UAW LOCAL 254

Papers, 1939-1985

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The papers of UAW Local 254 were placed in the Archives of Labor and Urban Affairs in February of 1986. As the most recent material in the collection dates to 1985, the entire collection will be open for research in 1995.

UAW Local 254 represented employees at American Blower Corporation in Dearborn, Michigan and its successor corporations, American Standard, Inc. and American Davidson, Inc. Although early records in the collection (until 1946) relate to two American Blower plants (Russell Street and Tireman Avenue plants), after that time there was only the Tireman facility. The plant was closed after American Davidson purchased a plant in Massachusetts in December of 1984 and subsequently moved its operations (the manufacture of blowers and exhaust fans) to that state.

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