The papers of Harry Ross were deposited with the Labor History Archives in 1964 and 1966 by Harry Ross.

Harry Ross was born in 1901. He spent thirty years with the UAW. For twenty-three years, he served in the capacity of an international representative. And, for seventeen years, he was on the staff of the Fair Practices and Anti-Discrimination Department in Detroit. Mr. Ross retired in 1963, and now resides in Florida.

The Harry Ross Collection covers the period from 1912 to 1962.

Important subjects are:

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Ford Local 600

Among the Correspondents are:

George Addes  Barney Hopkins  Frank Morrison
William Collins  Richard Leonard  Frances Perkins
Charles Coughlin  John L. Lewis  August Scholle
William Green  Frank Martel  R. J. Thomas

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