THE UAW REGION 1-D COLLECTION

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Region 1-D of the United Auto Workers consists of the western and northern counties of Michigan, including the Upper Peninsula. Major manufacturing areas included are Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Bay City, Muskegon and Kalamazoo.

Local unions in this region are normally small in membership, or of the amalgamated variety. Plants serviced by the regional offices are often small and widely separated.

The Region 1-D Collection covers the period from 1940 to 1959.

General subjects are:
- Financial audits
- Organizational efforts
- Routine disputes
- Regional Appellate decisions

Among the correspondents are:
- Walter Reuther
- Emil Mazey
- Ken Robinson
- Numerous international representatives

Description of Series

37 Boxes The collection largely consists of office files for Region 1-D, for the years 1958 and 1959.

The material is arranged alphabetically by subject for each year; subjects are primarily for local unions served in the region and international Representatives from the region. For many of the smaller locals, the only material consists of quarterly audit reports.

Boxes 36 and 37 differ in content from the balance of the collection. They contain files on a number of locals, with long records of troublesome relations with management. In some cases these files begin as early as 1940.
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