THE JOHN BLAICH COLLECTION

Papers, 1941-1947

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The papers of John Blaich were placed in the Archives of Labor and Urban Affairs in December of 1969 by Charles G. Jamerson of the Institute of Labor and Industrial Relations, Wayne State University. They were opened for research in December of 1981.

Jack "Blake" Blaich was active in the affairs of the Tool and Die Unit of UAW Local 600, and in 1944 was elected president of the unit. He later served as International Representative, Skilled Trades Department, UAW-CIO.

The papers of Mr. Blaich consist primarily of correspondence, reports, and agreements concerning wages, work schedules, classifications, and other problems of the Tool and Die Unit. The collection also includes local election literature, newspaper clippings, and brochures.

Non-manuscript material

Some photographs relating to the Tool and Die Unit have been placed in the Archives Audio-Visual Collections. Copies of the Tool Die and Engineering News edition of the <u>United Auto-mobile Worker</u> for 1947 have been placed in the Archives Library.

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- 1-2. Tool & Die Unit; correspondence, reports, agreements, 1941-46
 - 3. ; election literature, 1941-46
 - 4. ; lists and rosters
 - 5. Brochures and announcements
 - 6. Newspaper clippings