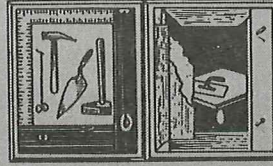


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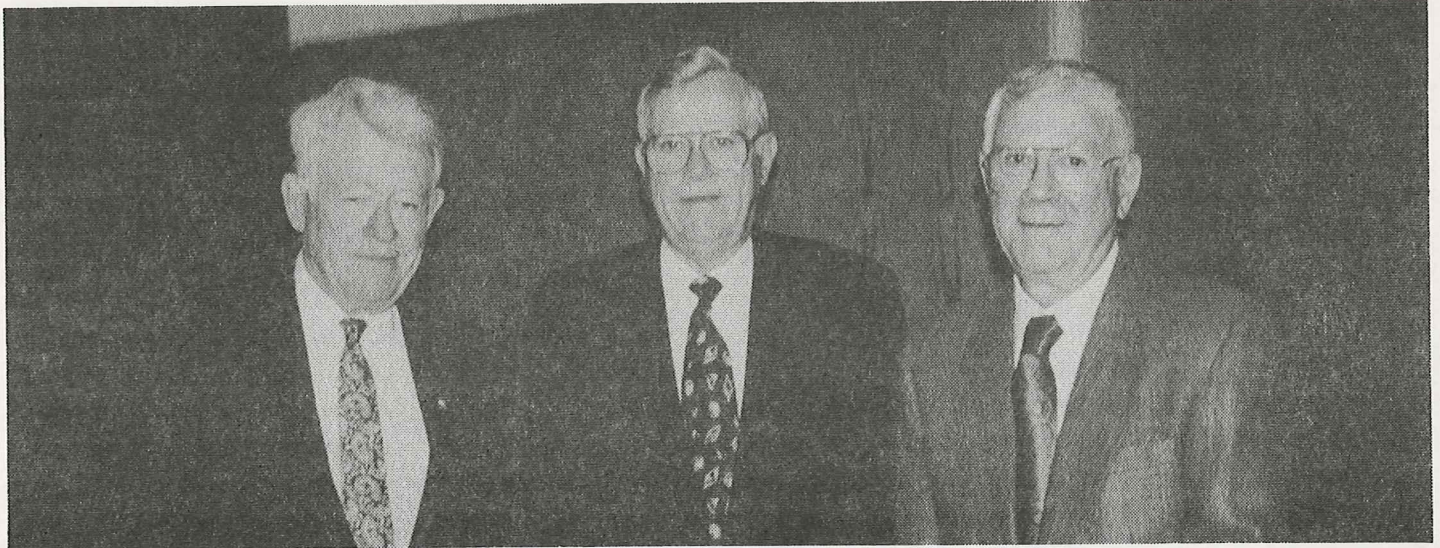


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Pictured are Charlie, Larry and Leo McGough. Peter McGough was not available when the photo was taken and Greg McGough died in 1992.

FOUR GENERATIONS OF BRICKLAYERS

By Charles P. McGough

Knowledge of our family history only goes back four generations. Around 1850 a stonemason by the name of Peter McGough established himself as a builder in County Monaghan, Ireland. We do not know if there was a union or a guild there at the time.

Peter taught the trade to his son, James, who immigrated to the United States in 1887. He settled in Brooklyn, where he joined Local 1 of the Bricklayers Union. Like his father, he too became a contractor. In 1902, he came to Minnesota for his health, but he died about a year later. Local 1 in Brooklyn had a rule that the oldest son of a deceased member would be put at the top of the apprenticeship list.

Peter then 15 years old, the oldest son of James, was sent to Brooklyn to become an apprentice bricklayer. This was in 1903. His two uncles (also bricklayers), who had taken over his father's business in Brooklyn, sponsored him. After his apprenticeship, he came back to Minnesota. He worked as a bricklayer, bricklayer foreman and superintendent until World War I. After returning from the service, he and his brother started a construction company of their own.

During the 30's and 40's, all six of Peter's sons were taught a trade. Five sons became bricklayers and one a carpenter. Four of the five brothers that became bricklayers are still living. Charles and Leo are gold card members. In 1956, they too started a construction firm.

For four generations that we know of, the McGoughs have been bricklayers and builders. Although none of the firms succeeded one another, each generation using their expertise as bricklayers, have started their own construction firms. In order they were as follows: Peter McGough, Stonemason, contractor in County Monaghan, Ireland; James McGough, bricklayer, contractor in Brooklyn; Peter McGough, bricklayer; McGough Brothers in Minnesota, Charles, Leo, Larry, Greg and Pete McGough, bricklayers, McGough Construction Co., Inc. in Minnesota.

The last firm which uses the motto, "The Fourth Generation of Craftsman Builders" is still flourishing.

There are three McGough in the fifth generation that are taking over. All of them are carpenters by trade, but we older ones still talk to them.

Sub Local's 1, 2 and 4

The verification slips for April, May and June, 1993 will be mailed on September 15th.

Sub Local 11

Verification slips are sent out to you quarterly, March 15, June 15, September 15, and December 15, of each year.

WE ARE CONTINUING TO HAVE PROBLEMS WITH MEMBERS NOT NOTIFYING THE OFFICE OF THEIR CHANGE OF ADDRESS. PLEASE NOTIFY US IMMEDIATELY IF YOU ARE MOVING, OR HAVE MOVED ALREADY.

Improvers Program!!!

Anyone interested in the improvers program should contact Jim or Gary at the office. Classes will start in September.

Out of Work?

If you are out of work, please call the office, as we have calls.

Christmas Party

It's never too early to mark your calendars for the Christmas Party. The Children's Christmas Party will be December 4, 1993. Hope to see you there.

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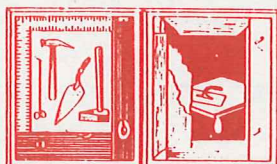
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UNION MEETINGS!!!

The times, dates and places for each Sub Local Union meeting are listed in the Labor Review or the Union Advocate papers.

Attention

**THERE WILL BE NO
SUB-LOCAL MEETINGS IN OCT. 1993**

PLEASE NOTE

ALL UNION DUES
SHOULD BE MAILED TO:
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GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Golf Tournament was a wet one. There were no winners because of only being able to play nine holes because of rain. We hope everyone enjoyed themselves in spite of the rain. Keep July 30, 1994 open next year for the golf tournament. Hopefully it will be a drier one!

A special thanks to Ben Baribeau for all of his help at the Golf Tournament and all the others on the Golf Committee.

RETIREE'S CLUB

Join our retiree club. The retiree's will be meeting quarterly. The next meeting is 10:00 a.m., Sept. 23rd. The meetings are held at Jax. For further information, call 379-2966 or 379-4230.

RETIRING?

If you're considering retiring please contact the Union Office three months in advance to fill out the necessary papers.

Drawing

There will be a drawing for turkeys at all of the November Union meetings.

SEMI ANNUAL MEETING

A special meeting of ALL Local 1 members will be held on Saturday, October 2nd, at 10:00 a.m. at 312 Central Avenue, in Minneapolis.

Special Order of Business Meeting

Special Order of Business at the next semi-annual meeting of B.A.C. Local 1, MN, to be held on Saturday, October 2, 1993 at 10:00 a.m. at 312 Central Avenue, 2nd floor at the United Labor Centre in Minneapolis, will be nominations of all officers.

These positions include: President, Secretary-Treasurer, the three Vice-Chairmen and the four Delegates to the Minnesota State Conference. The meeting will be held in rooms 216, 217 and 218.

To be a candidate or to nominate a candidate, your dues must be paid through August 1993.

The election shall be conducted by mail referendum. **Ballots will be mailed on October 5th and must be returned by October 29th. They will be counted on November 4th.**

**THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO ELECT
YOUR OFFICERS, SO PLEASE MAIL IN
YOUR BALLOTS.**

ELECTION JUDGES

Chairman of the Election Judges
JERRY LANTRY, Local 1, MN

Election Judges:

Jerry Lantry, Local 1
Roger Buirge, Local 1
Mike Kane, Local 1
Leon Jacobsen, Local 2
Peter Eisenzimmer, Local 2
Karl Kilander, Local 2
Wayne Lommel, Local 4
George Plocher, Local 6
Dale Wagner, Local 11
Tom Davison, Local 18
Robert Blanchard, Local 18
Steward Leonard, Local 18

Gary Goblirsch will be attending an International Union Executive Council meeting in September. He will report on it at the October meeting.

MN AFL-CIO Delegates

Delegates to the Minnesota AFL-CIO's 36th Constitutional Convention held on September 20-23rd, 1993 at the St. Paul Civic Center in St. Paul, will give their reports at the November meeting.

We have a copy of the proceedings of the International Union of Bricklayers and Allied Craftsmen 1993 Special Convention held in South Bend, Indiana in our office.

Special Thanks

A special thanks to our Union members who donated their labor at the AFL-CIO House of Labor at the State Fairgrounds.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Lyman Barlcay who has been named Outstanding Instructor by the 1993 BAC Craft Award Jury.

On behalf of the I.U. Executive Board and Local 1, we would like to congratulate him on this well deserved honor.

1993 BAC Craft Award Recipient

The Minnesota History Center has been named the 1993 BAC Craft Award recipient for "Best Project for Stone." On behalf of the IU Executive Board, congratulations to Knutson Construction Company and the members of Local 1, Minnesota for your incomparable work on this project.

Since its inception in 1986, the Craft Awards Program continues to grow in scope and local union participation. Local 1 can take great pride in knowing this award reflects BAC at its best.

Mr. Fred Smith, who is nationally recognized on targeting and former business manager of IBEW 117, Elgin, IL, has agreed to hold meetings on the Market Recovery Program on Monday, 9-27-93 at 7:30 p.m. This meeting is open to all building trades members and will be held on the second floor of the Minneapolis Labor Center, 312 Central Ave. Please call Sandy, 612-379-7046, or Debbie, 612-224-9445, by 9-23-93 if you plan to attend this meeting.

Deceased Members

We are sorry to report the following deaths since our last newsletter:

Waldemar Peterson, 6-13-93

Maurice Emergy, 6-23-93

Francis Lightfoot, 6-24-93

Joseph Casey, 7-7-93

James Cole, 7-7-93

Louis Foshay, 7-7-93

Harold Swanson, 7-93

Alfred Palme, 7-27-93

Donald Oestrich's Mother died 7-28-93

Francis Doyle, 8-93

Christopher Miklya, Son of Ronald, died accidentally 7-30-93 at the age of 14. Local 1 donated \$250 to the Christopher Miklya Scholarship Fund at Drover's First American Metro Bank in So. St. Paul. Anyone interested in donating call 451-6822.

DEATH BENEFITS — The I.U. Constitution states that no death benefit shall be paid when a member is two (2) months or more in arrears at the time of his death. We have had families lose their death benefits for not paying their dues. Please send your dues in and protect your families death benefit.

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New Members

Joseph Nelson, Darrell Koffler, Vern Kelin, Kevin Johnston, Mark Pumarlo, Lee Wendinger, Brian Strate, Robert Wendt, Christian Hurtubise, William Rhoads, Clifford Segler, Ronald Jones Scott Connor, and Bernard Blazek.

We would like to welcome the new members of the Bricklayers and Allied Craftsmen Local No. 1, of Minnesota into our union.



Congratulations to our new Apprentices, Brian Strate and Lee Wendinger. They are from Sub Local 6, Springfield and are working for Heymann Construction in New Ulm.

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