

Agricultural Workers Organizing Committee Collection

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The papers of the Agricultural Workers Organizing Committee were placed in the Archives of Labor and Urban Affairs in 1967 by the United Farm Workers.

In April, 1959 Norman Smith was directed by AFL-CIO President George Meany to begin organizing farm workers in California and in June of the following year the Agricultural Workers Organizing Committee (AWOC) was chartered by the AFL-CIO. Norman Smith served as AWOC's director through 1961. In 1962 C. Al Green took over as director and served until 1966.

During its seven-year existence, AWOC called many strikes against growers and farm labor contractors and achieved some success in raising the wages of farm laborers. Additionally, AWOC sought job security, union recognition and better working conditions for its members. AWOC also set up a Welfare Department to aid members in their dealings with growers and the government.

A major stumbling block in organizing farm workers was Public Law 78, which allowed contractors and growers to hire foreign nationals. These workers, mostly from Mexico and known as braceros, were used illegally as strikebreakers and, because they worked for less, were often hired before domestic workers, also an illegal practice. Whenever AWOC acquired evidence of such illegal activities on the part of growers and contractors, it protested to the appropriate state and federal agencies. Finally, Congress allowed Public Law 78—the so-called Bracero Program—to expire on December 31, 1964.

On September 8, 1965 the AWOC local in Delano, made up mainly of Filipinos, called for a strike against local grape growers. On September 16 AWOC was joined in the strike by the National Farm Workers Association (NFWA). This marked the beginning of the California grape strike and the national boycott of grapes that was not settled until contracts were signed in 1970. In August, 1966 AWOC and NFWA merged into the United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, AFL-CIO. Cesar Chavez of NFWA was elected president and Larry Itliong of AWOC was elected one of the vice-presidents.

Important subjects covered in the collection:

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Fay Bennett
Edmund G. Brown
Anne Draper
Ernesto Galarza
Msgr. George G. Higgins
H. L. Mitchell
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14. Jack Radovich, 1965-66
15. Joe Ramirez, 1965
16. Joseph Ratto, 1964
17. Reclaimed Islands Land Co., 1964
18. Riverview Farms, 1964-65
19. Helen Roche, 1963
20. Joe Rodgers, 1963
- 2h Rodriguez & Flores, 1963-65
22. Jimmy Romero, 1964
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24. Rufus Produce, 1964
25. Evelio Ruiz, 1965
26. Jose Sanchez, 1963-65
27. Manuel J. Sanchez, 1965
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30. Eli Santos, 1964-65

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1. Nat Scatena, 1964
2. Schenley Industries, Inc., 1962
3. D. M. Steele & Son, Inc., 1965
4. Stockton Tomato Co., 1964-65
5. Richard Takashima, 1965
6. Frank Tenente, 1964
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8. M. C. Thorkelson & Son, 1964
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