

DULUTH--Organization of a group blood bank is one of the first major projects of the recently formed UMD chapter of University of Minnesota local 1958, Minnesota Council of State Employees.

Chapter officers are Harold G. Olson, UMD general mechanic, vice president, and Henry W. Koivisto, utility man, corresponding secretary.

Edward H. Mason, building caretaker, is coordinator of the committee to establish the blood bank.

The bank would provide blood for any of the member's immediate family. All Duluth campus employees are eligible to join, Mason explains.

James Carper, Minneapolis, is president of local 1958. Vice president Olson, chief administrative officer of the UMD chapter, noted that the group shares with the state council the concern of fostering and promoting an informed public attitude toward public administration.

Efficiency in government, good morale and high standards of merit and fitness are among goals of the council and its University local, Olson said.

Committees of the UMD chapter include: Organization--Harold Olson, Henry Koivisto, Earl Bashaw and Edward Mason; grievance--Olson, Koivisto, Lawrence Jensen, Sven Salmonson and John T. Ford.

Reuben Ellis is sergeant-at-arms. Representative on the Duluth AFL-CIO central body is Eino A. Nurminen.