

THE CECIL C. ROEDER COLLECTION

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The papers of Cecil C. Roeder were deposited with the Labor History Archives in March 1966 and the Collection covers the period from 1937 to 1948.

Cecil C. Roeder was a committeeman during the late 1930's and early 1940's of United Auto Workers Local 662 of Anderson, Indiana.

Important events covered are:

General Motors Sit-down Strike at Anderson, 1937  
Factional ism with UAW, 1938-1939 (including the Homer  
Martin controversy) Elections and  
factional ism within Local 662 Union shop  
drives of Local 662 Civil Rights  
campaigns General Motors Strike of 1945-  
1946

Among the correspondents are:

John L. Lewis  
Sherman Minton, U.S. Senator from Indiana  
Philip Murray  
Victor Reuther  
Walter Reuther

Description of Series

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Box 1, Office File

Civil Rights: Correspondence, November 4, 1944-August 20, 1947  
Posters  
Miscellaneous Material  
Correspondence: February 15, 1937-September 11, 1939  
January 1, 1940-September 18, 1943  
February 2-October 13, 1944  
September 8, 1945-January 30, 1948  
Homer Martin Controversy: Public Speeches, 1939  
Speeches by George Addes, 1939  
Speeches by Wyndham Mortimer, 1939  
Speeches by Walter Reuther, 1939  
Speeches by R.J. Thomas, 1939  
Indiana CIO Council, Convention, 1938  
Indiana CIO Council, Convention, 1940  
Indiana Elections  
Indiana Legislation - Research Material Local  
662: Constitutions and By-Laws  
Dedication Program, 1957  
Demands - GM Agreements  
- Proposed Agreements, 1940-1943  
- Proposed Agreements, 1945-1948  
- Proposed Rate Classifications  
- Research Material

Box 2, Office File

Local 662: Elections  
Grievances, Appeal Procedures  
Miscellaneous Material  
Resolutions, February-March 1939  
Strike, January-February 1937 by Local 146, parent of 662  
Strike, 1945-1946  
Union School in Merom, Report of, 1947  
Union Shop Drives, Education Material (2 folders)  
Union Shop D ives, Notices of Meetings (2 folders)  
Madison CIO Council, Miscellaneous Minutes, 1939 and 1946  
Miscellaneous Material  
Muncie Auto Workers, 1939  
Social Security  
Socialist Party  
Socialist Party - Resolutions  
Songs  
Taft-Hartley Act  
UAW: AFL-CIO Factionlism, 1939  
Constitution  
District Council 10 Minutes, February 19-December 10, 1938  
District Council 10 Minutes, July 8-December 16, 1939

## Box 2, continued

UAW: GM Conference, November 1415, 1937  
 GM Department, 1937-1939

## Box 3, Office File and Published Material

UAW: GM Strike Bulletin, July 1939  
 GM Sub Council 4: Minutes, October 29, 1939-November 3, 1940  
 Minutes of National Conference, August 20, 1938  
 Shop Stewards, Instructions  
 Tool and Die Council, Plan of Resolutions  
 Tool Die and Maintenance Council: Miscellaneous Minutes, 1943-1944  
 U.S. Legislation, Research Material  
 U.S. Presidential Elections, 1940-1948  
 World Federation of Trade Unions, Bulletins, 1945  
 Indiana CIO Convention 1938  
   1939  
   1940  
   1943  
 Labor Day Program  
 Madison County CIO Council  
 Yearbook Miscellaneous Pamphlets

## Box 4, Published Material

National Labor Relations Act  
 Social Security (2 folders)  
 United Steel Workers  
 War Labor Board: Wage and Salary Stabilization  
 Wages and Prices, 1944-1946 (2 folders)  
 Workers and National Defense

1 oversize contract between the UAW and General Motors, June 1940 (wrapped in brown paper)