business Representative and the Office of President of the Local, be combined and be elective, as required by rules set down in the Uniform Local Constitution. None opposed.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Louis St. Louis, that two police officers be engaged to attend the meeting. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Fred Guardono that all nominations be made orally from the floor and also be printed on the Nomination notices. Ballot. None opposed.

Good & Welfare

Discussion on supplemental Workman Compensation and Disability benefits. Suggestion by Frank Piccola that Trustees consider this benefit at the next Trustees' Meeting.

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Financial Report

The March Financial Report was read by the Secretary-Treasurer and a motion was made by Emory Daggs and seconded by Steve De Vivo to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:55 PM

48 members present

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Special Nomination Meeting
I. U. E. Hall, Erie Blvd.
Schenectady, N.Y.

April 29, 1968

Chairman of the meeting, Louis J. Phillips, Pres.

Meeting was called to order at 8.00 P.M.

Roll Call of Officers

All Officers present except Edward Hohenfeldt.
Minutes of April 11, 1968, regular meeting read
and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and
seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the
minutes as read. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips reported that notices of the time and
place of the Nomination Meeting had been mailed
to the complete membership, to the addresses on
file at the Local's office.

Mr. Phillips announced that the term of office
of elected officials would be for three (3) years,
as stated in the Union Constitution. The term to run
from the meeting, June 13, 1968, when officers would be
sworn in and would terminate at the June meeting
in 1971.

The President and Chairman requested the pleasure
of the body on the Chairman appointing the Judges
of Election or whether they would be elected.
A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and se-
conded by Nick Nocera that the Judges of Election be

appointed by the Chairman. None opposed.

The Chairman then appointed Maurice Morley, Chairman and Barney Villa and Nick Nocera as members of the Judges of Election.

The Chairman noted that the present wage of all officers would be stated before each nomination began and any changes should be made before the nominations began for the Office or Position.

The Chairman relinquished the Chair to the Vice President in order to proceed with the Nominations for the Office of President and the Position of Assistant Business Representative.

Nominations

For the Office of President and position of Assistant Business Representative.

Present wages \$162.00 per week plus \$20.00 per month meeting allowance.

A motion was made by Arthur Winch and seconded by Charles Merchant that the \$20.00 monthly meeting allowance remain the same. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Carl Risorti, that the President and Assistant Business Representative's wage be increased up to foreman's rate plus \$20.00 per week and that each year he would receive the automatic increase received by the laborers, under

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The Building Agreement. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Wayne Craig that the President and Assistant Business Representative, be allowed a paid two (2) weeks vacation each year. None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Risorti and seconded by Wayne Craig to nominate Louis Phillips for the Office of President and Position of Assistant Business Representative.

As there were no further nominations, a motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Carl Lupi that nominations be closed for the Office of President and Position of Assistant Business Representative. None opposed.

After nominations for President and Assistant Business Representative the Vice President relinquished the Chair, back to the President.

Nominations for Office of Vice President

Present wage \$25.00 per month.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Joseph London to increase the Vice President's wage to \$30.00 per month. None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Frank Adanuncio to nominate Dominick Haidan for the Office of Vice President.

There being no further nominations, a motion was made by John Westerman and seconded by Charles Y. ... to close nominations for the Office of Vice-

President. None opposed.

Nominations for Recording Secretary

(Present wage \$20.00 per month.

A motion was made by Francis Stafford and seconded by Charles Baker to increase the wage of Recording Secretary to \$40.00 per month. None opposed.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Charles Green to nominate Carroll McShane for the Office of Recording Secretary.

There being no further nominations, a motion was made by Frank Adamuncio and seconded by Carl Risorti to close nominations for the Office of Recording Secretary. None opposed.

Nominations for Secretary-Treasurer

Present wage \$150.00 per month.

A motion was made by Paul Magavers and seconded by Robert Brown to increase the wage of the Secretary-Treasurer to \$190.00 per month. None opposed.

A motion was made by Joseph London and seconded by John Westerman to nominate Dominick Pucci for the Office of Secretary-Treasurer.

There being no further nominations, a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Frank Adamuncio to close nominations for the Office of Secretary-Treasurer. None opposed.

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Nominations for Business Representative

Present wage \$250.00 per week plus \$50.00 expense allowance.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavers and seconded by Wayne Craig to increase the wage of Business Representative to \$300.00 per week plus \$50.00 expense allowance. One opposed. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Francis Carr that the Business Representative be allowed a paid two (2) weeks vacation, each year. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavers and seconded by Frank Adanuncio to nominate Robert Brown for the Office of Business Representative.

A motion was made by Roy Wescott and seconded by Louis De Traglia to nominate Frank Piccola for the Office of Business Representative.

There being no further nominations, a motion was made by Frank Adanuncio and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to close nominations for the Office of Business Representatives. None opposed.

Nominations for Sgt. at Arms

Present wage \$20.00 per month.

A motion was made by Charles Green and seconded by Steve De Vivo to increase the wage of sergeant at arms to \$30.00 per month. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Cucci and seconded by Frank Adanuncio to nominate

Paul Maguire for the Office of Sergeant at Arms,
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() Motion was made by Michael Wallace and seconded by Frank Ricciola to nominate Louis De Luigi for the Office of Sergeant at Arms, Cema.
Motion was made by Arthur Knick and seconded by George Becker to nominate Peter H. George for the Office of Sergeant at Arms.
Motion was made by Carl Suki and seconded by Anthony Standolph to recommend for the Office of Sergeant at Arms. None opposed
Nominations for Auditor

Present wage \$60.00 annually.

() Motion was made by Steve De Vira and seconded by Charles Green to increase the wage of Auditor to \$100.00 annually. None opposed.

() Motion was made by Frank Calamacci and seconded by Anthony Standolph to nominate Carl Suki for the Office of Auditor.
Motion was made by Carl Suki and seconded by George Becker to nominate Carl Suki for the Office of Auditor.

() Motion was made by Anthony Standolph and seconded by Robert Brown to nominate Peter Green for the Office of Auditor.

() Motion was made by Michael De Cicco and seconded by Louis De Luigi to nominate

Arthur Wunch for the Office of Auditor.

A motion was made by Paul Mogawero and seconded by Peter St. George to close nominations for the Office of Auditor. None opposed.

Nominations for Executive Board

Present wage \$10.00 per month.

A motion was made by Paul Mogawero and seconded by Wayne Craig to increase wages for Executive Board member to \$25.00 per month. None opposed.

A motion was made by Charles Green and seconded by Richard De Cusse to nominate Steve De Vivo for the Office of Executive Board member. A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Francis Carr. to nominate Anthony Landolfo for Executive Board member.

A motion was made by Harold Kelly and seconded by Peter St. George to nominate Charles Baker for the Office of Executive Board member. A motion was made by Arthur Wunch and seconded by Robin Corey to nominate Daniel Jones for the Office of Executive Board member.

A motion was made by Eugene Fletcher and seconded by Stanley Samatukhi to nominate Paul Stafford for the Office of Executive Board member.

As there were no further nominations, a motion was made by Carl Priests and seconded by Frank Coleman to close nominations for the Office of Executive Board members. None opposed.

The Chairman cited the directive from the Union Constitution that all candidates for office must appear before a meeting of the Judges of Election to present their qualifications to hold office. The Judges of Election have selected, Tuesday, May 7, 1968, at 8.00 P.M. at the Social's office, Labor Temple 105 Clinton St. Wednesday, May 8, as the time and location of the qualification hearing. The candidates were instructed to bring their dues books.

At the regular meeting, May 9, 1968, the Judges of Election will give a report on the status of the nominees appearing before them at the hearing May 7, 1968.

The Chairman requested each nominee to stand as the secretary called their names, to be made known to the membership.

At the regular meeting, May 9, 1968, the members attending will decide on the date, time and location of the Balloting for the Election of Officers. They will also decide the type of ballots to be used. All members will be notified of the time, place and date of Election Day.

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As there was no further business to be discussed
a motion was made by Carl Stupki and seconded ()
by John Westerman to adjourn the meeting.
None opposed.

Meeting stood adjourned at 8:55 PM
101 members present

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C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

Edward Rabeuskeller and Carl Lupki absent, Lupki reported ill,

Minutes of the Nominations Meeting, April 29, 1968 were read by the Recording Secretary and a motion was made by Frank Colaninno and seconded by Francis O'Keefe to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Report of Stewards

Stewards from 44 jobs reported on the number of men employed.

Report of Treasurer Representative

Mr. Brown reported 20 laborers at Dr. Glenn Falls for Beckham, street c at Colloredo, Burnt Hill School c, Paving Contractor about 10 on RT 50, 10 on RT 50 Gas Line.

Mr. Phillips reported the contract has been let for the Ruth Boy's School, to Callean & Newman. This reported building may be constructed of pre cast concrete blocks, Hanson Corp. to build high rise apartments in Glenview. Unfinished Business

The Chairman of the Judges of Election, Maurice Morley reported that all candidates for Election Office passed the qualification examination May 7, 1968

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New Business

Mr. Brown reported that classes had been established in Albany to teach construction men the proper ways to run chain-saws and gas augers. Also welding courses are available. Anyone interested should inquire at the Office, for further information.

Mr. Chullick announced that a date must be set for the Election, determinative of the hours the polls should be open and the type of ballots to be used.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Charles Green to hold the election on Saturday, June 8, 1968. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Guidano and seconded by Peter St. George to hold the balloting in the rear room of the laborers quarters. None opposed.

A motion was made by Charles Baker and seconded by Ray Wescott to have the polls open from 12 noon until 6 P.M. This motion was withdrawn by Mr. Baker and Mr. Wescott after discussion.

A motion was made by Charles Baker and seconded by Louis De Laglia, to have the polls open from 12.00 noon until 9.00 P.M. None opposed.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Joseph Londono to have paper ballots used for the Election. None opposed.

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Mr. Phillips announced that all members would be

(1) notified of the time, place and date of the Election. Notification would be by mail to the last reported address of the member.

Each candidate, at his own expense, is entitled to a watch.

A motion was made by Dominick Ricci and seconded by Steve De Vivo, to have two Rules Officers in attendance during the hours of balloting. None opposed.

(2) A written report will be prepared by the Chairman of the Judges of Election after the Election and must be turned over to the Recording Secretary.

A motion was made by Carl Ruzicic and seconded by Charles Baker. That the Judges of Election be paid a days wages and furnished meals, for their services on Election Day. None opposed.

(3) A motion was made by Frank Ricci and seconded by Dominick Ruzicic that all tax business, such as collection of dues, be held up - relation with the Labor Temple, Sandusky 14 No - 7 for motion denied.

(4) A motion was made by Frank Colaninici and seconded by Anthony Sandusky, that all tax business, including collection of dues, be conducted with the front door Office as usual. None opposed.

May 9, 1968

Food and Welfare

Mr. Phillips announced that the annual financial report has been completed and copies of the reports are ready and can be had for the asking after the meeting or at the local's office.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for April was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Grubow to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, a motion was made by Anthony Landoff and seconded by Frank Adanuncio to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting was adjourned 8:45 P.M.
37 members present

C. M. Shane

Rec. Sec.

Good & Welfare

- (1) One minute of silence was observed in memory of Edward Barber who died recently.

Financial Report

The financial report for the month of August was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Emory Dagg and seconded by Carl Lupito ~~to~~ accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Meeting adj. 8:40 P.M.

29 members present

C. M. Shave

Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Lupi absent.

Minutes of previous meeting read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Harold Deloria to accept the minutes of the September 12th meeting, as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Corbeau-Neuman 31, Ross 1, Coppitto 1, Lupi (Skidmore) 11, Case 85, Lupi (Fonda) 8, Hanson (Museum) 2, United Engineers 10, Perry 6, Weber (Salmonville) 5, Weber (Curry Road) 15.

Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported all men working.

Good & Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Charles King and James Cimlin who died recently.

Twenty five year pins were awarded to the following members, John Zuend, Robert Brown, Harold Clute, Anthony Eichler, Grant Diamond, Oatis Woodard, Arthur Wunch, Louis Phillips, and Dominick Staidow. Several other eligible members who had been notified, did not appear.

October 10, 1968

A photograph was taken of some of the members, by a Schenectady Gazette photographer.

A motion was made by Steve DeVivo and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to suspend and other business to the next regular meeting in November. ~~No~~ objections.

After adjournment refreshments were to be served.

A motion was made by Dominick Guardono and seconded by Steve DeVivo to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:30 PM
52 members present

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Meeting called to order 7.30 P.M.

All members of Executive Board present.

It was brought to the attention of the members of the Board that there has been no increase in the Business Manager's expense account in over fifteen years, despite the fact that the price of everything concerned has increased. The cost of cars and the maintenance and the price of gas, insurance etc. has increased tremendously.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Steve De Vivo that Mr. Brown's expense allowance be increased by \$40.00 per week plus being furnished a gasoline credit card, by the Local. All members of Board voted in favor.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Anthony Landolfo that \$10.00 per week be allowed for expenses of Mr. Phillips. All members of Board voted in favor.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Giardano, that the Local pay the annual insurance premiums for Liability and Collision on the Business Manager's car. All members voted in favor.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Dominick Giardano that both the approval of the membership attending the next regular meeting, the above increased, in expense allowances, go into effect the first week of November, 1968. All members of Board in favor.

C. M. Shane Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

November 14, 1968

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Lupi absent.

Minutes of previous meeting read and a motion was made by Dominick Guaidano and seconded by Steve Steffer to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

The minutes of the Executive Board Meeting, October 31, 1968 were read and a motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Carl Risotti to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Weber 3 at Salmonville, National Fence 2, Fulghum 15, M L B 5, Callanan 3, Corbeau - Neuman 33, Lupe 6, UE 9, Superior Plumbing 8.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reports 44 with Walsh at Corinth, 12 with Sweet at Clifton Park, Lupi 10 at Union College, Weber began pipe line on Albany Street.

Mr. Phillips reports Randall 8, Bologna 3, Hanson 10 at Gloversville. New Telephone Bldg. to be built at Gloversville.

Unfinished Business

It was reported the Lineman's Union had a picket at Tryon Boys School.

New Business

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November 14, 1968

Regarding the minutes of the October 31, 1968 Executive Board meeting, read previously:

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by William Hebbard that the Local allow an additional \$40.00 per week for Mr. Brown's expenses and \$10.00 per week for Mr. Phillips expenses and also furnish Mr. Brown with a gasoline credit card and pay the liability and collision insurance premiums on Mr. Brown's car each year. None opposed. Unanimous.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Fred Post who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for September was read and a motion was made by Dominick Giardino and seconded by Emory Daggs to accept the report as read. None opposed.

The Financial Report for October was read and a motion was made by Emory Daggs and seconded by Nick Nocera to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, a motion was made by William Hebbard and seconded by Anthony Landolfi, to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adj. 8:45 PM

42 members present

Regular Meeting

Roll Call of Officers

All present except R. Brown and D. Pucci, both reported sick.

Minutes of previous meeting read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Don Giaidono to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards' Report

Weber (Albany St) 5, Lupe 4 at Fonda, Superior Plumbing 8, Corbeau-Neuman 11, M L B 1, United Engineers 8, National Fence 26.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reports, Rosch Bros. low bidder on work at Van Curler Hotel. Van Buskirk has 11 men on demolishing at Van Curler.

Report of Delegates

Paul Mogavero reported on Labor Temple Asso. meeting.

Unfinished Business

none

New Business

none

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December 12, 1968

Good and Welfare

Mr. Phillips reported that the International has a new President. Peter Fosco was named President after Joseph Moreschi announced his retirement.

There being no further business to discuss, a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Emory Dagg to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adj. 8:30 PM.
39 members present

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

Steve De Vivo absent (ill).

Minutes of December meeting read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by M. Caffarella to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Reports

Lupe 10 at Skidmore, National Fence 10, United Engineers 6, Van Buskirk 78, Hanson 12 at Gloversville Highrise, Gaetano 17, L.A. Swire 10 at Walth St. Weber 5 on Albany St. water line.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported work gradually slowing up around area, due to weather. Few many men available around Hall for day jobs.

Mr. Phillips reported new Highrise Apartment project starting at Amsterdam. C.D. Perry has two lock jobs awarded to him.

Unfinished Business

none

New Business

Mr. Brown reported that a Gas Line negotiation meeting would be held at Syracuse, January 14th.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brothers Richard Dickenson and Frank Stowak, who died recently.

It was also announced that Brother Steve De Vivo is a patient at Ellis Hospital, in critical condition, over

January 9, 1967

Financial Report

The Financial Report for November was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Dominick Guardono and seconded by Charles Baker to accept the report as read. None opposed.

The Financial Report for December was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Carl Risotto to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business to come before the meeting a motion to adjourn was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Carl Risotto. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8.25 PM
25 members present

C. W. Shone
Rec. Sec.

Feb. 13, 1969

Roll Call of Officers

Robert Brown out of town, Steve De Vivo ill all other officers present.

Minutes of previous minutes read and a motion was made ~~to~~ by Dominick Guidous and seconded by Steve Steffer to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

M L B #4 at Kloverville, Corbeau-Huffman #7, Lupe 10 at Union College.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reports winter weather & lack of steel on some jobs slowing up work in area. Rte 5 re-construction expected. Gas line negotiations called off. Another meeting called for March. Perry 3 at Cranesville Lock and 2 at Guy Park Lock.

Delegates

Paul Mozavero reported on Labor Temple Assn. meeting. Lou Phillips re-elected Secretary and Paul Mozavero elected Sgt. at Arms.

Unfinished Business

none

New Business

A discussion was held on dues deduction which has been adopted by several Locals in the general area. Mr. Phillips and McShane reported on what transpired at meetings in Albany between delegates of the 3 Locals, Albany, Troy and Schenectady and delegates from the Eastern New York Employers Assn. A resolution from Local 190 plan was read and an agreement by #190 and the employer was read.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Nick Nocera to send Mr. Brown and Mr. Phillips to Buffalo to inspect and get advice about their dues deduction system of operation. A count of hands showed 21 for the motion and 9 against. Motion carried.

Mr. Phillips advised the body that any further information obtained would be discussed at future meetings.

Good & Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of brothers Gary Curtis and Adelino Castorino (Franco) who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Report was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Carl Lupi & seconded by Frank Adamunis to accept the report as read.

C. McShane, Recorder

Meeting adjourned 9:25 P.
40 members present

March 13, 1969

Roll Call of Officers

All officers present.

Minutes of February 13th meeting read and a motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Luke 7 at Skidmore, Gaetano 12, Roche 17, Luke 10 at Union College, Weber 11 on Albany St, Corbeau-Neuman 11 at Bry's School, Bologna 2.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reports work slow around city. Sweet has

9 at Shenandoah School, Hanson about 10 on all jobs, Sweet 3 at Cobleskill, Callanan to start up March 17th

Mr. Phillips reports 1 man on each Lock job, Highrise at Gloversville 6.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported that he and Mr. Brown attended a meeting of Business Officers of Laborers Locals, at Rome N.Y. on March 12th. Discussion on other trades infringing on Laborers work.

Mr. Brown reported that the Carpenters are the trade claiming other trades work including the Laborers work.

Unfinished Business

A letter was read by the Recording Secretary, from Sam Agati an International Representative in our area requesting our Local follow the example of most of
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the other Labour Locals in the Northern area and adopt
Dues Deductions:

Mr. Brown discussed the manner in which the other
Locals were running the dues deductions and suggested
that the membership attending the meeting show whether
or not they want a vote taken.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded
by Nick Nocera that a Special Meeting be held to vote
on whether or not to have a dues deduction. 749 ayes,
1 no. Motion carried.

New Business

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by
Carl Ricorti that the balloting on the dues deduction be
held on Saturday, March 29, 1969, between 9 am and 12
noon at the Labor Temple. None opposed.

Financial Report

The financial report for February was read by the
Secretary-Treasurer and a motion was made by Carl
Lupi and seconded by Dominick Giardano to accept
the Report as read. None opposed.

Committee

The President Mr. Phillips appointed the following members
to serve as the Committee to over-see the balloting on the
dues deduction vote, Steve De Vivo, Anthony Landolfo and
Chesto Lence.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Carl Ricorti
to adjourn the meeting (C. M. Shane, Rec. Sec.)

Meeting adj. 8:45 PM
57 members present.

Roll Call of Officers

All Officers present.

Minutes of March 13th meeting read and a motion was made by Dominick Guidono and seconded by Carl Lupi to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards' Report

Callanan 10, National Fence 7, Lupi 13 at Union College, Corbeau-Neuman 6, Picorzi 6 at Boys School, Weber-Albany St. 11, Nielsen 7.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reports Walsh at Corinth 46, Paving Contractors, Inc. starting up, Hanson 5 at Saratoga Hospital, Hanson starting new Bank job on Saratoga Road. Cozzolino 14, & Gaetano 18.

Mr. Phillips reports Bologna 3 at Amsterdam, M.L.B 4 at Gloversville, Hanson 6 at Gloversville, Perry 3 on Locks and Lupi 2. Lattanzio starting housing job at Gloversville.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported attending meeting at Syracuse of Local Business Representatives. Mostly discussion of jurisdictional disputes. Reported that possibly there would be a settlement of the dispute with the Carpenters on an International level soon.

Paul Mogavero reported on the Labor Temple Assn. meeting. Discussion on raising office rents in the Labor Temple.

Report of Committee

The Chairman of the Committee to over-see the balloting on the dues deduction, Saturday, March 29, 1969, reported that 100 members voted for, 116 members voted against, and one vote was declared void.

~~New Business~~

~~Amotion was made to~~

A letter was read from the New York State Building and Construction Trades Council AFL-CIO, announcing the 14th National Legislative Conference, to be held at Washington D. C., May 12 - 15, 1969.

A motion was made by Dominick Guaidano and seconded by Charles Green to nominate Robert Brown as delegate to the Conference. None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Steve De Vivo to close nominations for delegate to Conference. None opposed.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Joe London that \$45.00 per day be allowed for delegates expenses to the Conference. None opposed.

Motion was made by Dominick Saunders and
() seconded by Charles Green to give the members
of the dues deduction balloting committee a
half days pay at laborers scale, for time spent
over-seeing balloting. None opposed.

Financial Report

The Financial Report was read by the secretary -
Treasurer and a motion was made by Dominick
Saunders and seconded by Joe London to accept
the report as read. None opposed.

() Motion was made by Carl Staki and seconded
by Carl Roberts to adjourn the meeting. None
opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:50 P.
51 members present

C. M. Moore
Pres. Sec.

Executive Board Meeting

April 23, 1969

Meeting called to order by President Phillips at 4:40 (P.M.)

This meeting was called by the President to inform the Board that the Business Representative, Mr. Brown had been hospitalized with a fractured knee and ankle and would probably be hospitalized or laid up for several weeks. It was suggested that one of the Officers of the Executive Board be appointed to take Mr. Brown's place until he would be able to resume work.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Anthony Landolfo that Dominick Pucci be appointed to work in Mr. Brown's place while he is disabled. All in favor.

A motion was made by D. Scardino and seconded by Anthony Landolfo that Mr. Pucci would receive the regular laborers wage scale while filling in for Mr. Brown. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Scardino and seconded by Steve De Vivo that Mr. Brown be kept on the locals payroll at his regular pay during his period of disability. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Dominick Scardino that the President, Mr. Phillips replace Mr. Brown as delegate to the N.Y. State Building Trades Conference, May 12-15, receiving the same expense allowance voted Mr. Brown. Meeting adj. 5:15 P.M.

(M. Stone, Sec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

(1) D. Brown checked at home, Chas. Brown reported working overtime, Carl Luke and Carl Stewart absent.

Minutes of the April 10, 1969 Regular Meeting read and a motion was made by Steve De Vries and seconded by Harold Skford to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewart's Report

Wiken 3 on Ellensburg, Luke 14 inmi College, MacLennan 13 Kelly 2, Campbell 2, Colless - Newman 15 at Boys School, National Fence 25, Luke 8 at Woodmore, Mac Farland 3, Callaway 33, Hakeh 43 and Nielsen 5.

Report of Business Representatives

(1) Mr. Phil Wiken reported Saturday 2, Cole Plant at Blonerville starting up. Luke 5 at Tonka, M. Mania has Rader on Colbeck Hill, Compalino has on Milton State School. Mr. Phil Wiken reported that although work in construction area. that it looks like a good year for construction in our area.

Dominick Pucci reported 6 men working at Mueller Gardens and 12 at Hayden job on West Street.

Unfinished Business

(1) Mr. Phil Wiken reported trouble on several jobs due to Carpenter doing labor work, such as blanking scaffolding, oiling forms etc.

New Business
The minutes of the Executive Board meeting, held

April 23, 1969 were read by the Recording Secretary and a motion was made by Chester Lence and seconded by Joe London to approve the action of the Executive Board as read. None opposed.

Good & Welfare

A motion was made by Edward Cafferella and seconded by Nick Noccia to send a fruit basket to Mr. Brown. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips announced that copies of the Annual Report were available to anyone wanting one after the meeting is adjourned. Also anyone not at the meeting can have a copy on request at the Office. A copy of the report will be on view on the Bulletin board by the office for at least 30 days.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for April was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the report as read. None opposed. As there was no further business to come before the meeting a motion was made by Edward Cafferella and seconded by Joe London to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned
8:45 PM

44 members present

Roll Call of Officers.
 Carl Sweatt absent.

Minutes of previous meeting read and a motion was made by Steve De Niro and seconded by Dominick Graviano to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Jupe & Sheldone, Roche's and Kalyan, MacFarland's at 82, Jupe 15 at Union College, DePaolis 18, Poggi's 5, Corbett-Mannan 17, Jupe 7 at Bond, Van Burkitt 6, Lammone born 3, West End Court 2 and National Fence 12.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Chultha reports work below starting, some work members still out of work. Three large jobs coming out in Amsterdam soon. Milton Borg school started.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Chultha reported that at the last Labor Temple Council meeting the delegates voted an increase in office rents to offset losses for the year.

Mr. Chultha gave a lengthy report on activities at the Building and Construction Trades Council Convention at Washington and also reported a meeting with representatives of several Companies Building on the Willow Dam.

Mr. Chultha reported that at a meeting of Business Representatives of the Heavy Construction Group, it was

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announced that training classes are in the planning stage for laborers.

Unfinished Business

New Business

A suggestion was made that the Local 1966 Chevrolet be replaced with a new car.

Mr. Phillips stepped down and the Vice President took the chair.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Carl Luke to replace the present car with a new car of approximately the same price range, such as a Ford, Chevrolet or Plymouth. All members voted in favor of motion.

A motion was made by Dominick Guaidano and seconded by Ed. Gaffarella that the Local have a beer party at the September meeting night. None opposed.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for May was read and a motion was made by Carl Luke and seconded by Dominick Guaidano to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business, a motion was made by Carl Luke and seconded by Paul Stafford to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned 8:40 PM
None opposed. C. M. Thane, Rec. Sec. 46 members present

Roll Call of Officers

Call taken and Call Reports absent.

Minutes of previous meeting read and no motion was made by Dominic, Standham and seconded by Louis St. Louis to accept the minutes as read. It was approved.

Steward's Report

Take 11 Bonds, Take 2 Medicines, Dan Baskin 7, Gilbert Thomas 9, Poiry 5, Kelly 12, Campbell 4, Tang & Smith 9, West End Contract 4, Mac Farland, Weber 5 deacon pot, Roche, Toyani 2, Walsh 43, R.T. 4, 4, Callahan 50, Bacton 12, Lammone 3, Meekens, Sweet 30, Hardie's Elec 1 & Spindle 12,

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Shulke reports there are 4 at Johnston, M. St. B. S, Hanson 1, Paving Contract 30 and Bologna 3. Also reports taking up new contracts around Conestoga area. Neil Appleby has 5 miles of gas lines in area. Mr. Puccin reports signing up several laborers on Conestoga Contract showing job, Billon probably will start in about 3 weeks. Perrin and Paul Smith were there at St. Thomas.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Shulkin reported on May 1969 meeting at Syracuse.

Unfinished Business
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July 10, 1969

New Business

Mr. Phillips reported that there would be a new \$7 million dollar sewage treatment plant built at Johnstonown.

Good & Welfare

One minute of silence was held in memory of Brother Timothy Newton who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for June was read by the Financial Secretary and a motion was made by Alvin Morley and seconded by Andy Jawilinski to accept the report as read.

There being no further business a motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Steve De Vivo to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned 8:30 PM
43 members present

C. M. Shouse

Pres. Sec.

All members of Executive Board present.

The meeting was called by President Phillips to discuss employing a part time office worker. Due to the amount of jobs and the distances involved both Business Offices are either on the road or attending different Business Meetings. This leaves no one in the office afternoons many times.

A suggestion was made that Mr. Phillips be authorized to attempt to obtain a part time office worker.

A motion was made by Steve De Vito and seconded by Anthony Landolfo that Mr. Phillips be authorized to engage a part time office worker for four hours a day, at an hourly wage, not to exceed \$3.00 per hour.

Meeting adj. 7.30 PM

C. M. Shane, Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

August 14, 1969

Carl Lupe absent.

Minutes of previous, July meeting read and accepted. Motion by Steve Steffek and seconded by Dominick Gaiddone to accept minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Weber 5 on sewer job, Swyer 9 Balltown Rd, Beltrone 2, Simmons 5, Van Burkirk 7, Lupe 7 at Skedmore, Lupe 17 at Union College, Lupe 12 at Honda, Lang 9 Ferin 6, West End Const 10, Corbeau-Meriman 16, Kelly 9, Campito 12, Picone 10, Gaetano 24, Callanan 56, Albright 2, Perrin 12 and subs 9 at Gellora, Walsh 40, Fruchis 2 & Zoppo 4.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown the only new job at recently in area is an addition on Catholic Church at Glenville.

Mr. Phillips reports man with Morse, Lafarelli 14, Randall, Neal Pipe Line 15 & Bunkhoff 1. A few men around Hall looking for work.

Communications

A letter from the N.Y. State A.F.L. C.I.O. announcing the annual Convention was read by Secretary. Convention to be held at Buffalo October 27, 27 & 28, 1969.

Unfinished Business

none

New Business

(1) Mr. Brown reported that Perini & Ball the joint venture Contractors on the Gilboa Dam project have presented an offer to work the job on the basis of the present Heavy Construction Agreement, except that each January 1st the pay scale would advance to that years rate instead of be held back by a carry-over clause. Also the Contractors agree to pay \$3.00 per day travel time for the life of the job. Regular 2-4-8 show-up time is included in the offer.

A motion was made by Paul Mozavero and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to ratify the aforesaid Agreement between Local 157 and Perini and Ball Contractors. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Mozavero and seconded by Dominick Giardano to send Robert Brown to the A.F.L. & C.O. Convention at Buffalo, as delegate. None opposed.

The President asked if there were other nominations. None made.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Joe London that Mr. Brown be allowed \$75.00 per day for expenses. None opposed.

Good & Welfare

(1) One minute of silence was held in memory of John Wanda an old member who died recently.

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August 14, 1969

Financial Report

Report for the month of July read by Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Peter St. George and seconded by Dominick Giardino, to accept the report as read. None opposed.

~~There being no further business to come before~~

Minutes of the Executive Board meeting of July 23, 1969 were read and a motion was made to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

There being no further business to come before the meeting a motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting until the second Thursday in September.

Meeting adjourned - 69 members present
8:50 P.M.

C. M. Shane
P. Co. Sec.

Regular Meeting

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Lupi absent.

Minutes of previous meeting read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Guaidow to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 19 jobs. No problems reported.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported M & B 14, Quary 10 at Cobleskill. M & B 2 and H. Keller 3 at Schoharie. Callanan 38 at Saratoga. New job let at Gideon Putnam.

Mr. Phillips reported Bunkoff 2 jobs at Gloversville, Randall 5 & Zoppo 12. Bid accepted on Gloversville Filtration Plant.

Communications

A letter from the Bldg & Construction Trades Council was read by the Secretary, the letter announced that the Convention would be held at Buffalo N.Y. October 23rd and 24th, 1969.

New Business

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Nick Nocera to send one delegate to the Convention. None opposed.

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A motion was made by Steve DeVivo and seconded by Carl Risorti to send Lou Phillips as delegate to the Convention. Mr. Phillips relinquished the President's Chair to the Vice President. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Carl Risorti to lose nominations. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Charles Green for the Local to allow \$75.00 per day for the delegates expenses. None opposed.

Mr. Brown reported a meeting would be held at New York City, on the Gilboa Tunnel Agreement, September 18, 1969.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Lyman Boutlet, who died recently.

Financial Report

The regular Financial Report was read and a motion was made by Ed. Cafferella and seconded by Charles Green to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8.30 P.M. Beer and sandwiches were served.

61 members present

C. M. Shaw, Sec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

Charles Green absent.

Minutes of September meeting read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 16 area jobs, no problems.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported, M.L.B. 12 men at Cobleskill, Quay 7, Sweet 14 at Clifton Park, Modern 12 on three jobs, Christensen-Nielsen 6, Paving Contractors 10 at Clifton Park, Duncan-Cahill 5.

Mr. Phillips, Daly Co. General Contractor at new filtration plant. Rock Construction excavating, Marx 6, Bunkoff 6 on two jobs, Corbeau-Newman 22, M.L.B. 12.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported at last meeting of the Labor Temple Assn, there was discussion on building a new sidewalk in front of Temple.

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October 9, 1968

Unfinished Business

Mr. Brown read the wage rates from the new Tunnel Agreement for the Gilboa job. He also advised the members on the Agreement for the work at Gilboa excluding the Tunnel.

God & Welfare
none

Financial Report

The Financial Report for September was read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Carl Risotto to adjourn. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:35 P.M.

39 members present

C. M. Shane, Rec. Sec.

November 13, 1969

Roll Call of Officers

R. Brown ill, Carl Lupi absent,

The minutes of the October 9th meeting were read and a motion was made by Dominick Guaidano and seconded by Barney Villa to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards' Report

Walsh 30, Van Buskirk 6, Lupi 17 at Union College, Sawyer 14, Beltrone 7, Kilby 5, Picozzi 7, Campito 5, Corbeau-Neumann 1, Futia 8, Sofarelli 9, Picozzi 8 at Amst., West Street Const., 18, Lattanzio 4, Dailey 4 and Rock 9 at Filtration Plant, Cunningham & Lump 6, Perini & Ball 5, slow down expected on Gilboa job.

Report of Business Representatives

Phillips reports Bunkoff 10, Site-Cond at disposal of plan Zoppo 10, Lupi 12 at Fonda, M'Wenus 4 at Telephone Co. job, and 12 at Hospital. Hanson 4 at Infirmary. Modern started small job at Amsterdam & Sofarelli started job at Saratoga with 5 men.

Report of Delegates

Paul Mozavero and Lou Phillips reported on Labor Temple Asso. meeting. Some talk on building a new Labor Temple & renovating the present building. Assessment of members was suggested in order to procure funds for projects.

Unfinished Business

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November 13, 1969

New Business

Mr. Phillips reports that the next up-state business managers meeting will be held at Rome.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Edward Doff who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for October was read by the Secretary-Treasurer and a motion was made to ~~adjoin~~ accept the minutes as read by Don Guidano and seconded by Steve De Vivo, None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Risorti and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:35 PM
42 members present

C. McShane Rec. Sec.

Dec. 11, 1969

Roll Call of Officers

All Officers present.

The minutes of the November 13th meeting were read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Steve De Vivo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Report of Stewards

Bellone 7, Sawyer 10, Wolfstitch 2, Soforelli 7, Rosch 5, Albright 8, Zoppo 8, Lupi 16 at College, West St. Const. 13, Walsh 32, Corbeau-Neuman 9, Bunkoff 6, M'Manus 2 at So. Glen Falls, M'Manus 17 at Amst. Hospital, Ferrini 72.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported M'Manus 10 at Balltown Ad and 14 at Cobleskill.

Mr. Phillips reported Pentagon 10, Picozzi 15 on several jobs. Many jobs having jurisdictional disputes.

Communications

1. Letter from Labor Temple Assn. to Local Union read. Concerning construction of new building for Labor Temple.
2. Two letters from International requesting Local to donate to G.E. Strike Fund.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Brown reported that at the Labor Temple Assn. meeting he spoke against assessing members at this time for money for a new building.

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Unfinished Business

New Business

Mr. Brown suggested that a vote to assess members \$1.00 per month for a new building be postponed to some time in the future.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Ed. Caffarella that discussion or voting on the \$1.00 assessment for a new Labor Temple be postponed until at least May. None opposed.

Lengthy discussion was held on amount to donate to G.E. Strike Fund and whether to assess the members or vote an amount from the Local Treasury.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Paul Stafford that the members present vote that \$500.00 be donated from the Local's Treasury and be turned over to the G.E. Strike Fund. Unanimous
None opposed.

Good and Welfare
none

Financial Report

The monthly Financial Report for November was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Dominick Guardono and seconded by Louis St. Louis to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:40 PM
57 members present

C. M. Shaw, Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

Roll Call of Officers

R. Brown, D. Gaidano, C. Risotto and C. Lupi absent.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and a motion was made by N. Masuta and seconded by H. Nocera to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Albright 1, Roche 7, Dailey 0, Umbaugh Pole Co. 4, Corbett-Neuman 9, Wolfstitch 1, Swyer 9, Belthone 6, Walsh 31, Ferrini 6.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reported on West St. Court 7, Lupe 7, Zopko 5, Hanson 4, Perry 6, Macknick 2, Site Con 12, M L B Co & Pentagon 6.

Communication

Letter from International Office expressing thanks for \$500.00 donation to G.E. Strike Fund.

Unfinished Business (none)

New Business

Mr. Phillips reported that to his knowledge, few if any of the Building Trades Union were supporting the Operating Engineers on their picketing of Building jobs.

Good & Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of brother Raymond Kowalczyk who died recently.

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Jan. 8, 1970

Financial Report

The monthly Financial Report for the month of December was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by S. De Vivo and seconded by C. Landolfo to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business to be brought before the meeting a motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:20 PM
32 members present

Feb. 12, 1970

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Riorto absent, Carl Lupi reported in hospital, Minutes of previous meeting, January 8th read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the minutes as read, None opposed.

Stewards Report

Lupi 6 at Tonda, Beltrone 6, Swyer 13 at Wall, Lupi 16 Union College, Albright 9, West St. Const. 5, Corbeau-Meriman 10, Cicconyi 6, Mac Farland 3, Umbaugh Pale 4, Lupi 1 at Skidmore, Walsh 6, and Helbo 70.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported M.L. B15, Murray-Walter 4, Quay 4 at Cobleskill, Roche 6 at Saratoga, M.L. B10, Coppolino 32 at Wilton. Hanson 8 or 10 all jobs.

Mr. Phillips reports C.D. Perry shut down Lock jobs, Pentagow 7, Site-Con 15, Amst. Hospital 12, Sofarelli 4, Mark 6, Bunkoff two jobs 8 men and Zoppo 4.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips made a report on proceedings at Labor Temple Assn. meeting. Mr. Phillips selected Secretary and Paul Mogavero selected Sgt at Arms at January meeting.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Brown reports meetings being held on International level on disputes between Laborers, Carpenters and Engineers over jurisdiction on certain work.

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Feb. 12, 1970

New Business

Mr. Brown reports that negotiations meetings will be starting soon between the three area Labourers Locals and the Contractors Committee.

Mr. Brown reports quite a bit of new work on the books for Cobleskill.

Mr. Phillips reports new work coming around Amsterdam area. Bunkoff low bidder on Infirmary.

Good & Welfare

Financial Report

The monthly Financial Report for January was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Dominick Giardina and seconded by Char. Green to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned

8:30 P.M.

44 members present

March 12, 1970

Roll Call of Officers

All present except Carl Lupi, reported working late.

Minutes of February 12th meeting read and a motion was made by Dominick Guardino and seconded by Emory Dagg to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Vappi 4, Keller at Ellis Hospital, Swyer 7, Beltrone 8 at Mall, Albright 8, Sofarelli 3, M.L.B. 7 at Rte. 146, Corbeau-Neuman 11, Cunningham-Lump 9, Lupi 13 at Union College, Poche 7 Saratoga, MacFarland 2, Umbarger Pole 3 and Gilbas job 93.

Report Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reports Cognolino 32 at Wilton, VanBuskirk 6 at Ballston, Bayzone 6, Trimpoli 3 at Saratoga, Trimpoli 6 at Fort Edward, Sweet 10 at school, Sweet 12 at Army Depot, Hanson 7, Bologna 6, M.L.B. 16 at Cobleskill, Murray-Walters 17, ^{Bailey} ~~Antata~~ 2 at Cobleskill, Sofarelli 17 at Saratoga.

Mr. Phillips reports West St. Const. 6, Site Con 20, M.L.B. 16, Mary 2, Zoppo 2.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Brown reported on activities at the Labor Temple Assn. meeting.

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March 12, 1970

Unfinished Business
none

New Business

Mr. Brown reported that no negotiation meetings have been held as yet. Rumor is that Carpenters may return to an 8-hour day. Mr. Brown reports that among other things he is asking for a return to double time over-time and ask for bonding of Contractors who have a record of not paying Welfare and Pension Contributions on time, also requesting an increase of \$1.50 per hour in wages.

Good & Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Michael Dube who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for February was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Steve DeVivo seconded by A. Landolfo to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting adj. 8:30 PM

46 members present

Roll Call of Officers

() Dominick Bucci absent.

Minutes of March 12th meeting read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Emory Dagge to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 21 job sites. No problems noted.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported Murray Hall 14, M & B 1/2 at Cobleskill, Surges 16 at Mall. Sweet 21 on 2 jobs. Coggolano 32, Van Buren 10, Adirondack Const. 3, Cunningham - Link 18, Bologna 6, Alcobra 3.7 Perini over 100.

Mr. Phillips reported Zofko 6, Site Con 20, Hanson 5, Dailey 9 & Scialdi 5.

Communications

A letter was read by the secretary from the Bldg & Construction Trades Council advising us that the Navy is commissioning a new LST and naming it the Schenectady. A dinner to be held at the Edison Club May 15th. Various member organizations of the Bldg Trades Council have agreed to donate money for a gift to the USS Schenectady.

Delegates

() Mr. Brown reported Labor Temple considering increasing the office rents in the Temple.

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April 9, 1990

Unfinished Business
(none)

New Business

Mr. Brown reported that some of the members of the Bd. of
Trades Council organizations are contributing \$25.00 to-
wards the gift for the new U.S.S. Schenectady and sug-
gests our Local follow suit.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded
by Steve De Vivo that a donation of \$25.00 be made
by the Local for the gift and a check in that amount
be made payable to the Schenectady Council Navy League
None opposed.

Mr. Brown reported that a joint meeting of the (local)
union Trades + the Eastern N.Y. Construction Employers
was held and a package offer was made by the
Contractors.

Mr. Phillips reported that for the past several negoti-
ation periods, the three area Laborers Locals have
negotiated as one unit.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded
by Charles Green that the Local 157 negotiation Team be
given full free reign to negotiate and accept a
settlement in the name of Local 157. None opposed
100% voted for.

Mr. Brown noted that travel time for the Fulton + Mont-
gomery County area is included in the negotiations.
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Good and Welfare

Report was made by Mr. Brown describing some of the increases in Pension benefits to take place July 1, 1970. Mr. Brown also reported that now that the new dues card system is in effect, no more dues will be collected on job sites.

Financial Report

The reading of the March report is postponed until the next regular meeting, due to absence of Secretary-Treasurer.

Meeting adj. 8:20 P.M.

68 members present

C. W. Shane

Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

May 14, 1970

Roll Call of Officers

Robert Brown absent.

Minutes of April meeting read and a motion was made by Nick Nocera and seconded by Dominick Giardano to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards' Report

Stewards reported for 25 jobs. No problems mentioned.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reported work appears to be picking up. Several men going out from Hall each morning. Callahan Road Improvement Co. low-bidder on Pile 5 job. To start in three or four weeks.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported on last Labor Temple Assn. meeting.

Unfinished Business

(none)

New Business

Mr. Phillips reported there have been six or seven meetings with the Contractors negotiation team. A tentative Agreement has been agreed on, giving the laborers a \$3,500 package deal for three years. Actual signing of final Agreement has been held up due to disagreement on a few items, such as the employer would like job jurisdiction wording

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May 14, 1970

taken out of all the Trade Agreements. This year, for the first time in several years Local 190 Albany is bargaining alone and Troy and Schenectady are bargaining together. Several trades have gone on strikes in area.

Good & Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Nick Papasodoro and Albert Linscott who died recently.

Mr. Phillips announced that copies of the Annual Report for the Local Union, for the year ending December 31, 1969, are available to anyone wanting one. After the meeting, copies can be obtained up front from the Chairman. Also they can be obtained on request at the Local's Office.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for March was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the report as read. None opposed.

The Financial Report for April was read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Giardano to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:45^{PM}
86 members present

C. M. Shone, Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Lapi absent, working out of town.

Minutes of May meeting read and a motion was made by Steve DeVivo and seconded by Dominick Giambone to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

A letter from the N.Y. State Association of Police Chiefs was read, letter requested Local Take \$50.00 ad in official journal.

Stewards Report

Stewards from 20 jobs reported on conditions. No problems mentioned.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported around 40 men working around Cobleskill. Sfarelli and Saratoga Housing about 30 men. New Y M C A to be built at Saratoga. About 32 men at Wilton job. West Milton job about done.

Mr. Phillips reported County Infirmary still being picketed by Teamsters. Dailey 15, Zoppo 8, Site Con 14 & M L B 14 at Hospital.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported there would be no more Labor Temple Assn. meetings held until Fall.

Unfinished Business

A motion was made by Paul Moguero and seconded by Dominic Jones that the Local Take a \$50.00 ad in

N. Y. State Association of Chiefs of Police Official Journal.
 Count of hands showed 28 for and 13 against, Motion passed.
 A previous motion to purchase a \$100 ad was voted down.

Mr. Brown read a copy of the new Building Agreement to be in effect for the next three years. Explanation of wages and all fringe benefits was made.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Carl Risorti that a vote of the membership be taken on increasing the monthly dues \$1.00 per month in each of the next three years of the present Agreement.

Mr. Landolfo and Mr. Risorti amended their motion to include that if during the three years, the per capita tax is increased, the dues would be increased by the same amount. 34 For 7 against. Passed.

A motion was made by Paul Mogavero and seconded by Carl Risorti that the annual party be held in September. None Opposed.

A motion was made by Mr. Brown and seconded by Steve De Vivo that a caterer be engaged to furnish the food and drink. None opposed.

New Business

Mr. Brown announced that the office would be closed on Saturdays until September.

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June 16, 1970

God and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Kenneth Rivenburgh and John Bartone, members who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for May was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Louis St Louis and seconded by Dominick Giardino to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, a motion was made and seconded and passed to adjourn the meeting at 9.10 P.M. None opposed.

52 Members Present

C. W. Shane
Rec. Sec.

June 25, 1970

Mr. Brown noted Adirondack Const. Co. on a job at So. Glens Falls refusing to go along with new Bargaining Agreement.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Steve De Vivo that the Adirondack Co. job at the Paper Mill at So. Glens Falls be picketed as of Monday morning, June 29, 1970. Pickets to be paid the regular hourly work scale. None opposed.

A discussion was held on the proposed dues increase. It had been recommended by the Local's attorney that an Executive Board Meeting be called to discuss the wording of the motion made and approved at the last regular meeting concerning the raising of dues. The attorney recommended omission of the amendment concerning increasing the per capita tax in addition to the motion to increase the dues.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Anthony Landolfo, that the amendment concerning the inclusion of addition of any possible increase of per capita tax being added to increased dues, be stricken from the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Giardano that the Executive Board approve the increase of monthly dues at \$1.00 per year for each of the next three years. All voted in favor.

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June 25, 1970

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Dominick Pucci that a Special Meeting be called for Saturday July 11, 1970, to be held at the Labor Hall, 105 Clinton St. Schenectady, N.Y., the meeting beginning at 9.00 A.M. and ending at 12.00 noon. This Special Meeting being called to vote on the proposed increase in dues of \$1.00 per year for each of the next three years. It was also stipulated that a notice be mailed, first class mail to each member of the Local, giving the time, place and purpose of the meeting.

There being no further business to discuss the meeting was adjourned at 9.15 P.M. All members of the Executive Board were present.

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Carl Lupu, Carl Risotti absent and Dominick Pucci absent but reported working late.

Minutes of June regular meeting read and a motion was made by Nick Masuta and seconded by Louis St. Louis to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Minutes of the Executive Board Meeting of June 25, 1970 read and a motion was made by Daniel Jones and seconded by Charles Green to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards from 11 jobs reported no problems.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported 120 men at Gilboa, Sofarelli 20 at Saratoga, Wilton School 20. Reported Sheet Metal Workers still have not settled and are picketing some jobs.

Mr. Phillips reported a few new jobs starting, but work much slower than in many years.

Mr. Brown reported that the Adirondack Const. job was picketed for one day and employer signed

Agreement to go along with contract.

Mohawk Mill jobs picketed by Teamsters and Sheet Metal Workers.

July 9, 1970

Electricians and Labourers have dispute on laying of conduit at Mohawk Mall.

Unfinished Business

New Business

Mr. Phillips asked for 3 volunteers for the Committee on Balloting for the vote on increasing dues. Barney Villa was chosen as Chairman of Committee, Robert Pollard and Charles Green as members of Committee.

A motion was made by Anthony Sandolfo and seconded by Steve De Vivo that the Committee be paid straight hourly pay rate for hours served on Committee Business. None opposed.

A motion was made by Barney Villa and seconded by Louis St. Louis that all members who have paid their \$100.00 initiation fee and at least one months dues and are now in good standing, would be allowed to vote on the dues proposal, as long as they can produce receipts proving payment. None opposed.

A meeting will be held before the balloting begins.

Good & Welfare

Mr. Phillips read letter from Elks Club requesting donation for Fund for crippled children.

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A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Barney Villa that the local donate \$25.00 to Elks Lodge Fund for Crippled Children. None opposed.

Financial Report

Reading of June financial report postponed due to absence of Financial Secretary.

A motion was made by Robert Pallard and seconded by Dominick Guidono to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adj. 8:50 PM

35 members present

C. M. Shave

Rec. Sec.

Special Meeting

July 11, 1970

This meeting was called so that the membership could vote on the question of whether or not to increase dues. Notices giving the time, date, place and reason for the special meeting were mailed to each member, to the address on file in the Union's records.

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Rivorto and Carl Lupi, Mogavero, ~~Don~~ ^{Don} Grajano absent,

Mr. Phillips read the motion as made, amended and passed on the increasing of dues. A short discussion was held.

The President named Maurice Morley to act as Vice President and Frank Stafford to act as Sgt. at Arms. ~~It~~ It was noted that the ballot was a simple yes or no ballot, Yes being in favor of the increase, No being against the increase.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Phil Van Tassel that any further business be postponed to the next regular meeting and that this meeting be adjourned so that balloting could commence on the question of increasing the dues. None opposed.

The empty ballot box was examined by the Committee and shown to the body, before the lock was put in place.

35 members present at 9:15

Meeting session adjourned
at 9:15 P.M.

Aug. 13, 1970

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Lapi absent.

Minutes of July meeting read and accepted. Motion by Dominick Giardino and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

A letter from the International announcing the New York State AFL-CIO Convention to be held September 2, 3 & 4, 1970 at Kanawha Lake N.Y.

Stewards' Reports

Stewards reported from 15 jobs, no problems mentioned.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported on several new jobs starting up and also reported on jobs in Cableskill, Mayfair, the Balltown Mall and Clifton Park areas.

Mr. Phillips reported on number of men working in Montgomery and Fulton County areas.

Unfinished Business

New Business

A motion was made by Dominick Gaiddone and seconded by Maurice Morley to send two delegates to the N.Y. State A.F. & C.O. Convention at Kamecha Lake, Sept. 2, 3 & 4th, 1970. None opposed.

A motion was made by Sherwood Dingman and seconded by Joe London to name Dominick Puccio as one delegate to Convention. None opposed.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Chas. Green to name Robert Brown as one delegate to Convention. None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Rivetti and seconded by Steve De Vivo to close nominations for delegates to A.F. & C.O. Convention. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Gaiddone and seconded by Chas. Baker to allow the delegates \$100.00 per day each for expenses. None opposed.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Joe Lisk that Dom Pucci be reimbursed for wages lost while attending the Convention as delegate. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Gaiddone and seconded by Nick Nocera to increase Mr. Brown's expense allowance \$40.00 per week. None opposed.

Mr. Brown reported bids to come out soon on new 55 job. Also work expected to start on new State Hospital on Belltown Road.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of two members, Kenneth Rivenburgh and Francis Dunn who died recently.

The Fund Mgr. announced the insurance companies are not covering, so called legal abortions.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for June was read and a motion was made by Carl Rusort and seconded by Dominic Giardano to accept the report as read. None opposed.

The Financial Report for July was read and a motion was made by Louis St. Louis and seconded by Doug Johnson to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Special Meeting

The minutes of the Special Meeting held July 11, 1970 was read and a motion was made by Carl Rusort and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

The Chairman of the Balloting Committee, Barney Villa presented a detailed report of everything that transpired during the hours the polls were open. This typed report is made part of these minutes. over

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August 13, 1970

The results of the balloting showed the majority of the members who voted to be in favor of increasing the monthly dues \$1.00 per year for each of the next three years. Beginning August 1, 1970 the dues are \$6.00 per month beginning May 1, 1971 dues will be \$7.00 per month and on May 1, 1972 dues will be \$8.00 per month. 131 voted for the increase, 45 against and 1 void vote.

A motion was made by Carl Risorti and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the report of the Chairman of the Balloting Committee. None opposed.

No further business to come before the meeting. A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 9:05 PM
53 members present.

C. M. Shaw
Rec. Sec.

July 11, 1970

Report.

*minutes of the Aug. 13, 1970
regular meeting.*

The Committee:
Barney J. Villa, Chairman
Charles Green
Robert Pollard

The Committees' Report on the Balloting to increase the monthly dues for Local #157, Laborers' International Union of North America from \$5.00 to \$6.00 per month effective August 1, 1970 through April 30, 1971, to \$7.00 per month from May 1, 1971 through April 30, 1972, and \$8.00 per month From May 1, 1972 through April 30, 1973.

7:45 A.M.

The Committee met in the Business Office of Local Union #157. At this time the Union President, Lou Philips, gave the Chairman a sealed package containing the Ballots and a note book to be used for registration.

8:00 A.M.

The Committee, President Philips, Robert Brown, Business Agent, and members of Local Union #157 who were present, all went up stairs to the Union Meeting Hall. Here all members gave a lending hand in setting up the voting booth. The Chairman opened the package which contained the ballots and he and his committee counted out 500 ballots, leaving the remaining 700 ballots in the package intact. The sealed package was placed in a secure place and readily available in the event more ballots were needed.

9:00 A.M.

President Philips called a special meeting. The president appointed Chris Morely as acting Vice-President in the absence of Dominick Giriodano, who was working at the time, and Frank Stafford as Seargent of Arms in the absense of Paul Mogavaro who had business at that particular time.

(Note*)

Dominick Girodano, did show up to vote and returned to his job. Paul Mogavaro, was present to take over his duties as Seargent of Arms, shortly after the meeting had started. The President called the meeting to order and explained to the body present, that this was a special meeting and only the business of balloting would be discussed. The President gave a thorough explanation on the subject. He then asked if there were any questions? Any one who had any questions at all on the balloting would be recognized from the floor. There being no questions, Steve Divivo, made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Chris Morely. So carried.

9:10

The Ballot box was opened by the Chairman and shown to the membership present that it was empty. The Chairman proceeded to lock the ballot box.

One member stood up and said he did not see the empty Ballot box. So the Chairman obliginly reopened the Ballot box. The member was satisfied that it was empty.

Seated at the registration table was Dominick Pucci, secretary - Treasurer who checked all cards to see if they were in good standing and eligible to vote.

Charley Green, handed out the Ballots.

The Chairman saw that they signed the registration book.

Robert Pollard, took care of the voting booth, seeing that only one man was in the booth at a time. He also watched the Ballot Box, making sure no one tampered with the box or congregated by it.

9:15:

Balloting Begins:

60 men voted by 9:35, then slowly tapered off.

There were 12 members who either forgot their cards, lost them or said they did not receive them in the mail.

The Secretary - Treasurer checked his dues book and found ~~one~~ ~~member~~ ONLY one member who was ineligible to vote.

11:58 A.M.

The Chairman asked the Sgt. Of Arms To check the Hallway and the stairway and see if there was any one there who did not vote.

He did so and found two men coming up the stairs, they entered, voted, and the polls were closed at 12:00 noon

President Philips appointed Mr. Jones and Mr. Sherman as watchers.

The Chairman asked the Sgt. of Arms to remove all persons from the Hall with the exception of the Committee and the Watchers.

The Chairman opened the Ballot box and counted the ballots.

The ballots totaled 177.

The Chairman subtracted the total of 177 from 500 and got 323.

The Committee counted the unused ballots and came up with 323.

The Chairman counted the names in the Registration Book and counted 177. The book was also counted by the committee members while the Watchers looked on.

The Chairman read of the ballots to the committee under the watchful eyes of the Watchers.

At the completion of the counting of the ballots, the final tally was:

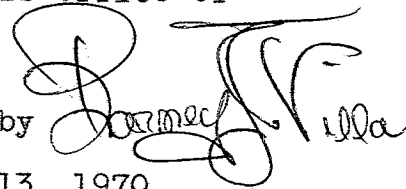
131	YES
45	NO
1	Void

The Balloting was declared legal and satisfactory by the Watchers.

The Committee signed the reistration book, ~~and~~ the book and the ballots were put under lock and key in the business office of Local Union #157

Report by

August 13, 1970



September 10, 1970⁶²

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Risorti absent, Dominick Pucci working.

Minutes of previous meeting read and a motion was made ~~to~~ by Carl Lupi and seconded by Robin Covey to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Charles Hicen that any further business be postponed until next meeting and this meeting be adjourned so the members can start their party.

Meeting adj. 8:15 PM

64 members present

C. M. Shome

Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

October 8, 1970

Roll Call of Officers

Robert Brown, Carl Pisorti and Carl Luppi absent.

Minutes of September meeting were read and a motion was made by Emory Dagg and seconded by Dominick Scardino to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Albrecht 21, Brunkhoff 3, Campito 1, Callanan Scotia 24, Burns 17, Luki 10 at Union College, Marx 13, Swyer 13, Vappi 3, Hanson Union College 9, M L B Amsterdam 6, Commercial Builders 7 and Perrini job 235.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reported Fish Const. has school job at Amsterdam, West St. Const. 5, Galov 1, Marx 4, Mac Farland 2, Site-Com 10, New disposal plant at Saratoga probable next spring. Groves low bidder on several bridges and stretch of road in area.

Mr. Phillips reported on meeting at S U O Hall where several candidates for public office spoke.

Dominick Pucci reported on the A. S. C. & O. Convention at Kiamisha Lake.

Mr. Phillips reported that the International Union has recalled the delegates to Kiamisha Lake for a meeting October 14th, where a vote will be taken to decide on which candidate for Governor to back for election.

October 5, 1970

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A motion was made by Dominick Gaardno and seconded by Steve De Vivo to send the same two delegates Brown and Pucci back to the October 14th meeting at Kiamesha Lake. None opposed.

A motion was made by Charles Green and seconded by Edward Hohensheldt that the Local allow the same expense allowance, \$100 per day, for the delegates. None opposed.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Richard Marnell who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for August was read and a motion made by N. Masuta and seconded by L. St. Louis to accept the report as read. None opposed.

The Financial Report for September was read and a motion was made by D. Gaardno and seconded by N. Masuta to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business a motion was made, and passed to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned 8:45 P.M.
30 members present

C. M. Shane,
Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting November 12, 1970

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Piscotti and Charles Green absent.

Minutes of October meeting read and emotion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Dominick Guardone to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Steward's Report

Hanson 13 Balltown Road, Hanson 3 at Union College, Corbean Newman 11, Burns 21, Fisk 5, Groves 13, Callanan 14 Saratoga, Albrecht 21, Lupi 10 Union College, Lupi 5 at Greenfield Ctr, Paving Contractors 14, Commercial Court 14, Hanson Perrine & Ball 280.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reports Cozzolinos 32, Murray-Walters 36, Dr. Gulio 12, Perry 10 at G.E. & Co at Alco, Weber G.E. 14, Sofarelli 6, Picozzi 14, Mac Farland 2, Marx 11 at G.E. & Site-Cow 10.

Mr. Phillips reports Sweet 11 at Johnstonson & M. Manus 4 at Amsterdam Hospital.

Report of Delegates

Paul Mogavero gave a report on the last Labor Temple Asso. meeting. Talk on renovation of Building.

Unfinished Business

Lupi awarded new Junior High School job at Saratoga Sweet awarded two buildings on the new State School site on Balltown Road. New Library to be built at Cobleskill.

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Good and Welfare

Mr. Brown reported there should be plenty of work in our area next year.

Financial Report

The October Financial Report was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Casper Wells and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Dominick Giardano to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:30 PM

58 members present

C. McShane
Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

R. Brown, C. Ricciuti and S. De Vivo absent.

Minutes of November meeting read and a motion was made by Steve Steffek and seconded by Don. Guaidano to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 16 jobs. No problems.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reports Fisk at Amsterdam shut down because of Teamsters picketing. H. C. Somerset Co. has new housing project at Amsterdam.

Report of Delegation

Paul Mogavero reported on Labor Temple Assoc. meeting.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips reported on last Heavy Construction meeting. Another meeting to be held at Syracuse, Dec 15, 1970 to discuss a new wage agreement.

Good & Welfare

The Fund gave a report on new Welfare Benefits, to take effect January 1, 1970.

Dec. 10, 1970

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Financial Report

The Financial Report was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Charles Green to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Being no further business a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Don Giardano to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned 8:45 PM

56 members present

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

Jan. 14, 1971

Roll Call of Officers

All officers present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and a motion was made by Dominick Gradows and seconded by Carl Ricotti to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

A request for contributions from Schenectady Jaycees was read by the Secretary.

Stewards Report

Stewards from 15 jobs reported. No problems.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported on jobs at Saratoga and Cobleskill. Callahan shut down temporarily, account of weather.

Mr. Phillips reported on jobs in Amsterdam, Gloversville and Johnstown area.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Brown reported on the Labor Temple Assn. meeting. Plans still being made to remodel Building. Estimation of possible costs being made and will be presented at a future meeting.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips reported no headway on wage negotiation at Heavy Construction meetings.

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New Business

Regarding the request for contributions from the Jaycees, for crippled children, a motion was made by Mr. Brown and seconded by Paul Morgaveris that the Union donate \$25.00 for the purchase of 25 - \$1.00 tickets. The tickets to be given to any members who want them. The tickets are for a show to be given at Linton High School Auditorium. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips reported that the Building Trades Council plan on having a Testimonial Dinner in honor of Rep. Sam Strattan. Tickets are \$25.00 each and each Local has been issued 10 tickets.

A motion was made by C. M. Shane and seconded by Carl Lupi that the Local purchase all ten tickets at \$25.00 each and that the tickets be issued to the officers of the Local. None opposed.

Good & Welfare

(none)

Financial Report

The Financial Report was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Louis St. Louis to accept the report as read none opposed.

No further business a motion was made and seconded and passed to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adj. 8:45

C. M. Shane, Rec. Sec.

71 members present

Regular Meeting Feb. 11, 1971

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Priotti absent. Charlie Green excused.

Minutes of January meeting read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communication

Letter from Schenectady Jaycee thanking membership for donation to Crippled Children's Fund.

Steward's Report

Stewards from 12 jobs reported number of men working on their jobs.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported Hanson awarded Police Station job. No other new work started lately.

Mr. Phillips reports many jobs slowed down on account of weather.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Brown reported on Labor Temple Assn. meeting. Tenants of Labor Temple still discussing renovations and additions. Had a Contractor in to figure costs.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips reported only one Heavy Construction Negotiation meeting held since last meeting. Nothing gained so far in negotiations.

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New Business

(none)

Good and Welfare

Discussion was held on dues deduction.

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Richard Buchok who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for January was read and a motion was made by Steve Steffek and seconded by Nick Mosca to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:40 P.M. There were 54 members present.

C. M. Shone
Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

March 11, 1971

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Risorti absent.

Minutes of February meeting read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

A request for donations to the Rotterdam Boyz Club was read by the Secretary.

A letter announcing the N.Y. State Bldg & Const Trades Conference, April 19 thru 22nd.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from sixteen jobs. No special problems mentioned.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported on number of men working on several jobs in area. Work slow.

Mr. Phillips reported Site-Con cut to a few men. Hanson low bidder on Gloversville School. Weber has 16 in center-down working.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Brown and Phillips reported on Labor Temple Assn. meeting.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips reported nothing new on Heavy Agreement. No apparent headway in talks.

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Mr. Brown stated that a Strike Vote would be necessary if, after the next negotiation meeting, there is still no headway.

Phillips and Brown discussed the possibility of many of the Heavy Const. Contractors going non-union.

New Business

Regarding the request for a donation to the Rotterdam Boys Club, a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Harold Deloria to donate \$100.00, from the Local Treasury to the Rotterdam Boys Club. None opposed.

A motion was made by Hyman Friezner and seconded by Charlie Green that one delegate be sent to the N.Y. State Bldg. Trades Conference in New York City on April 19 through April 22, 1971. None opposed.

A motion was made by Hyman Friezner and seconded by Anthony Landolfo that Robert Brown be named the Delegate to attend the Bldg. Trades Conference. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Carl Lupi, that \$100.00 per day be allocated for delegates expenses to said Conference. None opposed.

There is also a Special Meeting called by the Internationals to be held in New York City April 14th and 15th, 1971.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Charles Green to delegate Louis Phillips to attend the Special International meeting. The same \$100.00 per day expense money to be allowed. None opposed.

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Mr. Brown Nuclear Service will have small job at West Milton around July.

Good & Welfare

One minute of silence was held in memory of Brother Excell Adams who died recently.

Financial Report

The monthly Financial Report for February was read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Hyman Friesner and seconded by Carl Luki to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business it was moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adj: 8:45 PM

77 members present

C. M. Stone
Sec. Sec.

March 23, 1971.

Executive Board Meeting

The meeting began at 7:30 P.M. Those present were: Robert Brown, Louis Phillips, Dominick Guida, Steve DeVivo, Anthony Landolfo & Carroll Mishane.

The first order of business was discussion of the Heavy & Highway Agreement and a report was given by Louis Phillips Delegate to the meetings.

A motion was made by Steve DeVivo and seconded by Anthony Landolfo that a Special Meeting be called in order to conduct a Strike Vote, to be used if negotiations with the Contractors fail. None opposed.

The second order of business concerned setting a date for Nomination Meeting for Election of Officers.

A motion was made by Steve DeVivo and seconded by Dominick Guida that the Nomination Meeting be held at the C.I. O Hall on April 29, 1971 at 8 P.M. All Officers on the Executive Board voted in favor.

A motion was made by Dominick Guida and seconded by Anthony Landolfo, that notices giving the location, time and date of the Nomination Meeting, be mailed to the last known address of all the members, as prescribed for in the Constitution.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 P.M.

C. Mishane, Rec. Sec.

Executive Board Meeting April 6, 1971

Those present: Robert Brown, Louis Phillips, Dominick Guida, Stephen DeVivo, Anthony Landolfo, and Carroll M. Shane. The President, Mr. Phillips called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM. The meeting was called to review and set up procedures for conducting the Nomination Meeting.

A motion was made by Dominick Guida and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to hold the Nomination Meeting, at the LUE Hall, Erie Boulevard, Schenectady, N.Y. at 8:00 PM on Thursday, April 29, 1971. All Officers voted in favor.

A motion was made by Stephen DeVivo and seconded by Dominick Guida that a Police Officer be hired for duty at the Nomination Meeting. All Officers in favor.

A motion was made by Dominick Guida and seconded by Anthony Landolfo that the Executive Board recommend that there shall be the Position of Assistant Business Representative and that the Position of Assistant Business Representative and the Office of President of the Local be combined and that the combined Position and Office specified be elective. All members of Executive Board voted in favor.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 P.M.

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

Dominick Pucci reported ill and Carl Priorto absent.

Minutes of March regular meeting read and a motion was made by Louis St Louis and seconded by Dominick Misidoro to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Minutes of Executive Board Meeting of March 23, 1971 read and a motion was made by Charles Green and seconded by Nick Nocera to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Minutes of Executive Board Meeting of April 6, 1971 read and a motion was made by Hyman Friezner and seconded by Joseph London to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

Letters received from Rep. Sam Stratton and Sen. Javits, in reply to telegrams sent to them, requesting backing on re-instatement of Davis Bacon Act, were read by Secretary. No replies received from Sen. Buckley.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 17 jobs are jobs!

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reported about 32 men at Colleskill on two jobs. Slutsky Const. has job at Gilboa.

Mr. Phillips reported Site-Con Industries had shut down Amsterdam job and were intending to go open shop when they reopen the job.

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April 8, 1971

Unfinished Business

Mr. Brown and Phillips reported no headway on Heavy Agreement.

Mr. Phillips requested members to turn out for the strike vote meeting.

New Business

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Donald Stater that voting on the strike start promptly at 9.00 A.M. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips requested volunteers to act as the voting committee, the following men were selected, Arthur Winch, Chairman, Dick Pucci and Hyman Friezner.

Good and Welfare

No report

Financial Report

The reading of the March Financial Report postponed until next meeting, due to the illness of the Financial Secretary.

No further business to come before the meeting, the meeting was adjourned at 8.50 P.M.

89 members present

C. M. Shane
Rec. Sec.

April 10, 1971

Report of Balloting Committee

Subject: Heavy Construction Strike Vote

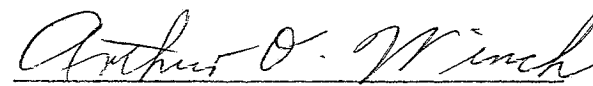
Due to the absence of one of the appointed members of the Balloting Committee, Dick Pucci, William Skaradek volunteered and was accepted to serve as a member of the Balloting Committee.

1. The Balloting Committee received 1,500 ballots at 8.45 AM, five minutes before the opening of the polls at 9.00 AM, April 10, 1971. The registration book was also received at that time. The Committee checked the ballot box and found it empty. The box was then locked. The Secretary-Treasurer arrived with the records of paid up members. At 9.00 AM the voting began.
2. Procedure for Voting.

Each member showed his Union Dues Card to the Secretary-Treasurer and a member of the Balloting Committee. If qualified to vote the members card was then stamped. He then signed the registration book and was issued an official ballot. He then proceeded to the voting booth and marked his ballot, left the booth and deposited the ballot in the ballot box.

The polls were closed at 12.00 noon and at that time a count of the ballots was made by the Balloting Committee. A total of 394 votes were found to have been cast. The break-down was as follows:

355 members voted (yes) in favor of a Strike
37 members voted (no) against a Strike
<u>2</u> members votes were voided
394 Total votes cast



Chairman of Balloting
Committee

Arthur O. Winch

April 29, 1971

Louis J. Phillips, President presiding as Chairman.
Meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M.

Roll Call of Officers

All Officers reported present.

The minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 8, 1971 were read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Donald Slater to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

The report on the Strike Vote taken on April 10, 1971 was read and a motion was made by Donald Slater and seconded by Carl Lupi to accept the Report as read. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips reported that notices of the date and place of the nomination meeting had been mailed to all members of the Local, to their last known addresses on file in the Local's Office.

Mr. Phillips also announced that the term of office of all Elected Officers would be for three (3) years, as required by the Union Constitution.

Mr. Phillips as Chairman requested the pleasure of the body on whether the Judges of Election would be elected by the membership or if they should be appointed by the President and Chairman.

A motion was made by Robert Fowler and seconded by Carl Lupi that the Judges of Election be appointed by the President and Chairman. None opposed.

With the approval of the body, Mr. Phillips named Maurice Morley, Chairman of the Judges of Election and Casper Wells and Frank Stafford to act as Judges of Election.

The Chairman stated that the present wages and expense allowance of all Officers would be reported before each nomination was accepted and that any changes must be made before the nominations began.

It was suggested that nominations begin.

The Chairman, Mr. Phillips relinquished the Chair to the Vice President, Dominick Guidano in order to proceed with the Nominations for the Office of President and the Position of Assistant Business Representative.

For the Office of President and Position of Assistant Business Representative:

Present wage \$250.00 per week, Building Agreement Foreman's rate plus \$20.00 per week, \$20.00 per month meeting expense, \$10.00 per week expenses and two weeks vacation a year.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Carl Lupi that the following changes be made, The President and Assistant Business Representative shall receive General Foreman's rate plus \$20.00 per week for wage, \$20.00 per month meeting expense, \$25.00 per week expense and a two weeks vacation each year. None opposed.

Nominations for President and Assistant
Business Representative

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Carl Risorti to nominate Louis Phillips for the Office of President and the position of Assistant Business Representative. None opposed.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Anthony Landolfo to close nominations. None opposed.

The Vice President relinquished the Chair back to the President, Louis Phillips.

For Vice President

Present allowance \$30.00 per month.

A motion was made by Carl Risorti and seconded by Charles Green that the allowance for Vice President remain the same. None opposed.

Nominations for Vice President

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Frank Adanuncio to nominate Dominick Giardano for Vice President.

A motion was made by Daniel Jones and seconded by Charles Merchant to nominate Barney Villa for Vice President.

A motion was made by Harold Stafford to nominate Paul Stafford for Vice President. Paul Stafford refused the nomination.

A motion was made by Edward Hohenstelt and seconded by Frank Adanuncio to close nominations for Vice President. None opposed.

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For Recording Secretary

Present compensation \$40.00 per month.

A motion was made by Carl Riorto and seconded by Frank Stross that the compensation remain the same for Recording Secretary. None opposed.

Nominations for Recording Secretary

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Dominick Pucci to nominate Carroll Mishare.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Ed Caffarella to close nominations for Recording Secretary. None opposed.

For Secretary Treasurer

Present Compensation \$190.00 per month.

A motion was made by Nick Nocera and seconded by Anthony Ruberti that the Office of Secretary-Treasurer become a full time job, beginning with this election. There were none opposed.

A motion was made by Nick Nocera and seconded by Estes Adams that rate of pay for Secretary-Treasurer would be regular laborers pay at the Building rate for 40 hours per week. There were none opposed.

A motion was made by Ed. Caffarella and seconded by John Wickham that the Secretary-Treasurer be paid \$20.00 per month meeting expense. Show of hands showed only six in favor, majority against. Motion denied.

Nominations for Secretary - Treasurer

(1) A motion was made by Elwyn Becker and seconded by Louis Van Wagner to nominate Robert Pollard for Secretary - Treasurer.

A motion was made by William Shuff and seconded by Ronald Smith to nominate Frank Shuff for Secretary - Treasurer.

A motion was made by Frank Stross and seconded by Ed Caffarella to nominate Paul Mogavero for Secretary - Treasurer.

A motion was made by Pete St. George and seconded by Stan Samatulski to nominate Art Winch for Secretary - Treasurer.

A motion was made by Joe Poulin and seconded by Robin Covey to nominate Dominick Pucci for Secretary - Treasurer. Dominick Pucci refused the nomination.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Ed. Caffarella to close nominations for Secretary - Treasurer. None opposed.

For Business Representative

Present Compensation \$300.00 per week, \$131.00 per week expenses, paid car insurance, paid gas credit card and two weeks vacation with pay each year.

(1) A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Nick Nocera that the Business Representative receive General Foreman's rate of pay, as classified in the Building Agreement, plus \$20.00 per week, and \$131.00 per

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week expense, plus paid car insurance, gas credit card and two weeks vacation per year. ~~Five~~ opposed.
Motion carried by majority.

Nominations for Business Representatives

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Steve De Vivo to nominate Dominick Pucci for Business Representative.

A motion was made by Donald Slater and seconded by Casimer Wavers to nominate Carl Lupis for Business Representative.

A motion was made by Harold Gifford to nominate Rolin Covey for Business Representative. Rolin Covey declined to run.

A motion was made to nominate Harold DeLoria, motion by Art Wunch seconded by Fred Cooper. Harold DeLoria declined the nomination.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Joe Hazuka to nominate Robert Brown for Business Representative. Robert Brown declined the nomination for Business Representative.

A motion was made by Hyman Kriesler and seconded by Donald Slater that nominations be closed. None opposed.

For Sergeant at Arms

Present Compensation \$30.00 per month.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Charles Green that the compensation for sergeant at arms remain at \$30.00 per month.

All members present; Meeting called to order at 7.00 P.M.

The purpose of the meeting was to consider a way to have the ballots of the last Election placed in a place of safe keeping.

A motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Steve De Vivo that the ballots of the recent Election be placed in ~~a~~ rented safe deposit boxes in a vault at a local bank, at a cost of \$36.40 for two boxes. All voted in favor.

A copy of the letter from the International answering Anthony Landolfo's letter of protest, was read to the Executive Board.

There being no further business a motion was made, seconded and adopted to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned 7.36 P.M.

Special Meeting July 29, 1971

For Nomination and Election of delegates to International Convention at Miami, Florida beginning September 20, 1971.

Meeting was called to order at 8.10 P.M.

A motion was made by Peter St. George and seconded by Francis Copone that the President appoint the Judges of Election. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips appointed Maurice Morley as Chairman of the Judges of Election and Elwyn Becker and Edward Reed as members of the Judges of Election.

Mr. Phillips stated that under the rules of the Constitution the Local is entitled to send 5 delegates to an International Convention.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Charles Green that the Local send five delegates to the Convention. None opposed.

It was reported that the Convention generally is in session from Sunday to Sunday.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Joseph London to allow an expense allowance of \$800.00 for each delegate. None opposed.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by William Hebard to reimburse the delegates for any lost wages at the regular Building rate. None opposed.

A motion was made by Kenneth Cessalano and seconded by Frank D'Angroillo that in the event the International pays anything towards the delegates expense, the delegates be allowed to keep the amount, 25 in favor - 17 against. Motion passed (over)

Nominations for Delegates

A motion was made by Casper Wells and seconded by Wm. Helbard to send Dominick Pucci as delegate to International Convention.

Mr. Phillips relinquished the chair to the Vice President.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Pete St. George to send Louis Phillips as delegate.

The Vice President relinquished the chair back to the President.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfi and seconded by Charles Green to send Paul Mogavero as delegate.

A motion was made by Barney Villa and seconded by Donald P. Rocco to nominate Carl Lupi as delegate.

A motion was made by William Phelps and seconded by Paul Mogavero to nominate Stephen De Vivo for delegate.

A motion was made by Frank Storz and seconded by William Helbard to nominate Dominick Guidone as delegate.

A motion was made by Peter St. George and seconded by Donald Rocco to nominate Francis Capone as delegate.

A motion was made by Lora Jewell and seconded by John Malloch to nominate Sherwood Dingman for delegate.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded by Carl Byrne to close nominations for delegate to the Convention, None opposed.

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The nomination meeting was adjourned at 9.15 P.M. and the balloting booth was set up and ballots prepared.

There being no further business on the Nomination part of the meeting, a motion was made and seconded and passed to adjourn the meeting in order to proceed with the Election of Delegates.

Meeting adjourned

65 members present

Result of Election of Delegates

The following members were elected to serve as delegates to the International Convention at Miami, Florida in September,

Dominick Pucci, Dominick Gaidero, Steve DeVivo, Paul Mogavero and Sherwood Dingman.

Roll Call of Officers

() Francis Capone absent.

Minutes of July regular meeting was read and a motion was made by Steve Steffen and seconded by Dominick Giardano to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Maurice Morley reported that the recount of votes for the Office of Secretary - Treasurer was not held. One of the judges of Election was late arriving and Paul Mogavero, the protestor refused to wait.

Communications

() The letter from the International giving the decision of the Hearing Panel of the General Executive Board in regard to the protest made by Paul Mogavero, was read by the Recording Secretary. The General Executive Board stated they found no proof of charges made.

A motion was made by Frank Adamuncio and seconded by Paul Stafford to accept the findings of the General Executive Board in regard to Paul Mogavero's charges. Two opposed, Paul Mogavero and Anthony Landoffo. Motion carried by majority.

() A letter from Louis A. Phillips was read by the Recording Secretary in which Mr. Phillips declined being a candidate to the International Convention in September.

Report of Election Committee

Maurice Morley reported for the Judges of Election concerning election of Delegates to the International Convention.

A motion was made by Charlie Green and seconded by Daniel Jones to accept the report of the Judges of Election and make the typed copy of the report part of the minutes of this meeting. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards from 24 jobs reported on a total of 677 men working on their jobs.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Pucci reported on several jobs in area.

Mr. Brown reported that Mr. Pucci and Mr. Pollock are doing a good job.

Unfinished Business (none)

New Business

A motion was made by Mr. Brown and seconded by Ernest Lucette that a surplus of funds built up in the checking account be invested in Insured Savings Certificates and Savings Accounts. None opposed.

Mr. Brown reported that a new wage rate for the Tunnel Agreement has been approved but the rest of the Heavy and Gas Agreements are not settled as yet.

A motion was made by Paul Wogarcio and seconded by Stephen Steffel that our annual party be held on the night of the October meeting and that beer and sandwiches be supplied by volunteers, no caterers. None opposed.

Good & Welfare

Mr. Phillips announced that the copies of the Annual Financial Reports of the Local Union are ready and anyone wishing a copy could obtain one from the Secretary - Treasurer after the meeting; also copies can be obtained from the Local's Office and a copy will be posted on the Bulletin Board.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for July was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Frank Adanuncio and seconded by Carl Luki to accept the report as read.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8.50 P.M.

Meeting adjourned 8.50 P.M.
105 members present

C. M. Shane

REPORT OF JUDGES OF ELECTION

Election of five (5) delegates to the International Convantion of Laborers to be held in Miami, Florida beginning September 20, 1971 was held July 29, 1971 at 8:00 p.m. at the IUE Hall, 121 Erie Boulevard, Schenectady, N.Y. All members nominated for delegates were found to be in good standing and with the Local Union for two years. The ballots were prepared by the Judges of Election and two helpers. Seventy-five ballots were hand written. Voters reported to the Secretary-Treasurer and identified themselves as paid up members in good standing, then signed their name and book number in the membership voting register, which was controlled by one of the Election Judges, then they received a ballot from a Election Judge and was permitted to register his vote in a secret manner within the voting booth in a manner where such choice could not be identified with the voter. The ballot was then deposited in the ballot box in the presence of a Judge of Election. After all voted, the ballots were counted and tallied in the presence of watchers. There were 65 registered voters and 65 ballots. After the count and tally for delegates and results marked two official lists, one copy was retained by the Judge of Election and one was posted as the official result of the election. All of the ballots cast and all of the remaining unused ballots, tally sheets and the membership voting register were gathered, wrapped in a package and signed by the Judges of Election. The Judges of Election retained custody of the package and will surrender all the records to the Secretary -Treasurer..

Maurice D. Marley

Edward M. Reed
Charles Bishop

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

Reference is made to your memorandum dated 10/10/53 and the report of the subcommittee dated 10/15/53. It is noted that the subcommittee has recommended that the Bureau be advised of any change in the status of any of the 1000 names on the list maintained by the Bureau which are being investigated. It is suggested that this be done by the Bureau at the time that the names are added to the list or at the time that they are removed from the list. It is further suggested that the Bureau be advised of any change in the status of any of the 1000 names on the list maintained by the Bureau which are being investigated. It is suggested that this be done by the Bureau at the time that the names are added to the list or at the time that they are removed from the list.

The official results of the balloting is as follows:

1. Dom Pucci - 59
2. Paul Magavero - 46
3. Steve DeVivo - 45
4. Dom Giardino - 33
5. Louis Phillips - 32
5. Sherwood Dingman - 32
6. Carl Lupi - 28
6. Francis Capone - 18

The following is a list of the names of the persons who have been

1. - [Name]

2. - [Name]

3. - [Name]

4. - [Name]

5. - [Name]

6. - [Name]

7. - [Name]

8. - [Name]

Meeting called to order at 7:40 P.M.

All members of the Board present.

The meeting was called to discuss having a Testimonial Dinner for Robert Brown.

A motion was made by Louis Phillips and seconded by Dominick Giardano to hold a Testimonial Dinner in honor of Robert Brown. All in favor.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Pucci that a Testimonial Book be printed and donations be accepted from contributors, such as Contractors and other businesses. All in favor.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Giardano to name the members of the Executive Board to serve as the Dinner Committee. If more are needed for the Committee, more will be selected from the body at the next meeting. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Pucci and seconded by Robert Pollard to have the tickets sell for \$25.00 each. None opposed.

A motion was made by Paul Stafford and seconded by Robert Pollard that the dinner be stag. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Steve De Vivo, to request the Labor Temple Association to construct another office in the rear of the present office as more space is needed. None opposed.

No further business, meeting was adjourned at 9:15 P.M.

C. M. Shane

Regular Meeting

September 9, 1971

Roll Call of Officers

All present except Steve De Vivo who requested to be excused.

Minutes of August 12, 1970 meeting read and a motion was made by Dominick Maidone and seconded by Louis St. Louis to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Minutes of the Executive Board meeting of August 31, 1971 was read and a motion was made by Paul Stafford and seconded by Elwyn Becker to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

Protest letters to the International Convention were read. The letters were from Paul Mogavero and Hyman Frazier to the International Convention requesting a hearing on charges made by Paul Mogavero. Answering letter from International was also read.

A motion was made by Steve Steffek and seconded by Ed Byrne that the letters concerning the protests would be made part of the minutes of this meeting and that the membership present acknowledge reading of same by Recording Secretary. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 14 jobs accounting for 571 members.

Report of Business Representatives

Dominick Pucci reported on several jobs in our area including Arborio's Northway job, several Saratoga jobs and jobs in Schoharre and Cobleskill.

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Mr. Bucci announced that the new Heavy Construction had been passed by the National Stabilization Board and any new Heavy work which contracts were let after January 1, 1971 would be under the new Agreement.

Mr. Phillips announced that negotiations were still going on, on a Pipeline Agreement.

Unfinished Business

New Business

A motion was made by William Phelps and seconded by Casper Wells that if anyone was sent to the protest hearings in Miami, that the Local would pay all expenses incurred.

A motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Pete St. George that Maurice Morley be sent to the International Convention Hearing of Paul Mogavero's charges to represent Local #157. Show of hands vote 54 in favor, 13 opposed. Motion carried by majority.

A motion was made by Louis St. Louis and seconded by Harold Gifford authorizing the Local to allow Maurice Morley \$200.00 per day for expenses of attending the hearing. Show of hands vote - 20 in favor 50 against. Motion denied.

A motion was made by Steve Steffen and seconded by Anthony D'Onofrio to allow Mr. Morley the same expense allowance as the Delegates to the Convention would receive, except that the daily expenses would be pro-rated but would include travel expense and reimbursement for lost wages while attending the Protest Hearing. Show of hands 61 in favor - 13 opposed. Motion carried.

Roll Call of Officers

Officers all present.

Minutes of September meeting read and a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Don Gradow to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

New Business

Mr. Phillips announced that the Testimonial Dinner for Robert Brown has been changed by the Committee from a Stag dinner to an open dinner with wives or girl friends welcome at the same ticket price of \$25.00 each.

A motion was made by Casper Wells and seconded by Nick Nocera that the Local purchase 20 tickets, to be given to invited Special Guests such as other Business Representatives & Labor Unions. None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Chris Morley that the Local take a \$100.00 ad in the Testimonial Book. None opposed.

A motion was made by Chris Morley and seconded by Steve Steffek that the Local purchase a new desk, office chair and typewriter and stand for the new office. None opposed.

A motion was made by Chester Lence and seconded by Charles Green that Robert Brown be kept on as Field Representative until the end of November, 1971. None opposed.

A motion was made by Casper Wells that the allowance for attending meetings where delegates had to stay over night, be increased to \$75.00 per day. Motion seconded by Steve Steffek. None opposed.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Steve De Vivo that after the Financial Report is read the meeting be adjourned, in order that the members can begin with the refreshments. None opposed.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Ernest Nikolaus who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Reports for March and April were read by the Secretary - Treasurer and a motion was made by Donald Slater and seconded by Ricky Ryle to accept the reports as read. None opposed.

There being no further business to discuss a motion was made by Nick Nocera and seconded by Louis

St Louis to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 9.35 PM

93 members present

Change donation to \$50.00 to
M.A. State Chief of Police Organization
annual journal

C. M. Shane

Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

June 10, 1971

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Risorti and Robert Brown absent.

Minutes of Regular Meeting of May 13th read and a correction was made in the amount of donation to the N.Y. State Police Chiefs organization. May minutes incorrectly read \$60.00 and donation was actually \$50.00. A motion was made by Dominick Giardino and seconded by Harold Oelrich to accept the amended minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

A letter was read by the Recording Secretary announcing the Convention Call for the Building and Construction Trades Convention to be held at Glens Falls, N.Y. July 22 & 23, 1971.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 19 area jobs, accounting for 657 members working.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Phillips reported very little new work starting up. Quite a few out of work.

Report of Committees

Chris Morley read a letter from Casper Wells stating his resignation from acting as a Judge of Election.

Unfinished Business

Mr. Phillips appointed Ray Wescott to replace Casper Wells as a Judge of Election. Mr. Wescott accepted.

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A motion was made by Hyman Friszman and seconded by Peter St. George that whatever candidate wins the Election for Business Representative, be a delegate to the Building Trades Convention at Glenn Falls in July. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips relinquished the Chair to the Vice President for the following nomination.

A motion was made by Louis St. Louis and seconded by Steve Smith that Louis Phillips attend the Building Trades Convention at Glenn Falls as a delegate from this Local. None opposed.

(The Vice President asked if there were any other nominations. There were no others.

A motion was made by Daniel Jones and seconded by Ricky Ryle to close nominations. None opposed.

A motion was made by Peter St. George and seconded by Dominick Gaidano that \$100.00 per day would be allowed for expenses of each delegate. Show of hands vote showed 3 opposed, 116 for favor. Motion Carried.

(Mr. Phillips reported that he had been advised that an agreement had been reached but as yet unsigned on the Heavy Construction. Another meeting to be held Tuesday, June 15, 1926.

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June 11, 1971

New Business.

Mr. Phillips reported there is a possibility of combining the Heavy and the Gas Agreements.

Discussion was held on void ballots.

A question was asked about whether the incumbent Secretary - Treasurer would be allowed to work at the polls checking dues.

Mr. Phillips advised that under the Constitution rules the Secretary - Treasurer would be allowed to do his usual work even though it involved being in the balloting area, even though he is a candidate for elective office.

Good & Welfare

Ray Wescott requested all members to show up and vote for the good of the Local.

Each candidate was given one minute to speak to the membership meeting in their behalf.

Financial Report

The Financial Report was read by the Secretary - Treasurer for the Mouth of Man and a motion was made by Emory Dagg and seconded by Andy Zawalinski to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business a motion was made by Ricky Ryle and seconded by Dominick Scardow to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned 9:45 P.M.

C. M. Shane Rec. Sec.

121 members present.

Report of Judges of Election

Election of officers of Local 157 Laborers' International Union of North America held Saturday, 12 June 1971, at 105 Clinton Street, Schenectady, New York during the period 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM

At 8:30 AM on the date of election those permitted to be in the voting area were the three Judges of Election, the Secretary-Treasurer, and duly appointed watchers certified in writing by applicable candidates, plus two local Schenectady policeman. Prior to the opening for voting all ballots were counted (1,000 ballots) and the ballot box was verified as being empty, locked, and the key turned over to the local policeman on duty, by all present. Registration Ledger was set up, voting booths checked, and the Hall was considered in order to commence voting.

At 9:00 AM the Hall was opened to voters; they reported to the Secretary-Treasurer and identified themselves as paid-up members in good standing. Each qualified member signed his name and book number on the Membership Voting Register which was controlled by one of the Election Judges. Each qualified member received a ballot annotated in his presence "used ballot" from one of the Election Judges and was permitted to register his vote in a secret manner within the voting booths in a manner where such choice could not be identified with the voter; the ballot was then deposited in the ballot box in the presence of one Judge of Election and one policeman and watchers. After each member completed casting his ballot he was required to leave the voting area via the rear exit.

The ballot box was maintained locked during the entire process of voting. All voters that required assistance was given assistance by a Judge of Election. Voting booths were continually monitored by Election Judges for campaign material. No campaigning was allowed in front of the Hall, agreed upon by all candidates, and enforced by the local police. Five minutes prior to closing time the 9:00 PM closing of the polls was announced to all members in the area. At 9:00 PM the voting was closed, the Secretary-Treasurer left the area, the Judges of Election took possession of the ballot box and proceeded to count and tally the vote for each office and elective position in the presence of Watchers. There were 815 registered voters and 814 ballots. After the count and tally for each office had been established the Judges of Election announced the results, marked the result of the total vote for each candidate on two official lists of candidates and certified by their signatures that such result was the official result of the election. One copy was retained by the Judges of Election and one was delivered to the Secretary-Treasurer which was then posted as the official result of the election, for the information of all of the members of the Local Union.

All of the ballots cast, all of the remainder of the unused ballots, the tally sheet, and the Membership Voting Register, were gathered, wrapped in a package and signed by the three Judges of Election. The Judges of Election retained custody of the package and will surrender all the records to the newly elected Secretary-Treasurer.

The official results of the balloting is as follows:

For Office of President and position of Assistant Business Representative:

Louis PHILLIPS	602 votes	212 void
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For Office of Vice President:

Dominick GIARDONO	468 votes	
Barney J. VILLA	272 votes	74 votes void

For Office of Recording Secretary:

Carroll MC SHANE	693 votes	121 votes void
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For Office of Secretary-Treasurer:

Robert POLLARD	280 votes	
Frank SLURFF	108 votes	
Paul MOGAVERO	276 votes	
Arthur O. WINCH	92 votes	74 votes void

For Office of Business Representative:

Dominick PUCCI	458 votes	
Carl LUPI	336 votes	20 votes void

For Office of Sergeant-at-Arms:

Elwyn BECKER	171 votes	
Frank STROSZ	316 votes	
Anthony ROBERTI	248 votes	79 votes void

For Office of Auditors:

Charles GREEN	545 votes	
Edward HOHENSCHELD	333 votes	
Francis CAPONE	455 votes	
Nick NOCERA	422 votes	39 votes void

For Office of Executive Board members:

Steve DEVINO	325 votes	
Harold DELORIA	149 votes	
John WICKHAM	95 votes	
Anthony LANDOLFO	233 votes	
Louis ST. LOUIS	258 votes	
Paul STAFFORD	270 votes	52 votes void

Maurice D. Maly
Judge of Election

Ray Weart Jr
Judge of Election

Judge of Election

July 6, 1971

All members of Executive Board present.

This meeting was called to order at 8.00 P.M. and was called for the purpose of discussing the possible appointment of Robert Brown to act as a Field Representative and advisor to the Local, for a period of three months. Due to a new International ruling is on the Local's payroll in October, he will be entitled to a much larger International Pension.

A motion was made by Dominick Gaiddone and seconded by Steve De Vivo, that the Executive Board recommend that the Local engage the services of Robert Brown to act as a Field Representative for a period of three months, in order that he become eligible for the higher Pension. All in favor.

A motion was made by Anthony Landolfo and seconded by Dominick Pucci that if Mr. Brown is appointed to act as Field Representative, that he receive the same salary and expense allowance that he has been receiving. All in favor.

Letter from Paul Mogavero and from the Office of the International, concerning a protest regarding the Election results were read by the Sec. Secretary.

Meeting adj. 9.30 P.M.

C. M. Shane
Sec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

July 8, 1971

Roll Call of Officers

Carl Risort absent.

Minutes of June 11th meeting read and a motion was made by Chester Lence and seconded by Carl Lupi to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

Letters concerning a protest to the International Union by Paul Mogavero and answers from the International Union to Paul Mogavero and to the Local were read by the Recording Secretary.

Stewards' Report

Stewards reported from 18 jobs accounting for 630 members working.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Brown reports Calanan at Saratoga 22, Apex 6, Murray Walters at Cobleskill about 20.

Mrs. Phillips reports Trisk 8 and M L B 6 at Hospital job.

Report of Election Committee

A complete report of activities of the Judges of Election and the conduct of the Election was read by Maurice Morley the Chairman of the Judges of Election.

A motion was made by John Green and seconded by Frank Adanuncio to accept the report as read and to make the report part of the minutes of this meeting. One opposed, Paul Mogavero. Motion well carried. (over)

Minutes of the Executive Board Meeting of July 6, 1971 were read and a motion was made by Casper Wells and seconded by Joe London to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Unfinished Business

Dominick Pucci read a letter of protest that was sent to the International, stating various charges against him but the letter was unsigned. Mr. Pucci also read a copy of the letter he wrote back to the International in rebuttal of these charges.

A motion was made by Steve Steffek and seconded by Charles Green that the letter involved be placed in the hands of the Recording Secretary for safe-keeping. None opposed.

A motion was made by William Le Brown requesting that typed copies of the above mentioned letter be placed on the bulletin board. There was no second to this motion.

The President relinquished the Chair to the Vice President who swore in Louis Phillips as President of the Local. Mr. Giandomo relinquished the Chair back to Mr. Phillips who swore in the rest of the newly elected officers and incumbents.

Mr. Brown wished the new officers well.

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New Business

A motion was made by Robert Pollard and seconded by Steve De Vivo that Robert Brown be appointed to the position of Field Representative for a period of three (3) months at his previous salary and expense allowance that he received as Business Representative. All in favor. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips requested that action be taken in selecting what members would represent the Local at the International hearing of Paul Mogavero's charges.

A motion was made by Dominick Giardino and seconded by Carl Lupis that the three Judges of Election attend the hearing, July 14, 1971 at New York.

Mr. Phillips relinquished the Chair to the Vice President.

A motion was made by Frank Adamancio and seconded by Carl Lupis that Louis Phillips attend the protest hearing, July 14, 1971 at New York. None opposed.

Mr. Giardino relinquished the Chair back to the President.

A motion was made by William Le Baron and seconded by John Zwend that \$65.00 per day be allowed for each delegates expenses. None opposed.

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A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded
 () by Carl Lupi that the delegates be reimbursed
 for each days pay lost while attending the hear-
 ing. Reimbursement to be made at the regular
 Building Wage Scale. None opposed.

A motion was made by Robert Brown and seconded
 by William Hebbard that Dominick Pucci be re-
 imbursed for a days pay he lost while attend-
 ing the Tunnel meeting in New York. One opposed
 William Le Baron. Motion well carried.

Mr Phillips announced that the election ballots have
 () been in the custody of the Chairman of the Judges of
 Election since the count and will remain there
 until the protests are settled.

All the newly elected Officers and incumbents indiv-
 idually thanked the membership for their support
 Also some of the losing candidates also thanked the member-
 ship.

Mr. Brown thanked the members for their support of
 him over the years and received a standing ovation.

Good and Welfare

Mr Phillips announced that a Special Meeting would
 be held Monday, July 12, 1971 at 8.00 P.M. to recount
 () the ballots cast for Secretary - Treasurer. Those who
 will attend will be the four candidates for that
 office, their watchers and the Judges of Election.

A motion was made by Frank Adamuncio and seconded by Carl Byrne that the services of a Police Officer be used during the recount of votes and that he receive for pay the regular Building scale. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips announced that a Special Meeting will be held at the I U E Hall, Erie Boulevard, Schenectady NY on July 29, 1971 to select delegates to the International Convention. Notices will be mailed to each member to the address on file at the Local Office.

Financial Report

The June Financial Report was read by the Secretary-Treasurer and a motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Chester Lence to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Mr. Phillips and Mr. Pucci reported on the Heavy Construction Agreement. Must be ratified by National Stabilization Board.

A motion was made by Maurice Morley and seconded by Louis St. Louis that a fire proof file be purchased to keep the Secretary-Treasurer books and records in. None opposed.

There being no further business to come before the meeting a motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Charlie Green to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 9:40 PM

C. W. Shaw Rec. Sec.

129 members present

Financial Report

() The Financial Report was read by the Secretary-Treasurer and a motion was made by Steve DeVivo and seconded by Dominick Guaidano to accept the Report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8.30 P.M.

92 members present

C. M. Shane Rec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers

Robert Brown absent.

Minutes of October meeting read and a motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Louis St. Louis to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 17 jobs on which 556 men were employed.

Report of Business Representatives

Dominick Pucci gave a report on jobs in Schenectady and Saratoga areas and Cobleskill.

Mr. Phillips reported on Amsterdam, Johnstown-Glowerville area work.

Delegates

Reports were given by Lou Phillips and Paul Mogavero on the last Labor Temple Asso. meeting.

Unfinished Business

(none)

New Business

Mr. Phillips stepped down as Chairman and Dominick Giardano took over.

A motion was made by Robert Pollard and seconded by Steve De Vivo to send both Business Representatives to attend any Up-State Heavy Construction meetings, where deemed necessary. None opposed.

Report on Convention

The following Delegates to the Convention gave reports on events, Dominick Pucci, Paul Mogavero, Dominick Giardano, Steve De Vivo and Sherwood Dargman.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was held in memory of Joseph Bode and Frank Bernaski members who died recently.

Financial Report

Financial Report was read by the Financial Secretary and a motion was made by Charles Green and seconded by Dominick Giardino to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business, a motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Anthony Ruberto to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8.45 P.M.
68 members present

C. M. Shane

Regular Meeting

December 9, 1971

Roll Call of Officers

All present except Dominick Maidone, reported ill.
Louis St. Louis was appointed acting Vice President.

Minutes of November 11th meeting were read and accepted.
Motion by Louis St. Louis and seconded by Alan Flint. None opposed.

Communications

A letter from the International concerning increasing of monthly dues was read by the Recording Secretary.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 12 jobs with a total of 325 men working.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Pucci reported Sweet has new job at Bellevue Hospital.
Also reported on jobs in Saratoga and Cobleskill.

Mr. Phillips reported work slowing down around Amsterdam, Gloversville & Johnstown area, due in some cases to winter weather. Holiday Inn at Amsterdam not started yet.

Unfinished Business

Discussion was held concerning the letter from the International ordering a \$1.00 per month increase in dues to become effective as of January 1, 1972.

A motion was made by Paul Stafford and seconded by Carl Byrne that the Local abide by the International directive and increase the monthly dues by \$1.00 beginning January 1, 1972. All voted in favor.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Casper Wells that any member who has his dues paid in advance for January or after, as of this meeting night, will not be expected to pay the \$1.00 increase for the month already paid. All in favor, none opposed.

A motion was made by Maurice Morley and seconded by Donald Casey that the increase that had been voted to become effective on May 1, 1972 be replaced by the increase becoming effective on January 1, 1972. All in favor, no dissent.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Barney Villa that the Initiation Fee for new members be increased to \$150.00 as of January 1, 1972. All in favor, none opposed.

New Business

A motion was made by Charlie Green and seconded by Casper Wells that the Business Representatives be allowed the right to order picketing of certain jobs, when deemed necessary. None opposed.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo that any laborer pickets be paid, seconded by Nick Nocera. None opposed.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Casper Wells that the pickets be paid full Building rate for the first week of picketing. Any prolonged picketing rate would be ascertained by the Business Officer. All in favor.

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December 9, 1971

Mr. Pucci reported nothing new on Gas Line Agreements

Good and Welfare
none

Financial Report

The Financial Report was read by the Secretary Treasurer and a motion was made by Paul Stafford and seconded by Carl Lupi to accept the report as read. None opposed

Carl Lupi commented on the handling of the Testimonial Dinner for Mr. Brown and asked for a round of applause for the dinner Committee, which was given.

There being no further business to hear, a motion was made by Nick Nocera and seconded by Steve Steffek to adjourn the meeting. None opposed

Meeting adjourned 9.00 PM

56 members present

C. M. Shane

December 14, 1971

Called to order 7.15 P.M.

Roll Call of Office

All Officers and members of Executive Board present.

The Local has been advised by the Local's Attorney that it will be necessary to hold a Special Meeting to vote on whether or not to increase the initiation fee to \$150.00 as voted by the members attending the December 9, 1971 regular meeting.

A motion was made by Paul Stefford and seconded by Dominick Giardano to hold a Special Meeting to vote on the question of increasing initiation fees. All voted in favor.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Dominick Giardano to hold a Special Meeting, at the Labor Temple, 105 Clinton St. Schenectady, N.Y., at 8.00 P.M. on January 6, 1972 to vote on whether or not to increase initiation fees to \$150.00. All in favor.

A motion was made by Paul Stafford and seconded by Steve De Vivo to have the Local notify the membership by mail, notification of the time, place and date of the Special Meeting to be mailed to the address on record at the Local's Office. All in favor.

Suggestions were made that the membership give the President the power to delegate three (3) members to serve as a Balloting Committee.

Meeting adjourned 8.00 P.M.

C. M. Shave

Special Meeting

January 6, 1972

This meeting was called to discuss and vote on possible increasing initiation fees to \$150.00.

Roll Call of Officers

Charlie Green absent. Excused from attending.

Minutes of the Executive Board Meeting, December 14, 1971 were read and a motion was made by Steve DeVivo and seconded by Dominick Giardino to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

A motion was made by Casper Wells and seconded by Kenneth Pessalano that a ballot vote be conducted by secret ballot on the question of increasing the initiation fees to \$150.00. If increase in initiation fee is passed, this increase would begin at once. None opposed.

The President named Elwyn Becker as Chairman of the Balloting Committee and Casper Wells and Chester Lenza as members of the Committee to oversee the balloting on the question of increasing the initiation fee.

The empty ballot box was shown to the membership. Ballots were issued to each member as the Committee passed on his eligibility to vote.

After all members had voted, a motion was made by Donald Casey and seconded by Kenneth Pessalano to close the polls as of 8:50 P.M. All voted in favor.

The results of the balloting were:

For the increase in initiation fees to \$150.00. - 72

Against the increase in initiation fees to \$150.00 5

Total voted 77 members

Meeting adjourned 9:15 P.M.

77 members present

O. M. Shone, Sec. Sec.

January 13, 1974

Roll Call of Officers

Francis Capone absent.

Minutes of December meeting read and a motion was made by Dominick Guaidano and seconded by Paul Stafford to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Communications

A letter from the U.S. Office of Labor Management regarding the complaint of Paul Mogavero was read by the secretary. The letter stated the case was closed by the Solicitor of Labor.

A letter was received from the Stratton Testimonial Dinner Committee announcing having a Testimonial Dinner at the Hyatt House.

A letter was received from Plumbers Local 128 requesting Local #157 to take an ad in their 70th Anniversary Program booklet.

Stewards Report

Stewards Reported from twelve jobs with a total of 401 laborers on the jobs reported.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Pucci reported on job activity in the Schenectady, Saratoga, Schoharie, Cobleskill areas.

Mr. Phillips reported on work in the Amsterdam, Gloversville and Johnstown area.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported the Labor Temple Association was altering the present Conference Room to make two offices.

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January 13, 1972

Mr Phillips also reported that rents for all offices in the Building are being increased.

Report of Committee

Elwyn Becker, the Chair of the Balloting Committee reported on the balloting for the increase in the initiation fees. His typed report is made part of these minutes.

The Recording Secretary read the minutes of the Special Meeting of January 6, 1972, the night of the balloting on the initiation fee increase.

A motion was made by Paul Stafford and seconded by Carl Lupi to accept the minutes of the Special Meeting as read. All voted in favor.

Unfinished Business

Mr Phillips relinquished the Chair to Dom. Garbano the Vice President.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Charlie Green to buy two \$50.00 tickets to the Stratton Testimonial dinner and present them to the Business Representative Mr. Pucci and the President, Mr Phillips. None opposed.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Lenny Brown that the Local take a \$25.00 ad in Locals 124's Anniversary booklet. None opposed.

Mr Phillips appointed Dominick Pucci as Trustee to the Local 157 Pension Trust to replace Robert Brown who has retired.

LABORERS LOCAL UNION #157

SPECIAL MEETING - JANUARY 6, 1972 - 8:00 P.M.

VOTING TO INCREASE THE INITIATION FEE TO ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$150.00)

THE BALLOT BOX WAS SHOWN EMPTY, LOCKED AND THEN THE VOTING STARTED.

THE POLLS CLOSED AT 8:51 P.M. THERE WERE ~~ONE HUNDRED~~ ~~AND~~ SEVENTY-SEVEN (77) VOTES CAST.

THE VOTES WERE COUNTED BY THE ELECTION COMMITTEE AND THE RESULTS WERE AS FOLLOWS:

72 YES

5 NO

ALL VOTES WERE ACCEPTED.

THE VOTES WERE LOCKED IN THE BALLOT BOX AND GIVEN TO ROBERT POLLARD, SECRETARY-TREASURER.

Elwyn E. Becker

ELWYN E. BECKER
CHAIRMAN OF ELECTION COMMITTEE

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A suggestion was made by Robert Collard that a new Addressograph Machine was needed by the Local due to the old one breaking down due to old age.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by John Malik to have the Local purchase a new Addressograph Machine. None opposed.

A motion was made by Dominick Gussano and seconded by Douglas Johnson that the Local obtain a Repair Insurance Policy to cover the Machine. None opposed.

Good and Welfare

It was reported that the Pipe Line Agreement was still being held up by the Craft Board and Stabilization Board.

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother Hyman Frazier who died recently.

Financial Report

Financial Report for December was read by the Secretary-Treasurer and a motion was made by Harold Deloria and seconded by Casper Wells to accept the report as read. None opposed.

Meeting Adjourned 9:00 PM

28 members present

A. M. Shane, Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

February 10, 1972

Roll Call of Officers

All present

minutes of January meeting read and accepted. Motion by Donnick Guidono 2nd by Paul Stafford. None opposed.

Communications

Letter from A. T. L. C. I. O. announcing Legislative Conference to be held March 6, 1972 at De Witt Clinton Hotel, Albany, N. Y.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 12 area jobs with 481 laborers employed.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Pucci reported Sweet has 12 men on school job.

Mr. Phillips reported things slow around Amsterdam, Gloversville area.

Report of Delegates

Phillips reported on the last Labor Temple meeting.

Unfinished Business

A request for information on the Pipe Line Agreement was asked from the floor. Mr. Pucci and Mr. Phillips reported on what has been happening in regard to the Pipe Line Agreement.

Mr. Pucci reported that due to some lying by the Employer the Laborers Negotiation Committee was advised that the Agreement was in the hands of the Stabilization Board for some months. This turned out to be untrue.

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Meetings kept being postponed due to the absence of Verne O'Leary Pres. of the Gas Line Contractors and he could not be reached by phone to discuss matters.

At the last meeting of the Negotiations Committee it was decided that the Gas Line Agreement would be considered an addendum to the Heavy Highway Agreement from February 1, 1972 to the end of March when the Heavy Agreement terminates.

The first meeting of Negotiations on the Heavy Agreement was slated for February 22nd.

New Business

Mr. Phillips announced that one of our old members, Benny Diary who has been cleaning the Local office, has requested an increase in pay.

A motion was made by Carl Lupi and seconded by Peter St. George to have the Local increase the payment to Benny Diary from \$20.00 per ^{month} ~~week~~ _{3/9/72} to \$30.00 for janitorial services. None opposed.

A motion was made by Anthony Ruberti and seconded by Charles Green to transfer \$20,000.00 from checking account to a savings account. None opposed.

Discussion was held on Legislative Conference to be held at De Witt Clinton Hotel, Albany N.Y. on March 6, 1972.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Charles Green that Dominick Pucci, Louis Phillips and Robert Brown attend the Legislative Conference as delegates from Local 157. None opposed.

February 10, 1972

A motion was made by Dominick Giardano and seconded by Casper Wells that the Local allow each delegate to the Legislative Conference, \$25.00 for expenses. None opposed.

A request was made from the floor for information on the increase in pay due May 1, 1972 under the Building Agreement. Mr Phillips stated that from an article he read in the newspapers, it appeared we may be entitled to about a 2% increase under Phase II.

Good and Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Arthur Grant Diamond who died recently.

Financial Report

The Financial Report for January was read by the Secretary-Treasurer and a motion was made by Casper Wells and seconded by Albert Vance to accept the Report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:50 P.M.

70 members attending

C. W. Shane, Tre. Sec.

Feb. 29, 1972

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Executive Board Meeting

All members of the Executive Board were present.

Meeting called to order at 7.25 P.M.

Mr. Phillips reported on the Local 157 Union Pension Trust which has covered the Officers employed full time by the Local. The Trust was started in 1960 to cover Robert Brown and Louis Phillips, the only two full time employees of the Local at that time, Mr. Brown having retired leaves Mr. Phillips as the only employee now covered by the Trust. When the Trust was started its object was to cover all full time employees of the Local.

A motion was made by Paul Stafford and seconded by Steve De Vivo that the Local include the two new employees of the Local, Dominick Cucci and Robert Pollard under the coverage provided by the International Laborers Local Union 157 Pension Trust Staff Plan. The Executive Board voted in favor. The membership at the next regular meeting will be asked for ratification of the above motion.

Meeting adjourned

8.15 P.M.

C. M. Shane, Sec. Sec.

Roll Call of Officers. All Officers present.

Minutes of February meeting read and change was recommended. The pay for Benny Diaz should have read \$20.00 per month instead of \$20.00 per week as read. The change was made by the secretary, and a motion was made by Dominic Guardono and seconded by Paul Stafford to accept the minutes. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 14 jobs for a total of 480 laborers employed.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Pucci reported on some jobs in Schenectady, Saratoga Schoharie areas. Now Scotia bridge contract not awarded as yet. Mr. Phillips and Mr. Pucci attended Heavy Const. Negotiation Meeting last week, next meeting Mar 14th.

Mr. Pucci reported on a meeting at Albany on Multiple Bids. Telegrams were sent to several Legislature members, requesting their backing to beat a bill to Tax Welfare and Pension Contribution monies.

A letter was sent to the Stabilization Board concerning the already negotiated May 1, 1972 increase.

Mr. Phillips reported that the Stabilization Board can and has forced a re-negotiation of some long term Agreements. Rochester laborers had to ~~renegotiate~~ renegotiate,

Minutes of the Executive Board Meeting held Feb. 29, 1972 were read and a motion was made by Louis St. Louis and seconded by Donald Casey. All voted in favor.

New Business

A motion was made by Casper Wells and seconded by Kenneth Bessolano to table action on the part of the Executive Board Meeting of Feb 29th concerning with the Labours 157 Pension Trust. None opposed.

A motion was made by William Phelps and seconded by Kenneth Bessolano that Robert Pollard, Sec. Treas. be allowed a one week vacation. Motion passed.

Good & Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of two Local members who died recently, Ray Jenken and Kenneth Manon.

A motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Casper Wells to give our negotiation Committee the right to act on any Negotiation Meeting proceedings concerning new agreements or change. None opposed.

At the request of Robert Brown his resignation was accepted as delegate to the Labor Temple Assn.

The Chairman, Louis Phillips appointed Dominic Pucci to succeed Robert Brown as delegate to the Labor Temple Assn.

Financial Report

The Financial Report was read and a motion was made by Maurice Morley and seconded by Paul Stafford to accept the report as read.

C. M. Shane, Rec. Sec.

Meeting Adj: 9.05 PM
97 members present

Roll Call of Officers

All Officers reported present.

Minutes of March 9th meeting read and a motion was made by Steve Steffek and seconded by Kesterence to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 13 jobs with 401 labourers employed.

Report of Business Representatives

Mr. Pucci reported on several new jobs and several old ones in the Saratoga, Schenectady & Schoharie County areas. Reported the new addition at St. Clare's Hospital probably won't start before mid summer.

Heavy Construction negotiations still going on with weekly meetings being held.

Mr. Pucci stated that rejection of our \$1.25 negotiated increase which was supposed to become effective May 1st, is expected, due to the Federal Wage Stabilization Board's action with other Locals.

Mr. Phillips also reported on current negotiations and reported on work in Amsterdam, Movererville & Johnstown areas.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Mogavero reported on activities at the last Labor Temple Assn. meeting. Delegates still discussing renovation of the Building.

Mr. Phillips also made a report on the Labor Temple Assn. meeting and proposed renovations. (over)

Unfinished Business

The matter of including the new Business Representatives, ~~and~~ Dominick Pucci and the new Secretary-Treasurer Robert Pollard in the Pension benefits provided by the International Laborers Local 157 Pension Trust Staff Plan, ~~action~~ upon which was tabled at the March meeting was brought up by the Chairman.

A motion was made by Charles Green and seconded by Casper Wells that Dominick Pucci and Robert Pollard be eligible to be included in the coverage provided by the International Laborers Local 157 Pension Trust Staff Plan. Show of hands vote, none opposed.

New Business

Mr. Pucci talked on job safety Programs, Contractors requesting workers to sign agreements covering safety Rules

Good & Welfare
none

Financial Report

The Financial Report for March was read by the Secretary-Treasurer and a motion was made by Carl Lupe and seconded by Paul Stafford to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business a motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:55 PM

122 members present

C. M. Shane, Rec. Sec.

Regular Meeting

May 11, 1972

Roll Call of Officers

Dominick Pucci attending meeting at Syracuse, Paul Stafford working. All other officers present.

The minutes of the April 13th meeting were read and a motion was made by Louis St. Louis and seconded by Chester Lence to accept the minutes as read. None opposed.

Stewards Report

Stewards reported from 19 jobs with 401 laborers employed.

Report of Business Representatives

Robert Pollard reported for Dominick Pucci. Work very slow starting. Several jobs being picketed.

Mr. Phillips reported a letter has been received from the Building and Construction Trades Council requesting that all Business Representatives attend a meeting at New York June 13 & 14th.

Mr. Phillips also reported that Mr. Pucci has called the office of the Stabilization Board in reference to an increase. They answered that our request would be brought before the Board very soon.

Mr. Phillips reported on work being done in Amsterdam, Gloversville & Johnstown area. Also reported on the Heavy and Highway meetings at Syracuse.

Report of Delegates

Mr. Phillips reported on the Labor Temple Assn. meeting.

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Unfinished Business

(none)

New Business

Mr. Phillips asked what the pleasure of the body was in sending Business Officers to the meeting in New York, June 13th & 14th. Mr. Phillips relinquished the Chair to Vice President Dominick Giardano.

A motion was made by Donald Casey and seconded by Frank Caputo to send Louis Phillips to the meeting in New York June 13th & 14th. None opposed.

A motion was made by Casper Wells and seconded by Dominick Giardano to delegate Dominick Pucci to attend same meeting June 13 & 14, 1972. None opposed.

A motion was made by Casper Wells and seconded by Kenneth Pissalano to allow \$100.00 per day for each delegates expensed at the above meeting. None opposed.

Mr. Pollard read a request for donations from Schenectady Police Benevolent Assn.

A motion was made by Richard Jones to donate \$400.00 to the Police Assn. There being no second to this motion it could not be voted on.

A motion was made by John Actum and seconded by Donald Casey that the Local take a \$37.50 pledge to the Police Assn. Show of hands 65 for 12 against. Passed.

Good & Welfare

One minute of silence was observed in memory of Brother David Owens who died recently.

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May 11, 1972

Monthly Financial Report

The Financial Report for April, was read and a motion was made by Steve De Vivo and seconded by Casper Wells to accept the report as read. None opposed.

There being no further business, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. None opposed.

Meeting adjourned 8:40 PM

107 members present

C. M. Shane,
Rec. Sec.



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March 24, 1971

Local Union 157
Louis J. Phillips, President
105 Clinton Street
Schenectady, New York

Dear Sir and Brother:

Upon the recommendation of the Manager of the New York, New York Regional Office, your request, dated March 17, 1971, to combine the office of President and Assistant Business Manager, is hereby approved.

With kind regards, I am

Fraternally yours,

PETER FOSCO
General President

cc: New York Regional Office

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LOCAL UNION NO. 157

CITY Schenectady

DATE June 11, 1971

SECRETARY Dominick Pucci

ADDRESS 10 Chester St. Schenectady

TELEPHONE 518 - 372-9947

Canajoharie:

I am a member of good standing in Local 157 and would like for you to know what is wrong. For the past six (6) years me and some others have been watching our Local go down the drain. We have been poorly represented and can't do anything about it. We have a job going twenty four hours a day and have only 1 steward. We can't get to him when there is trouble as he is also the Sec'y Treas. and only gets on the job about 6 hours a day and then he stays in his truck selling food. We have complained to the B.A. but he is in on some of the way that the Steward gets. Last year he made over thirty thousand at the dam. Why can't they have 2 stewards so that there is someone around at nites when we work. We would like for you to check into this matter as we don't want to go to the E.E.O. nor to our congressman which we will have to do if you can't do something. We thank you but we can't sign our names in case you show this letter. We have families and the B.A. would only get some of his teamster thugs after us. We are not afraid of them if they would meet us as equals but they don't.

A Bunch Of Laborers

from Local 157

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-----LOCAL UNION NO. 157
CITY Schenectady, N. Y. 12304 DATE June, 28, 1971
SECRETARY.....Dominick Pucci
ADDRESS.....10 Chester St.
TELEPHONE.....

Laborer's International Union Of North America
731 Bryant Park Building
55 West 42nd Street
New York, N.Y. 10036

Attention: Michael Lorello - Vice President

Dear Sirs

I am writing in response to a communication received by your office dated June 11, 1971 and not signed by any identifiable individual but in place and instead of a signature,, signed "A Bunch Of Laborers From Local 157".

I, as an officer of Local 157, who is given the responsibility to respond to this communication, categorically deny any of the wrong doings inferred in this June 11, 1971 communication. The statements made inferring wrong doings are baseless and without foundation, and in all probability this is the very reason why there were no signatures or means of identifying the composer of this letter.

The achievements and the accomplishments of our Union in the past six years, is sufficient to rebut charges that our local union is going down the drain. As to those allegations directed specifically at me that as a steward I am not available and that I sell food are statements without any creditability. The hours I spend on the job site are documented and part of my employment record. The question about selling food from the truck is utterly ridiculous.

I would like to call your attention to the fact that on June 12, 1971, I was a candidate for the office of Business Agent of our local Union and was very happy to have been elected Business Agent. It is my understanding that I received strong support from the laborers for whom I acted as steward on the Gilboa Dam Project. This support is an indication of the lack of truthfulness of the statements and allegations made in this letter of June 11, 1971.

One final point, electionsday for our Union was June 12, 1971 and the reason I mention this is because I would like you to note the date of this communication by this individual who makes allegations like a thief in the night, But will not reveal his identity because he knows

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that these charges and allegations are nothing but snears, innuendos, and untruths without foundations or basis.

If these conditions existed for the last six years they should have been brought to the attention of the proper authorities long ago instead of waiting to the day before the election.

The reason they were not brought to any ones attention is because they did not exist then, nor do they exist at the present time.

I would be glad to furnish you with any additional information you may need.

Sincerely and Fraternally Yours,

Dominick Pucci
Sec'y Treas.

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July 30, 1971

Mr. Carroll A McShane Recording Secretary
105 Clinton St.
Schenectady N.Y. 12305

Dear Sir & Brother:

due to the expense that arrives from sending out over 1600 letters, the work and time that it involves to set up a election, I feel for the good and Welfare of the Local Union that we should not have another election to decide the tie vote between Sherwood L Dingman and myself.

I wish to decline the motion for my candidacy and to relinquish my vote to Mr. Dingman as delegate to the International Convention, Miami Beach, Florida.

Fraternally

Louis J Phillips Pres.

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