Many Workers Sign Approval of SoC Dues Boost Proposal

Close to 2,000 UE Schenectady workers employed an over-whelming majority of those approached, have already signed the petition approving a proposed 50 cents monthly dues increase.

The petition to increase was circulated throughout the works, in the hope of approval by the UE Local 101 officers and executive board. The 5c boost would be utilized to provide member relief - to avoid a future dues hike - and to aid in defense funds for the locals.

If the dues raise is approved by the membership, those who have already contributed 50c to the UE defense fund would have the money refunded to them.

The new dues will only be effective if it is approved by the majority of UE members in Schenectady. But with the increase, local UE members will not see any rise in their monthly dues payments.

Company Offers Some Fringe Improvements in Pact Talks

An additional negotiation between representatives of UE and the General Electric company this week marked an attempt by the union to win contract talks before the July 1, 1932, expiration date of the agreement.

As this edition went to press, the talks were still in progress, although no one was sure how long they would last.

Despite the delay, both sides have indicated they expected to reach agreement on an eight-hour workday, a new contract feature.

Oppose Sales Levy

A popular levy proposal recently presented to Gov. Herbert Hoover to raise money for the state's budget was opposed by a group of UE members in Schenectady.

The proposed sales levy would have raised taxes on all goods sold in the state, including food, clothing, and other necessities.

The opposition to the levy was based on the belief that it would hurt working-class families and the poor, who would be forced to pay more for basic necessities. The petition stated that the money raised by the levy should be used to improve the lives of working people, not just for the benefit of state government.

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Union Aims at Full Vote Registration Next Month

An all-out drive to get every eligible member of UE Local 301 to register for the November elections was approved by the Monday meeting of the local.

House Nominees Voted Invitations

The two candidates for Congress from this area will have the opportunity to present their causes to the voters on the UE Local 301 membership meeting at the October regular meeting.

This was made possible Monday, when the membership meeting voted unanimously to invite Representative Bernard Kosmider and Republican David Platte, to speak before the next meeting, which is scheduled to be held at the October 4th.

The invitations will be extended for the 7:30 meeting of the first and third shifts.

The purpose of the invitation is to allow UE Local 301 membership the fullest possible opportunity to vote in the primaries.

In preparation for the campaign for the primaries, the union has already appointed Representative Kosmider to contest in the Democratic County convention to be held in November.

The union has extended several invitations to various organizations to participate in the primaries, which includes representatives of various community organizations.

Un-Americans Too Much

Even in Windy Chicago

Completely routed by the unity of the people, a group of about 100 members of the House of American mechanics and laborers who are employed by the various trade unions in the city, marched through the streets on Wednesday afternoon, July 27th. The march began at the offices of the Union Labor Party on the corner of Ashland and Madison Ave., and continued to the Loop, where it ended at the Republican Headquarters.

The march was led by a group of young men, who carried a large banner reading: "We Will Not Be Sold Out!"

The marchers sang "The Star-Spangled Banner" and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." They carried signs reading: "Labor Unites!" and "Justice for All!"

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Testimonial Honors Bill Templeton

The Electrical Union News is a weekly newspaper. It covers news and events related to the electrical industry. The text in the image appears to be discussing various topics, including negotiations, CE to give bosses quiet atmosphere, and Urge Lewis to seek unity as UE begins convention. The newspaper includes ads and features articles on different aspects of the electrical industry. The content is written in a formal tone, typical of newspapers, and is relevant to readers interested in the electrical field.
In the industry, the term "UE" refers to the United Electrical Workers Union, which has been in a strike against the General Electric Company. The strike began in 1936 and lasted for several years, eventually settling with a new contract in 1938. This led to the famous "UE Strike" or "United Electrical Workers Strike." The strike was a significant event in labor history and led to improvements in wages and working conditions for union members.

The text also mentions "UE Local 1140," which likely refers to a local chapter of the UE, active in New York City. The specific details of the UE's involvement in the strike, such as the demands and outcomes, can be found in historical labor records and archives.

The text also includes some financial figures, such as "$355,000,000" and "$500,000,000," which could be related to union demands or the financial impact of the strike. These numbers reflect the economic significant of the strike and its impact on the industry and the economy.

The text also includes some technical terms, such as "four-wire circuits" and "telephone exchange," which are related to the technology of the time. These terms would be familiar to electrical engineers and those involved in the telecommunications industry.

Overall, the text provides a rich context for understanding the historical significance of the UE Strike and the role of the UE in labor history. It also provides a snapshot of the technology and economy of the time, including the use of electricity and the telecommunications industry. The text is a valuable resource for anyone interested in labor history, technological development, and economic history.