

Year	PDF Page #	Docu ment ID	Date of entry	Info
1935?	4	none	?	Election Results: -Pres McDonald; Sec Stewart; recording Sec <b>Sis G Brennon</b> , however, doesn't appear to have actually run. Both men who did crossed out.
1935	5	2	1 Nov	Brennan only Sister identified on the ballot Union cards being displayed in non-union houses.
1935				<b>Sisters Carlson, Brown, Tough, Coldbrooke (Colbrooke?), Chunde</b> on social committee with 3 men.
1935	6	3	17 Nov	Intl rep Jack Weinberger directed by the General Pres (acing on letter from Exec Board sent to the GP through Bro Hanafen) to come and assist Loc 28
1935				Weinberger says employees of beer parlour come under jurisdiction of Loc 676, not Loc 28
1935				Bro Stewart to take 10days leave from his regular employment while Weinberger in town.
1935	7	4	25 Nov	Acceptance as members include <b>Eunice Quirk, Cath Bailey, Agnes Strandbo, Violet Lasky</b>
1935				Initiations and reinstatments incl cooks and assistants, waiters, waitresses, dishwashers, potwashers, busboys, Captains.
1935	8		19 Nov	Auditing Committee report upon suggestion of the Local Joint Exec Board, Aug 1-Oct 4, 1935: records "rather incomplete", BA receipts missing; some no carbon copies, part of entire receipt book is missing. Weinberger assisted in "whipping this report into shape." Shortage. Loc 28 has "quite a financial problem facing them...harmony within the ranks and cooperation iwth all is essential."
1935	12	6	[26 Nov]	2nd Special meeting 1st date: Re misc help in Hotels discussed at great length. Noted that memberships were taken out not under Loc 28 jurisdiction; complaints made that some misc help could not afford 45 cent dues.
1935	13	7		Cont'd: Weinberger read policy and directed officers and members to adhere to it: (1) That misc workers within our jurisdicton who are now in good standing and wish to comply with requirements of the Loc pertaining to fees & dues be allowed to retain their membership; (2) and those who wish to join under these conditions be admitted providing they quality; (3) That the following crafts, journeymen, helpers, assistants and apprentices be regarded as qualified for membership: cooks - cook's assistants, pantrymen and assistants - waiters, waitresses, busboys and Captain's diswashers and potwashers
1935	14	8	2 Dec	<b>Miss E Romack</b> admitted & initiated; <b>Olive Weight</b> accepted and obligated to office or next meeting.
1935				Dance a social and financial success. Positive balance; <b>Membership 116. Business Agent report: 7 Palace Cafe employees were supposed to have joined local; 2 in attendance although not legal members. Awaiting consultation with 5 not at meeting.</b>
1935	15	9		Elected by the Pres to be TLC delegates: John Meyers, W Stewart, John Moore (Bro Schmidt elec. previously)
1935	16	none	16 Dec	Resolution adopted by HRE Loc 28. 300+ licenses restaurants in city required to obtain new licnese effective 1 Jan 1936. Re City Bylaw 1572 defines "restaurant" and "eating house" to include "any place, wheter permanent or temporary fixed or movable" preparing food and offering food to public for money or services, is seen by the union as including lunch counters, chain and drug stores, etc, and many cannot conform to city regulations including "sufficient water closet accomodations shall be provided ofr the use of female and male employees."
1935	18	12	2 Dec	Union wants Medical Health Officer to enforce this and the TLC to petition on their behalf as "a rigid and impartial enforcement of all bylaws and regs would....also creat work for the presently unemployed carpenters, plumbers, sheet metal workers, painters, decorators and other labour."
1935				New members: <b>Miss Mary Ellick</b>
1935				TLC report: 5 cents per capita from Loc 28 funds to help fund a lobbyist in Victoria discussed and approved paid for one month.
1935				<b>American Cafe, Blue Goose Gafe, Fraser Cafe</b> signed up.

1935	19	13		The President gave out a new password, effective from Dec 15, 1935 - June 15, 1936
<b>1936</b>				
1936	20	14	6 Jan	<b>BA: Broadway Cafe</b> lined up. New Businesses: suggestion to prepare for a mass meeting of culinary workers in spring as start to campaign to unionize the catering industry.
1936				<b>Ye Old English Fish Cafe</b> signed up 100%. <b>Eden Cafe</b> all help signed up BUT reported by the management that lates Pres McDonald and Sec McHugh agreed wages may be lower than union rate. Card left for one month. Carried that case
1936	21	15	20 Jan	be taken before the LJE Board. House card removed from Eden Cafe: employers attitude causing girls to drop out of hte union; no agreement was signed with union re Eden paying lower
1936	22	16	3 Feb	wages.
1936	23	17	14 Feb	Initiations: incl <b>Miss Edna House, Miss Teresa Tangala</b>
1936	24	19	2 Mar	Correspondence: LWTU offers assistance in <b>Deutschland Cafe strike</b> . BA stresses funds needed to win strike. Delegates to TLC: Carried that Loc 28 and II unions connected to CPR unite in
1936	25	20	16 Mar	fight against CPR attempt to exempt their staff from Help insurance Bill. BAR: <b>Eden Cafe</b> to be interviewed by Pres & Sec with a likelihood of signing them up. That the <b>Rosamont Cafe</b> be advertised as non-union house. Report on <b>Deutschland Cafe</b> . Carried that Sec. approach Bro Hanafin, Loc 676 for financial assistance. Strikers delegated to approach the BCER local for financial
1936				assistance.
1936	26	21	6 Apr	Correspondence: Letter from CCF re May day. TLC: discussed <b>Deutschland Cafe</b> . motion made that all locals be circulized(?) for Financial and Moral support. BAR: <b>Deutschland strike "a fight against the Restaurant Association"</b> .
1936				Wreath purchased for funeral of Bro Brevill. Communications: Steam Engineers and Intl Brotherhood of Bookbinders donations in aid of strike fund; carried that Loc 28 tell CCF they will participate in
1936	27	22	20 Apr	May Day parade and committee of 3 will be estb. BAR: Report on wage scale for extra waiters and busboys employed at <b>Vancouver Hotel</b> . New Business: Wage scale for restaurants committee to be
1936	28	23	18 May	appointed.
1936	29	24	1 Jun	Communications: Letter from Weinberger re wage scale agreements in force at <b>VH</b> . Weinberger to be advised that wage agreement cannot be made bef Jun 15. New Business: Wage Scale Committee Report: M/S wage scale as a whole accepted. Wage agreement brought in by <b>Only Fish</b> employees be held over for
1936				discussion.
1936				Social committee reports dance being held in aid of Lumber Workers
1936	30	25	15 Jun	28 attend. BAR: Exec Board given full power to act in negotiations with <b>Business Owners Assoc.</b>
1936				New business: Wage scale in restaurants adopted. Communications: Letter from S..M.P.A.re bringing unemployed and organized
1936	31	26	20 Jul	labour together (filed) BAR: Wage increase won at <b>Only Fish</b> ; decide to pursue negotiations with <b>Melrose Cafe</b> with a view to signing them up.
1936				New Business: After much discussion, carried that they do all in their power to organize misc help. <b>Sister Tough</b> elected to Auditing Committee.
1936	32	27	3 Aug	Attendance 18. Correspondence: C.L.A.W. & F. asking for participation in Peace parade. BAR: agreement singed by <b>Melrose Cafe</b> after short strike.
1936				Resolutions forwarded to TLC: (1)in support of Ind. Union in Mass Production Industries as laid down by the C.T.O.; (2) building of a card and label league.
1936	33	28	undated [	TLC: voted for reolution on C.T.O. and one for a Farmer Labour Party
1936				New Business: Sister Tough elected delegate to TLC. <b>Sisters Roland &amp; Tough</b> to attend meeing of the Canadian League Against War & Fascism. Carried that a period for education allotted at each union meeting on current events in labour history.

1936	34	30	21 Sep	Attendance 57. After much discussion, carried that "we initiate the girls who worked during the strike at the <b>Troc[adero?] Cafe</b> . Correspondence: Letter from C.L.A.W.F. M/S that we endorse the stand of the Spanish Govt. Letter from Single unemployed. M/S we send resolution to the Fed
1936	35	31	5 Oct	Govt. Report of Committees. That standing committee attend future Spanish Defence Committee meetings. 1936 BAR: Letter from Restaurant Owner Assoc read and answered by Sect. m/s that the answer of exec board be endorsed and that [we] intensify our campaign to organize the unorganized restaurants.
1936				Elections: Stewart elected Business Agent. <b>Tough</b> nominated as TLC delegate;
1936	36	23		<b>Roland</b> to L.J. E.B. Attendance 45. TLC: Carried: assesment on members of 10 cent each per month for 3 months for strike fund.
1936	37	33	19 Oct	Election results: <b>Tough</b> to TLC; <b>Roland</b> doesn't make it to L.J. E. Board.
1936	39	35	2 Nov	Press drive committee gives talk and will receive donation. 1936 BAR: Some matter regarding G Payne left to Exec Board. Letter received from R.E.A. and filed.
1936				Corredspndence: 3 delegates (Stewart, Sis Ellis & Romasc) to attend L A.W.F. conference.
1936	40	36	16 Nov	<b>BAR: Further action to be taken on behalf of Bro Payne (in hands of Exec Board).</b>
1936				New Business: Report to be asked of Pres Florri regarding the statement inthe Labor Press regarding the suspension of Loc 168; Stewart gives brief talk on Ind. Unionism and Loc 28 goes on record as in favour of Ind. Unions.
1936				Correspondence: Letter from L.A.W.F. asking for funds - put in hands of Social Comm.;moral and financial support requested by Int. Longshoremans' Assn for strike; Donations requested by the Spanish Defense fund, both left in hands of
1936	41	37	7 Dec	exec. 1936 BAR: <b>Kings Cafe</b> sign up without much difficulty; <b>Pall Mall</b> back in the organization.
1936	42	38		New Business: that the local take down names of waiters eligible for work on NYE.; BA instructed to investigate the case of the cooks on skid road regarding overtime.
1936				Correspondence: LAWF ask. \$25 given. Letter received from <b>UWPA</b> - a letter to be sent congratulating them on their initiative of setting up such a body and supporting them re unemployed restaurant workers.
1936			21 Dec	New Business: Stewart gives talk on Spain explaining their govt was consitutionally elected and had support of the entire Trade Union Movement, fighting for their existence, so int. trade unions as whole pledged to give all support possible.
1937	44	40	4 Jan	Initiations: 4 workers from <b>Pall Mall</b> 1937 Reports: Bro Pappas, and then Stewart in BAR report on <b>Rex Cafe</b> . Stewart proposes and its carried that an org committee be elected to solicite new members and prepare for a mass meeting.
1937				Sister Burtson suggests setting up a Musical dn Dramatic Club. Bro Henning elaborates. Social Committeee to explore. Further a gymnastic club was suggested, and that the union try to procure club rooms.
1937	45	41		That we typewrite a list of all union houses to be sent to all locals **** <b>One of our lists?</b>
1937	46	42	18 Jan	Communications: LAWF and CCLAWF get attendees incl. <b>Sis McKenzie</b> . Letter from <b>Canadian Labour Defence League re Molland &amp; Grange up for sentence in the Hamilton Hall Riot</b> . Gateman & McGibbon to attend a meeting held in their behalf.
1937				TLC communication re Discrimination at Burns Co. McGibben and Stewart visit <b>Empire Cafe</b> to make enquires re purchasing from Burns Products. Donation sent to assist strike.
1937				BAR: <b>Rex Cafe</b> signed up. BA to visit re dispute in wages.

1937 47 43 New Business. Org committee elected. Local to go on record as being in favour of formation of a Food Council comprised of at least 2 delegates from each Food Local.

1937 48 46 15 Feb Communications: Loc 95 Meat Cutters thanks for \$5 donation in aide of strike; Loc 474 Edmonton has lost Mr Jerry Lawson.

1937 Org Committe: Intl headquarters has put on a 3 mo drive (Mar-May) & agreed to return half of the initiations fee sent in during this period.

1937 BAR: Situation of Crescent Cafe strike outlined; signed up today for 2 weeks pending further investigations on the cost of its operation.

1937 Good & Welfare: 2 previous meeting minutes to be read out at meeting [may account for brevity]

1937 New Business: 6 members elected to Hall Committee inc **Sis Burnston, Reddiman, Morgan.**

1937 Proceeds of Dance to Club Room Furnishing fund.

1937 Communication: K.E. Lane re progressive women's org requests 2 women from lloc 28 attend a meeting Mar 17. Will vote at next night meeting.

1937 50 48 1 Mar New Business: Loc 28 to go on record in support of the Health Insurance Bill and write Premier that it should be pushed through asap.

1937 Communication: From local joint exec board. M/s that letter be sent to LJEB suggesting they penalize all members of Loc 676 who eat in non-union houses.

1937 51 49 15 Mar Sisters **Bertson & Latvalla** elected to attend Progressive Women's Assn meeting.

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1937 52 50 New Business: Bros Stewart & Smith delegates to CCF Industrial Economics Conference; 2 members from **Fraser Cafe** NW to attend like meeting held in NW. Loc 28 to participate in May Day Parade. 2 del sent to Cdn Labor Defence meeting. After much discussion, 2 del to go to Communist League meeting "with the view of getting idea of this movement.". Loc to send letter to City council protesting the suppression of Sunday night mass concerts.

1937 53 51 12 Apr Good & Welfare: Gateman and **Sister Brennan** to attend May Day Conference Apr 17

1937 **Sis Colbrooke**, bros Henning, Schmidt, Casidy elected to May Day committee.

1937 **Elections: Social convenor Lou Reddiman; recording sec G. Brennan** [until Jun 19]; **Social & Hall Committee Bustern, Yoquiak, Latimer, Sarich, Koskiew.**

1937 54 54 Apr 15 BAR: Stewart reports progrees favourable in **Hotel Vancouver and Georgia**

1937 57 55 10 May Attendance 46; new apps 23; initiations 6.

1937 communications: Letter sent to Min of Lab requesting he come to Vancouver and assist situation in **Hotel Vancouver; Central Council** wishes success at building up local; **Anne Colbrook, G Brennan, sis Letvalla to be dels to Women's Federation League.**

1937 BAR: favourable report on **White Lunch strike**

1937 General meeting adjourned for full discussion on the **White Lunch strike.**

1937 59 57 7 Jun New apps 16, initiations 7

1937 TLA Loc 38/126 requests financial support to send del to Portland for annual convention os Maritime Federation of the Pacific Coast; Plumbers and Steamfitters Loc 170 offering full cooperation in patronizing union cafes and in return asking support for union plumbing done in union houses.: Weinberger returning on 15th at request on Loc.

1937 Committe Reports: Last dance profit \$205. Ticket sellers Sis Julia Magliocci won 1st, and Anita Sarich, 2nd.; **Sis Colbrook asking letter be sent to City Council requesting enquiry into Rooming house conditions and housing shortage for the working class.**

1937 BAR: Stewart gives synopsis of unfair actions of "All Canadian Union"(Walker supposed local organizer) and their affiliation with bosses in Restaurant Owners Assn in undermining present union wage scale.

1937 Gateman applauded after giving brief resume on his present position as district organzier.

1937 New Business: The People's Advocate and The Federationalist to be placed in club rooms; M/s Colbrooke's letter to city; 2 del to WPF to be chosen later date; Letter to City Council in support of Children's Summer Camp.

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1937	62	60	19 Jun	Attendance 40, new apps 8, initiations 8 Bros Woodhead & Crawford of The Relief Workers' Alliance ask for financial support in org unemployed on a works project at a min of 50cents/hour.
1937				Communications: Letters: replies from city re housing shortage; re Children's camp; Dept of Lab asking Local forward any wage and working agreement. CLAWF requests Loc send 2 dels to next meeting; Can Shoe Worker Alliance Loc 8 requests letter of protest to AR Clark Co shoe manufacturers re strike and financial assistance.
1937				BAR: Stewart summarizes ACU re <b>Scotts Cafe</b> ; re presentation of agreement to hotels - <b>HV</b> awaits decision of Head Off, Montreal, <b>HG</b> refused to meet as manager out of town. <b>Golden Gate Cafe</b> now union house.
1937	63	61		Financial Report: Gateman gives report on his new org. Report shows increase of 52 members; asks membership to help get new members.
1937				New Business: Sarich and 2 bros appointed dels to CLAWF; Bro Moffatt elected to Rec Sec; letter to be drafted to The Worker Alliance endorsing their work and our full cooperation.
1937	64	62		
1937	65	63	5 Jul	["Georgia Strike" written and underlined above the start of the minutes.]
				New Business: Loc tried to secure an inbetween with the <b>Georgia Hotel</b> manager. Being refused a walkout occured Jul 1 at 6pm; negotiations of agreement with <b>Vancouver Hotel</b> is still pending; Stewart talked about position of the beer parlours in this strike, re working with the <b>Georgia Beer Parlour</b> and and walking thru a picket line. This walkout affects 27 direct members of Loc 28.
1937	66	64		
				Good & Welfare: much discussion re <b>Georgia Hotel</b> strike. Bro Schmidt outlined working on the picket line. <b>Strike committee</b> (Bros Neville, Kell, Wright, Stewart, Gateman) <b>asking assistance of organized Locals</b> . Pres McGibbon gives pep talk on strength of picket line. Food committee incl. <b>Colbrook</b>
1937				
1937	67	65	19 Jul	Attendance 72, 18 new apps, initiations 5 McGibbon opens with <b>controversy re three applicants that walked thru the HG picket line</b> . m/s that 2 applicants be refused membership, that the HG be notified of the stand of the loc regarding said applicants; that a member be designation to explain the position of these members and why they were refused and that the third member be notified to attend the next meeting.
1937				Report of Dels: Gateman, McGibbon and Schmidt give very favourable report o fhte Washington State Culinary Workers Alliance convention, showing advancement of diff locs in Wash and favourable wage scale and conditions.
1937	68	66		BAR: <b>HG strike over</b> and agreement signed. In the futre an agreement will include all members of the hotel, come under the jurisdiction of the Hotel workers. Gave a synopsis that led up to securing negotiations and wage scale without being able to union agreement signed in the <b>Van Hotel</b> .[?]; An <b>injunction was secured against the Scott's Cafe picket line</b> by Stamatis of Scotts.
				Stewart talks about the misrepresentation of the "so called Canadian Union" in securing their charter.
1937	68	66	19-Jul	New Business: Gateman argues that waitresses initiation fees be raised to that of waiters due to strengthening in the ranks of the local. \$3.50 carried.; Carried that membership apps be held over one meeting so time for investigation if needed.; carried that Executive Board be given full power and authority to make instantaneous decisions pertaining to the <b>Scott's</b> strike.
1937	69	67	19-Jul	
1937	70	68	2 Aug	[Skeleton minutes by Pres McGibbon] New apps 10; initiations 5 Report of Dels: Initiation fee raise for waitresses carried; each member assessed \$1 towards exp of <b>Scott's Cafe</b> strike.
1937				BAR: full report on <b>Scott's Cafe</b> strike.
1937				Beach party members' social planned. Committee Bros Henning, Ueberall, <b>sisters Kruse, Keele, Colebrooke, McLellan, Brenston, Moore</b> .
1937	71	69		Clarion Week, prog labor paper, subscribed to. committee of 2 to solicit gifts for the McKenzie Panineau battn.
1937	72	70		

1937 BAR: Signed up 6 girls in the **Royal City Cafe** resulting in the dismissal of 1 girl and 1 girl quit. Bro Stewart & Gateman succeeded in reaching a compromise; **Georgia Hotel**, busboys grievances fixed as result of visit by Stewart and Secretary; **Scott's Cafe**, owing to a "changed situation" an agreement in the offing.

1937 73 71 Elections: Sis Whitman elected VP; **Sis Reddiman and Whitman**, 2 of 3 voted for TLC.; **Sis Colebrooke** elected for local joint board.

1937 74 72 3 Sep Applications: Recommendation fo Executive that applicants of **Scott's Cafe** be dealt with separately; that **Cheri Esch** of Scott's be taken up separately. M/s that the application of Cheri Esch be refused as she stated in a sworn affidavit she did not wish to become a member of Loc 28 at any time. All these applications on 6 mos probation.

1937 Communications: Victoria & District TLC letter re Trade Union Act leads to recommendation that member be sent to Prov Convention.; Loc 28 to take out 1/2 page ad in BC Lumber Workers "Time Book" popularizing Union Restaurants; del to be sent to LAWF meeting.

1937 committees Report: Press Committee sent reports to the Clarion, the People's Advocate, The Federationist

1937 Dels to Central Councils: m/s that Japan be placed on the boycott list with Germany and Italy

1937 75 73 BAR: Stewart reports on settlement of **Scott's Cafe** strike and that battle against CU must continue.

1937 New Business: Bell, a busboy at **Scott's**, objects to fine of \$6.50 saying he was not aware of the actions of Loc 28, but this is countered by another member who was out on strike. Voted unanimously that fine stand.

1937 Election of Delegates: To TLC: **Keele**

1937 Good & Welfare: Social Committee, 12 mo appointment, 5 men and **sis Lou Reddeman, E Whitman, A Colebrook, Davies.**

1937 Exec recommends reading the Labor Statesman

1937 Communications: Prov Dept of Labor asks for copy of Scott's Cafe agreement; "Editorial comments from Head Office. HREU has jurisdiction over auxiliary help in Hotels and Restaurants".

1937 76 74 20 Sep Dels to Central Councils: **Peter Pan, Eden and Waldorf Cafes** put on unfair list.

1937 BAR: **Scott's Cafe** new members have not paid their strike assessment of \$6.50-3 given until Saturday to pay; **Spiro's Cafe** signed agreement; **Hotel Georgia** - 2 waitress members have been dismissed on the excuse of seasonal layoff in spite of their seniority - letter sent to mgmt to take up this case of discrimination;

1937 77 75 Stewart gives 2nd talk on the meaning of "probation" re Scott's Cafe members.

1937 78 76 Good & Welfare: Trades and Labor Statesman should be read. Members should make more use of their Club Rooms in the Union Hall.

1937 Communications: Sec wrote **Miss Cherry Esch** to say her application was refused.; lawyer J B de Favis sends \$250 bill concerning Scott's Cafe strike. Sent to Local Joint Executive; del to be sent to Can Lab Defense League Council banquet in honor of single unemployed being released from prison - finanacial assist. sent to Worker's Alliance; Bricklayers and Masons union ask for political support for election of Alex Fordyce in coming city elections; Camp and Mill Federal Labour Union ask for ad in Daily Worker on occasion of their 10th

1937 79 77 4 Oct anniversary.

1937 BAR: **Olympic Cafe** signs agreement.

				New Business: " <b>Resolution concerning White Waitresses in the Chinese Restaurants</b> dismissed through the actions of the City Council is read out, and motion carried this Resolution will be sent to the Mayor and the Council for consideration. Copy to be sent to all local newspapers." [note: first mention of this issue in minutes. Do not know who drafted the resolution]
1937	80	78	04-Oct	SPECIAL ELECTION MEETING. Women elected: VP, <b>Rose Gillhooly</b> ; TLC, <b>E. Whitman, Keele, L. Reddiman</b> ; Local Joint Board, <b>A.Colebrooke</b> .; <b>RE membership expansion</b> : New executive says they want to have cooks and any other help working in Hotels and Restaurants in the local. The Press Representative calls to members' attention the <b>Power of the Press</b> , especially those papers advocating union principles and that "help the workers in their struggle for better living conditions."
1937	81	79	4 Oct	TLC of Canada convention report: Members of CIO and AFL agreed not to engage into any battle, but work in favour of the labor movement as a whole. Del said conditions of restaurants in eastern cities are "very bad". No union restaurant could be found even in Ottawa.; Del from McKenzie panineau Bttm gave talk on Spanish situation - how conflict will affect CDN labor movement, why all trade unions should make "special effort" to crush fascims; asked members to contribute generously to FMPB to support CDN boys fighting fascism in Spain.
1937	82	80	19 Oct	Applications: Cherry Esch submits new application but she needs to wait 6 mo Communications: CLDL re arrest of war veteran soliciting funds for recognized org without \$50 license. Meeting at HV Oct 22 to discuss appeal. Loc 28 donates \$10, BAR: <b>Good Eats</b> and <b>Empire</b> on the unfair list owing to non-union music bands.
1937	83	81	19 Oct	<b>Busy Bee</b> no longer union house. New Business: informing the American Radio Relay Assn that their banquet at
1937	83	81	19-Oct	<b>Eden Cafe</b> supports a non-union house. Good & Welfare: Decided a Speaker Class to be organized by the Social
1937			19-Oct	Committee. Scott's Cafe assessment money turned over to LJEB as per agreement; G. Casselhoun, suspended Loc 28 member involved in <b>Deutschland Cafe</b> strike, now in TO, sent in new application. m/s review, reinstatement granted, also travelling car, provided he be placed on 6mo probation; M/s Local to answer a leaflet posted allegedly by the Eden Cafe attacking the AFL movement. To inform press about issue; M/s Gateman reports nothing definite in negotiation of agreement with <b>Peter Pan Cafe</b> . <b>Empire &amp; Good Eats</b> off unfair list of
1937	83	81	19 Oct	Musicians Local, to be taken up fully by Musicians and Loc 28. M/s Gateman and Stewart to approach mgmt of Trocadero Cafe re hiring new waitresses. M/s,endorsed, Shop meeting called at <b>Empire and Good Eats Cafes</b> to discuss grievances. Gateman and Stewart to take the matter up with owners. A
1937	84	82	<b>27 Oct</b>	shop steward to be elected in each house. Communications: Stewart reports on telegram sent by Exec to Prime Minister [sic] of BC re establishing prison camps for single unemployed. Telegrams of
1937	86	84	1 Nov	Pattulo and PM McKenzie King also read. ;

1937 Tuland Boatmen's Union concerning defense of Konig-Ramsay-Connor sentenced to Penitentiary for union activities. Loc 28 to endorse asking for a new trial.. Resolution be endorsed and 2 del sent to nov 3 meeting of their union.

1937 Sis E Whitman and bro McCrae to attend Cdn League for Peace & Democracy (CLPD) convention and \$5 donated. Committee Report: CLPD convention - 86 dels, 60 groups represented.

1937 Social committee: **E Whitman says proceeds from upcoming union dance will be used to buy a mimeograph machine that will be used to issue a monthly Bulletin.**

1937 87 85 Speakers class starts Nov 12.

1937 Stewart reports Victoria TLC convention had 130 dels from 90 unions. Trade Union Bill unanimously adoped. A B.C. Federation of Labour was unanimously adopted and will be est within few months.

1937 Gateman reports Sister local in Victoria has only 121 members, all working in one restaurant. However good chance of organizing 100-125 new members in a short time.

1937 BAR: **Coconut Grove** and **Commodore** agree to pay union scale for extra waiters.; Grievances settle at **Empire and Good Eats; Peter Pan Cafe**

1937 87 85 01-Nov negotiations still undeerway; **Stella Cafe's** union card removed.

1937 Special meeting of all **extra waiters** to be held.

1937 **Erma Whitman** and Stewart dels to upcoming V & Disr Industrial and Economic Conference.

1937 EXECUTIVE MEETING Communications: contacted by Registrar of Cos asking for info on Hotel & Restaurant SOCIETY. Will inform them Local has no knowledge of them; Minister of Lab asks for copies of Hotel Georgia and extra waiters agreements. ; Membership to be informed of the poor attention the Govts give to the unemployed question.

1937 88 86 10 Nov Gateman gives full report on **Royal City Cafe strike**. Girls went on strike, matter taken up by the union, althought only 2 members of Loc 28 were involved. Upon application by PT Elder and injunction was granted against 7 girls, and Gateman and Stewart. Trade unions in New West "gave very good support." Fully discussed by the Local Joint Exec Board and Sec of TLC.

1937 Applications: **Cherry Esch** given a working permit until final decision from the LJEB an International be received in connection with the Section 8 of

1937 89 87 15 Nov Constitution.

1937 BAR: **Mayfair Cafe, Coconut Grove, Commodore Cabaret** signed agreements. commodore was waiting for majority of staff to join union.

1937 **Hotel Vancouver** willing to accept Union Hall hiring- Mgr McMoylett to give definite answer soon. Extra waitresses are expected to have 100% job control.

1937 Royal city Cafe NW report Repeats info from Nov 10 meeting. Says a form of settlement was agreed upon but no union agreement was signed as yet. Who matter is still under consideration following injuncitons.

1937 New business: **Gladys Davis and Helen McGregor** volunteer as dels to Children's Jubilee Summer Camp.



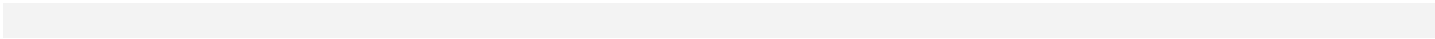
**Other**

Meeting held 402  
Homer St.

Sisters

Blue Goose Cafe  
strike.

Policy: misc hotel help



Wage scale adopted

Unusually high  
attendance. Related to  
motion on Trocadero?

Focus on hotels

Georgia Hotel strike

Waitress initiation fees  
raised to rate of  
waiters.

Applications  
controversy

Vancouver Sun, 8 Oct  
1937: "Ask City Aid For  
Cafe Girls: After  
considerable  
discussion, a  
resolution was passed  
by unanimous vote of  
the members, asking  
the Council to support  
the girls at the same  
rate of pay they  
formerly received from  
their Chinese  
employers. It was  
stated that the girls  
have been refused  
relief."

The Province: 8 Oct 1937: "Union  
Urges Aid for 50 Waitresses. The  
resolution states that about fifty  
girls were thrown out of  
employment, that they can not be  
absorbed in the cafe industry, and  
that they are not eligible for relief.  
Therefore, the organizatio urges  
that council should provide the  
girls with adequate employment  
or remunerate them on the same  
salary basis as they received at  
the restaurants."

"Cherry" is recorded in  
directories as Mrs.  
Isabella Esch.

Purchased for \$70.

Victoria sister org  
status

Royal City Cafe strike











































