



LOCAL ROUNDUP

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Local No. 1

In case you missed the photos taken at our annual family picnic, they appear on pages 46 and 47 of the October issue of the Journal.

The Tradesmen's Fraternal Association had their annual Sports Night on October 31. Plenty of beer and food was consumed. A variety of sports films were shown and it was an enjoyable night for all. Eddie Hendrickson and Eddie Jr. made all the arrangements. Jack Cody won the color television.

On October 1, The Warwick Hotel experienced a multiple alarm fire starting on the fourth floor. Two of our members, Danny Keenan and Frank Bozzo of Westinghouse maintenance, were working in the building at the time. Reacting to the fire emergency, Danny and Frank moved all cars above the fire floor and using one of the service cars, helped the firemen evacuate the guests on the upper floors. Soon after, the fire was brought under control with no casualties.

Danny and Frank received commendations from the hotel, the fire department and Westinghouse. Congratulations, Brothers. Well done!!

On the sick list are Eddie Markowitz, Fred Muller, James Sinnott, Phil Wiemers, John Zeimetz, Don Smith, Karl Drehwing, Albert Consentino, Rudy Kacer, George Peterson, Tom Coleman, Jack Caci, Ed Cordle, Bob Gillis, Vinny Campbell, Tom Young, Terry Mimnaugh, Sr., Ed Bradley and Joe Concannon.

The lone retiree this month is Anthony Hauck, Card #231.

Once again, a reminder to anyone working. Keep your eyes open for possible work. Check any renovation jobs and find out who is putting in the elevators. In case anyone is blind or deaf; Local 1 has a very serious unemployment problem, with no signs of improvement. Keep this in mind—stay alert for work!

Many veterans will lose their educational benefits on May 31, 1976. A letter to your Congressman may help,

since 1976 is an election year. Ask for an extension.

If you see a guy who looks like Danny Roche, but about 104 lbs. too light, it's him. Brother Danny, shop steward for the Haughton maintenance men in Manhattan, lost that much at weight watchers and is now 180 lbs., his old fighting weight.

Remember the photo of the Shark in the November Journal? Well, I neglected to mention that Eddie Donovan caught it. Eddie is the guy who had the strange experience of being the first elevator constructor to be mugged in a motor room. Ask him about it. See you next year.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Ed Dempsey