Richard E. Harris Collection

Papers, 1970

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The papers of Richard E. Harris were placed in the Archives of Labor and Urban Affairs in September of 1980 by his daughter, Patricia Harris Bendedict, and were opened for research in October of 1984.

Richard E. Harris was the Recording Secretary of UAW Local 3, Dodge Main plant, from 1935 to 1937. From 1937 to 1940 he was with the Department of Labor and Industry, State of Michigan and subsequently served as Arbitrator, Labor Panels, American Arbitration Association.

The papers of Mr. Harris consist of a tribute to Walter Reuther by Mr. Harris on the occasion of the union leader's death, in which the writer recalls the conditions of the autoworker in the pre-union days of the thirties.