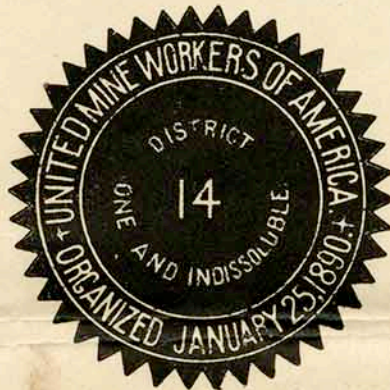


OFFICIAL CIRCULAR

United Mine Workers of America



Pittsburg, Kansas
Nov. 30, 1926

Officers and Members,
All Local Unions, U.M.W.A.,
District 14.

GREETINGS: -

Due to the false statements being circulated, we issue the following statement.

The action of the District Executive Board, with reference to candidates for office, has been in compliance with instructions and advice from the International Union.

The final action on all candidates and nomination blanks will be taken today or tomorrow, and by motion the District Executive Board has instructed the Secretary to advise all candidates by letter as soon as final action has been taken as to their status. This means to advise the men who are left as eligible. Also, to advise those who are declared ineligible, why they are ineligible.

A further motion on the books declares that any candidate who is declared ineligible, has the right to make inquiry, protest or file an appeal, but it must be done in writing, and if any man who is declared ineligible is later found to be eligible, that his name will be placed upon the ballot, or in case the ballot is already out, that another election will be held for the office to which he aspires.

If this procedure is followed in an orderly manner, every man will receive his just dues, insofar as it is possible for the District Board to give them to him. By unanimous action of the District Executive Board.

Fraternally yours,

DISTRICT EXECUTIVE BOARD.

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