

**The Barre Daily Times**  
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**TWO WESTERLY QUARRIES SIGN.**  
**Columbia Granite Co. and Smalley**  
**Pink and Red Granite Co.**

Fred W. Suitor, secretary of the Quarry Workers' International union received word today that the Columbia Granite Co. and the Smalley Pink and Red Granite Co. of Westerly, R. I., have signed an agreement with the branch of the union there.

The agreement calls for an eight-hour day; 62 cents per hour for tripod drill runners, quarrymen, pneumatic drill runners, derrickmen (except head derrickmen), blacksmith helpers and teamsters; 67½ cents per hour for head derrickmen, channel bar runners, jack hammer runners, lumpers, grinders, boxers, auto truck drivers, powdermen, riggers who go aloft and night watchmen; 50½ cents per hour for laborers and helpers; 62 cents for firemen having charge of one boiler; 68½ cents for engineers, locomotive engineers and traveling crane operators; 67½ cents for engineers operating skeleton engines; \$1 per hour for blacksmiths; 81 cents for machinists and 67½ for machinists' helpers.

Overtime shall be paid at the rate of time and one-fourth. All men employed in or about the quarries to be members of the union.

Disagreements are to be put out to a committee of six members, three to be selected by the employer and three by the Westerly Bradford branch of the union; and if this committee fails to agree the matter in dispute shall go to a board of three, one to be chosen by each side and the two to select a third arbitrator. An award by this board shall be made in 15 days. The agreement takes effect Aug. 7, 1922, and runs to April 1, 1925.