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Location

LaCrosse, WI

Effective Date

1-1-1937

Expiration Date

1-1-1938

Number of Workers

34

Union

Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America

Union Local

293

NAICS

44

Sector

Private

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AMALGAMATED MEAT CUTTERS & BUTCHER WORKERS OF N.A.

Local Union No. 293 of La Crosse, Wis.



THIS AGREEMENT, entered into by and between Local Union No. 293 A.M.C. & B.W. of N. A. of La Crosse, Wisconsin, and Retail Butchers of said city, regulating hours and wages of persons employed in markets in the City of La Crosse, La Crosse County, State of Wisconsin for the period of one year from May 1, 192..

WITNESSETH: Article One. Parties of the first part which includes all Union Meat Cutters, Sausage Makers, and all around workers in general, shall during the life of this agreement, receive thirty dollars (30.00) per week as a minimum wage for journeymen employed No members of the first part who are at present receiving over and above the minimum wage herein specified shall be reduced under this agreement.

Article Two. All work shall begin at seven A.M. and cease at six P. M. with one hour for lunch between 12 A. M. and 1 P. M. with the exception of Saturday, when work shall cease at eight P. M. Backroom men to work till six P. M. on Saturdays.

Article Three. No work shall be performed on Sundays or legal holidays. Such days to consist of Decoration Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas and New Year's Day.

Article Four. Parties of the second part agree hereby to employ only members of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workers of North American when same can be had, but non-union men may be employed when an emergency exists, provided, he or they shall file application for membership in Local Union No. 293 not later than one week after date of beginning work.

Article Five. In markets where two or more journeymen are employed one apprentice is permitted and one additional apprentice for every five meat cutters.

Apprentices must be between the ages of 16 and 25 years and shall make application to join the Union when starting to work.

If after 60 days the apprentice shall prove satisfactory to the employer, he shall be taken into the Meat Cutters Union and after having served 5 years he shall be classified as a journeyman meat cutter and receive the prevailing scale of wages.

Article Six. All workmen shall be paid not later than Saturday at 8 o'clock of each week.

Article Seven. One or more journeymen must be employed before one apprentice can be employed. One apprentice may be employed for every five journeymen thereafter.

Article Eight. This agreement shall be taken and considered to have been renewed from year to year, unless sixty days prior to termination thereof, either party shall in writing propose change thereto.

Signed this..... day of19..

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President

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President

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Secretary
Representing Butchers Ass'n.

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Secretary
Representing Local Union No.
293 A.M.C. & B.W. of N. A.

Handwritten initials

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

WASHINGTON

March 14, 1938

Mr. F. J. Kubal, Secy.
Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher
Workmen of North America #293
940 Johnson Street
LaCrosse, Wisconsin

My dear Mr. Kubal:

We have in our files a copy of your agreement with employers which was in effect during 1937.

In order to keep our files of union agreements up to date, I should be grateful if you could conveniently send us a copy of your new agreement, if you now have an agreement in force. We shall be glad to type a duplicate and promptly return the original if you have only one copy available. If you so indicate, we shall keep the identity of the agreement confidential, using the material only for general information, in such a way as not to reveal the name of the union.

We shall be very grateful for your assistance. The enclosed envelope for your reply requires no postage. If we can furnish you information at any time, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

Isador Lubin

Isador Lubin
Commissioner of Labor Statistics

Enc.

Name of company or employers' association signing the agreement

Hehler, Riedlin, Horn, Furby, & Keller & Mulder, Hooge & Brey
(If more than one employer, please list on reverse side)

Number of companies covered by agreement 15

Number of union members working under terms of agreement 28

Number of non-members working under terms of agreement 6

Branch of trade covered Meat butchers & Sausagemakers

working on old contract
Date renewed _____ Date of expiration May 30

Please check here if you wish the agreement returned _____

If you cannot send a copy of your new agreement, please note (on the reverse side of this letter) any changes from your previous agreement.

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64 F. Schubert
Schubert Bros.

A Vogel

A Small

~~H. Hensel~~

M. Pinker

~~H. Techner~~

~~Bakalars Bros~~

We are working on a new contract at present
Please send a note blank the latter part of May.

Yours
J. H. Kubal.
940 Johnson St
La. Borne, Wis.

