

The Philip Booth Collection Papers,  
1922-1945

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The papers of Philip Booth were placed in the Archives of Labor History and Urban Affairs in January, 1976 and were opened for research in September, 1976.

Philip Booth was active in the founding of the United Federal Worker's Association - Local 10 during the 1930s. He was an employee of the Federal Security Agency at that time. Mr. Booth also participated in the Hunger March on Washington, D.C. in 1932.

Three other collections held by the Archives of Labor History and Urban Affairs are related to the 1932 Hunger March. Those collections are: Alex Baskin, Joseph Brown, and Henry Kraus.

Important subjects covered in the collection are:

Hunger March, Washington, D.C. 1932  
United Federal Worker's Association - Local 10, 1937-41  
Right Wing Organizations in the 1930s

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One Manuscript Box

Series I, 2 folders

Materials relating to Hunger March on Washington, D.C. on December 4, 1932. List of leaders and organizers of the march according to state compiled by Michigan State Police.

Series II, 7 folders

American Civil Liberties Union reports, pamphlets, quarterly publication, miscellaneous publications, clippings and notes are contained in this series. Two folders consist of miscellaneous flyers and memoranda from 1933-36.

Series III, 6 folders

United Federal Workers Association (CIO) Local 10 publications, resolutions, miscellaneous petitions and flyers, 1937-41. One folder contains information on member resignations due to CIO policy conflict in 1940.

Series IV, 3 folders

Miscellaneous right-wing organizational pamphlets, flyers correspondence and clippings. One folder consists of clippings of "Red Scare" activities, 1932-36.

Series V, 6 folders

Use of the National Guard, 1921-38, is the topic of this series. Notes, charts, correspondence with the War Department, and clippings from 1934-36 are included. A copy of the Congressional Record, Feb. 14, 1936, and state-by-state chart of use of the National Guard for domestic disturbances.

Non-manuscript material

Approximately twenty-five books and pamphlets donated by Mr. Booth have been placed in the Archives Library. Civil liberties in the U.S. during the 1930s is the subject of the majority of these publications.

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Series I

Folders 1-2

Materials relating to the Hunger March on Washington, D.C. on December 4, 1932. List of leaders and organizers of the march according to state compiled by Michigan State Police.

1. Hunger March on Washington, D.C., Dec. 4, 1932.
2. Hunger March, National List of Leaders and Organizers.

Series II

Folders 3-9

American Civil Liberties Union reports, pamphlets, quarterly publication, miscellaneous publications, clippings and notes.

3. ACLU Report on Interference with New York Meeting Against Austrian Fascism, 1934.
4. ACLU Quarterly Publication. 1934-35, incomplete set.
5. ACLU Miscellaneous publications, clippings and notes, 1930-33.
6. ACLU - Criminal Syndicalism and Seditious Laws Report, Feb. 1934.
7. ACLU - Radio Censorship Report, March, 1934.
8. ACLU Miscellaneous, 1933.
9. ACLU Miscellaneous, 1934-36.

Series III

Folders 10-15

United Federal Workers Association (CIO) Local 10 publications, resolutions, miscellaneous petitions and flyers, 1937-41.

10. UFWA-Local 10 Publications 1940-42, CIO Newspaper, Aug. 1940.
11. UFWA-Local 10 Resolutions, 1940.
12. UFWA-Local 10 Resignations, July 1940.
13. UFWA-Local 10 Miscellaneous Flyers, 1937-39.
14. UFWA-Local 10 Miscellaneous Clipping, June 1937; IBEW Journal, Sept., 1936.
15. UFWA-Local 10 Flyers and Petitions, 1941.

Series IV

Folders 16-18

Miscellaneous right-wing organizational pamphlets, flyers, correspondence and clippings, 1926-36.

16. "Red Scare" clippings, 1932-36.
17. Miscellaneous Right-Wing Organization pamphlets, notes and clippings: 1926, 1928, 1930, 1932-34.
18. Clippings on Anti Radical Organizations, 1930s.

Series V

Folders 19-24

Notes, charts, correspondence with the War Department, and clippings, all concerning use of the National Guard.

19. Use of National Guard, Notes and Charts, 1921-38.
20. Use of National Guard, Congressional Record, Feb. 14, 1936.
21. Use of National Guard, Newspaper Clippings, 1934-36.
22. Use of National Guard, Clippings, 1922, 1933, 1935.
23. Clippings on the National Guard as Strike Breakers, 1930s.
24. Use of National Guard, Correspondence with War Department, 1933-34.