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Location

Sioux Falls, SD

Effective Date

7-1-1939

Expiration Date

7-1-1940

Number of Workers

32

Employer

Economy Center Markets; O. P. Skaggs System Stores; Home Market Inc.; Square Deal Grocery; K. and K. Company; Edmunds Grocery Stores

Union

Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America

Union Local

392

NAICS

44

Sector

Private

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Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of No. America, A. F. of L.
Local Union 392 of Sioux Falls, S. Dakota.
Affiliated with the Sioux Falls Trades and Labor Assembly.

CONTRACT
Between the

Retail Meat Dealers of Sioux Falls S. D. and the members of Local 392.

Article 1.

All employees except Bookkeepers and Delivery Boys and one apprentice will and must be members of Local 392.

Article 2.

Working time for members of Local 392 shall not exceed(63) hours in each week, and all Union men will be expected to work the night before a legal holiday that is observed by closing.

Article 3.

Each Shop shall be entitled to one apprentice after one Journey man Meat Cutter is employed, but no more than one apprentice will be allowed to work in each shop, and when the apprentice has worked two years at the trade he shall be allowed to join Local 392 and receive the scale of wages in force at that time.

Article 4.

The scale of wages shall not be less than(\$27.50) per week and all Union men working steady for one year shall be entitled to one week vacation with full pay. All Unionmen receiving more than the scale of wages shall not be cut to the lower scale.

Article 5.

When in need of help the employer shall give preference to men in good standing in local 392 and if non-union men are employed they must file application for membership in Local 392 not later than one week after date of employment.

Article 6.

No Meat Cutter shall be asked to serve customers after closing hours and any violation of these rules will mean the expulsion or fine of any member of Local 392, and any violation on the part of the employer will mean the removal of the shop card.

Article 7.

The International Shop Card shall be displayed in all places of employment where members of Local 392 are employed and agreement signed. The Secretary of Local 392 shall have the power to remove the Shop Card upon the violation of any part of this agreement by the employer.

Article 8.

A reasonable time will be allowed to clean up and if necessary for inventory, but in no case will members be allowed to do other than this.

Article 9.

There shall be no work on the following Holidays-- New Years day, Decoration day, Fourth of July, Labor day, Thanksgiving day, or Christmas, or any other Holiday that the State or Nation may declare legal.

Article 10.

This agreement ~~expires~~ Goes into effect-----
and expires-----

Signed ----- Employer

[Signature]
----- President Local
392.

[Signature]
----- Secretary Local
392.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS
WASHINGTON

Meat #392
Sioux Falls S. D.
7-1-40

UNION AGREEMENTS

December 2, 1939

Mr. Robert Reitz, Sec'y #392
Amal. Meat Cutters & Butcher Workmen
201 N. Main Street
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

Mr. Bruce A. Paulson, Rec. Sec.
Amal. Meat Cutters & Butch. Wkm.
63 1/2 South Dakota Avenue,
Sioux Falls, So. Dakota.

Dear Sir:

For a number of years the Bureau of Labor Statistics has attempted to maintain a file of all union agreements in force throughout the United States. On checking through our files we find we do not have copies of any agreements entered into by your union. We are exceedingly anxious to have your agreements among our records and shall appreciate your cooperation in sending us copies of them, together with the information requested below.

If you have only one copy available and so designate, we shall be glad to type a duplicate and promptly return the original. If you so indicate, we will keep the identity of the agreement confidential, using the materials only for general analysis which will not reveal the name of your union.

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
Commissioner of Labor Statistics.

Enc.

Name of company or employers' association signing the agreement _____

List of establishments signing the Local contract on back _____

(If more than one employer, please list on reverse side)

Number of companies covered by agreement Six _____

Number of union members working under terms of agreement 32 _____

Number of nonmembers working under terms of agreement app., 25 _____

Branch of trade covered Retail Meat Cutters, _____

Date signed July 1, 1939 _____ Date of expiration July 1, 1940 _____

Please check here if you wish the agreement returned No _____

Bruce A. Paulson

(Name of person furnishing information)

63 1/2 South Dakota Avenue.

(Address)

Meat Cutters Local #392 has an agreement with the Dealers listed below-

Economy Center Markets, M.K.Gibson, Owner.
O.P.Skeggs System Stores, Jesse S. Lewis, Operator.
Home Market, Inc,
Square Deal Grocery.
K.&K. Company
Edmunds Grocery Stores.

Dear Sir:

I am a member of your union and I am writing you to inform you that I have been elected as a representative of the union to the National Labor Relations Board. I am writing you to inform you that I have been elected as a representative of the union to the National Labor Relations Board. I am writing you to inform you that I have been elected as a representative of the union to the National Labor Relations Board.

If you have only one copy available and no designee, we will be glad to type a duplicate and provide you with the original. If you have more than one copy, please send us the original and a duplicate. We will be glad to type a duplicate and provide you with the original. If you have more than one copy, please send us the original and a duplicate. We will be glad to type a duplicate and provide you with the original.

The enclosed envelope for your reply is provided for postage. If you can provide you information at my time, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]

