

# International Longshoremen's ASSOCIATION

ORGANIZED AUGUST 27th, 1892

Whereas, An application in due form has been received, asking for a Charter to be granted to

*The General Longshore Workers,* to be known as  
*I. L. S. A.,* Local Union, No. *647,*

Located at *Ontonagon, Mich.,* and by authority of the laws and usages of the INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION, we do grant this

## CHARTER

TO SAID LOCAL UNION:

By Virtue of This Charter, Said Local Union is empowered to perform such acts and enjoy such benefits as are prescribed in the laws and usages of the INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION, and the members thereof are strictly enjoined to bear constantly in mind the cardinal principles of the Association.

The INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION reserves the right to suspend this Charter, and annul the rights and benefits therein conferred, for any neglect or refusal to perform the duties required by the laws and usages of the INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

In Witness Whereof, We have subscribed our names and affixed the seal of the INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION

this *24th* day of *September,* 190*4,*



*B. O'Connor*

General President.

*John J. Joyce*

General Secretary-Treasurer.