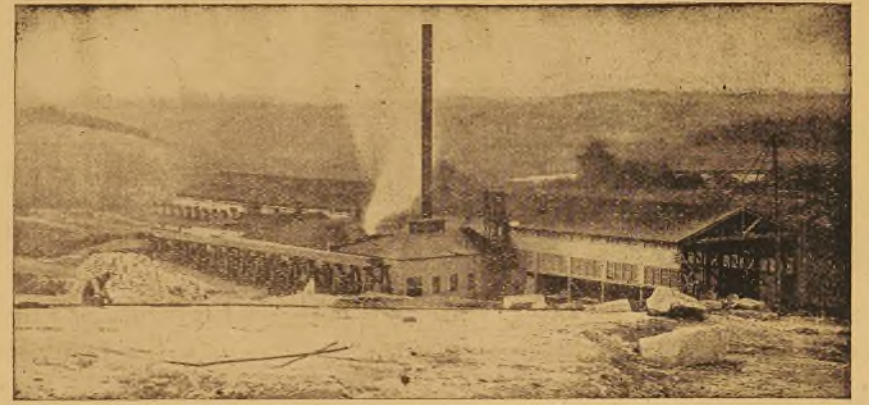


A VISIT TO MT. AIRY.

Copy of report of Mr. James Duncan, first vice president American Federation of Labor, and National Secretary Granite Cutters' International Association, which appeared in The Granite Cutters' Journal, January, 1922:

On our way north from the Atlanta conventions last month we were called upon to visit Mt. Airy, N. C. branch. During the visit a public as well as a branch meeting was held. It was a privilege as well as a pleasure to again meet Mt. Airy members, and it was gratifying to have an opportunity to compare notes for a few moments with the general public of that growing town in the mountains overlooking western North Carolina and Virginia.

Credit is due to the managements of these enterprises for their efforts and accomplishments, and too much acknowledgment of trade and artistic ability can not be credited our members for their excellent handicraft. All told, it is a creditable, fine cut granite development, and will make more proportionate progress in the future even than it has accomplished since entering into a practical trade agreement with our Association.



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