

## James B. Morgan

### Business



After graduating from Collinwood January 1947, Morgan began his apprenticeship with Local 38 of the I.B.E.W. Mr. Morgan then graduated from Max Hayes Trade School in Cleveland, in 1951. He gained experience working commercial projects i.e. Power Plants and Steel Mills rising from Journeyman to Electrician General Foreman to Superintendent. Then in 1971, he and a partner purchased Harrington Electric Co. He then became sole owner of Harrington Electric Co. The Company grew from an office staff of 5 and 10 field electricians to a staff of 25 office personnel and 175 field electricians.

Mr. Morgan was involved in the Greater Cleveland Chapter of the National Electrical Contractors Association. He served on the Board of Directors four years, as President for six years and as Chapter Governor for seven years. He also served as trustee of the I.B.E.W. Local Union Pension Fund.

Mr. Morgan has been elected to the Academy of Electrical Contracting. He was the second member to be inducted as a Fellow by the Academy in the history of the Academy.

Some of Harrington Electric Co.'s recent projects have been the Gund Arena, Jacobs Field, the Federal Reserve Building in down town Cleveland and the new Cleveland Football Stadium.

In addition to work related activities, Mr. Morgan has been involved with the East Cleveland YMCA as the Board of Director, and is a member of the President's Club of Cleveland State University (for the continuing financial support for higher education).

James B. Morgan resides in Willoughby Hills, Ohio with his wife Ruth (Collinwood '47) who is an active business partner.