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Studying Letter

From Baumritter

Arthur B. White, senior representative of Local 2278 and District 65, International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers, said last night that he is studying the letter Nathan S. Ancell, president of Baumritter's, New York City, sent to the Mayville Chamber of Commerce in connection with the strike at Kling Factories, Inc., since last May 1. Kling Factories is a division of Baumritter's.

Local 2278 claims it is the official bargaining agent for Kling Factories' workmen in its plant at Mayville, and in plants at Falconer and Frewsburg, following an NLRB election.

Mr. Ancell stated in part in his letter—"We have objected to the election because of misleading statements made by the union...and immediately after the election we stated we would not recognize the union until such time as the courts ordered us to do so and our employees were advised of our intentions."

Mr. Ancell also pointed out that his company is awaiting a decision from the Circuit Court of Appeals.