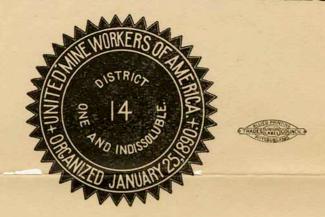
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United Mine Workers of America



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OFFICERS AND MEMBERS, ALL LOCAL UNIONS, U.M.W.A., DISTRICT NO. 14.

Dear Sirs and Brothers: -

As you are no doubt aware, the Four Per Cent Assessment which was being paid in for relief and strike purposes, was discontinued the first of last December. The Board had funds to continue the payment of this relief throughout the months of December, January, and to date.

This fund is now practically depleted, and by action of the District Board this morning, we are instructed to advise you that there will be no strike or relief payments made after the last of this month, February 27th. This week and next week payments will be made just as they have been made in the past.

With best wishes, we are

Fraternally yours,

DISTRICT EXECUTIVE BOARD.

M.L. Walters, President. Dan O'Donnell, Vice Pres. Harry W. Burr, Secy-Treas.

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