

THE LOCAL 142 COLLECTION

14 Manuscript Boxes

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The Local 142 Papers were deposited<sup>1</sup> with the Labor History Archives in March, 1966 by Carroll Hutton.

Local 142, UAW-CIO, serviced the Kaiser-Frazer Corporation Plant at Willow Run, Michigan.

The Local 142 Collection covers the period from 1945 to 1954.

Important Subjects are:

Minutes of the contract negotiations between Local 142 and Kaiser-Frazer for 1949-1950 Cooperative Housing Projects (see housing files) Social Security and Retirement Material, 1948-1954.

Important Correspondents are:

George Addes  
Dan Gallagher

Description

Series I - Contract Negotiations Proceedings, Boxes I-IX

Boxes I-IX contain the minutes of the contract negotiation proceedings between Kaiser-Frazer Corporation and Local 142, UAW-CIO, chronologically arranged, for the period Aug. 29, 1949-September 15, 1950.

Series II - Office Files, Boxes LX-X

Boxes IX-X contain alphabetically arranged files containing the correspondence of Thomas Stanley, President of Local 142, for November, 1945 - October, 1946; Franklin D. Roosevelt - CIO Labor Center; housing material for 1948-1953, chronologically arranged and dated, containing letters, booklets, reports and miscellaneous material for Aluminum City Terrace, Pennypack Woods, Kramer Homes Cooperative, Greendale, Audubon Mutual Housing Corporation, Bellmawr Park and the Minutes of the Housing Committee, Local 142, for April-December, 1951-5 strike, meeting and election notices for 1946 and undated; and material on the GI Bill and employment of veterans.

Series III - Social Security and Retirement, Boxes X-XUI

Boxes X-XTTT contain material on social security; the minutes of the meetings of the trustees, Kaiser-Frazer UAW-CIO social security fund, for September 28, 1948 - June 1, 1954; Social Security exhibits (1948-1954) and Payments (1948-1953). Box XIII contains the retirement fund minutes for the trustees, Kaiser-Frazer UAW-CIO retirement fund, for September 6, 1950 - June 14, 1954; and included are retirement fund exhibits (1950-1954).

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Series IV - Grievances, Box XIV

Box XIV contains grievances at the Kaiser-Frazer Plant chronologically arranged by grievance number. The folders contain employee grievances and management decisions with regard to the grievances for 194-9 - 1950.

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Folder Listing:

- BOX I Contract Negotiation Proceedings Between Kaiser-Frazer Corporation and Local 142, UAW-CIO, for August 29, 1949 - September 14, 1949.
- BOX II Contract Negotiation Proceeding, September 15, 1949 - January 11, 1950.
- BOX III Contract Negotiation Proceeding, January 17, 1950 - March 13, 1950.
- BOX IV Contract Negotiation Proceedings, March 15, 1950 - June 16, 1950.
- BOX V Contract Negotiation Proceedings, June 19, 1950 - July 3, 1950.
- BOX VI Contract Negotiation Proceedings, July 5, 1950 - July 25, 1950.
- BOX VII Contract Negotiation Proceedings, August 8, 1950 - September
- BOX VIII Contract Negotiation Proceedings, July 26, 1950 - August 7, 1950.  
8, 1950.
- BOX IX Contract Negotiation Proceedings, September 11, 1950 - September 15, 1950.  
Correspondence: Nov. 1945-July 2, 1946; Thomas Stanley, President of Local 142.  
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Franklin D. Roosevelt: CIO Labor Center.  
Housing Data: 1948-1953.
- BOX X Housing Data: undated  
Notices: May, 1946-Dec., 1946; and undated material Veterans' Information  
Social Security, Volume I: Minutes, Sept. 22, 1948 June 1, 1954.
- BOX XI Social Security, Volume II: Exhibits, 1948-1951.
- BOX XII Social Security, Volume III: Exhibits, 1951-1954.  
Social Security, Volume IV: Payments, 1948-1953.
- BOX XIII Retirement Fund: Minutes, Sept. 6, 1950-June 14, 1954.  
Retirement Fund: Exhibits, 1950-1954.
- BOX XIV Grievances: 10053-25248 and A827, A1052 for 1949-1950.

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Series V - President's Office

Boxes 15-23

This series contains alphabetically arranged material covering the following topics: agreements, appeals, bargaining committee, building, election, handicap, Health Institute, International Emergency Strike Assessment, job descriptions, Local 50 list, miscellaneous pension, seniority committee, social security fund, state mediation between Kaiser-Frazer Corp. and Local 142, suspension of Charlie James, time study, trial board, and Umpire. The folders labeled "President" contain correspondence to the president of Local 142.

- Box 1 (15)
- Agreement
  - Agreement LIU-72-CIO (2 folders)
  - Agreement, Retirement Fund
  - Agreement, Social Security Fund
  - Agreement, Wage Escalator
  - Agreement, Willys - Kaiser-Frazer Merger
  - Appeal: Burgess, Wallace
  - Appeal: Butt, Bowen M.
  - Appeal: DeMink, Anthony
  - Appeal: Dennison, J.C.
  - Appeal: George, Aloysius
  - Appeal: Korman, John L.
  - Appeal: Malinowski, J.
  - Appeal: Nurses
  - Appeal: Wilson, H.E.
  - Bargaining Committee Agreements #1 (3 folders)
  - Bargaining Committee Agreements #2
- Box 2 (16)
- Bargaining Committee Agreements #2
  - Bargaining Committee, Correspondence (7 folders)
  - Bargaining Committee, Data (3 folders)
  - Bargaining Committee, grievance agendas (2 folders)
  - Bargaining Committee, Umpire
- Box 3 (17)
- Bargaining Committee, Umpire (2 folders)
  - Bargaining Committee, Umpire Cases
  - Building (new)
  - Election, general (2 folders)
  - Handicap - American Fed. of  
the Physically Handicapped, Inc.(2 folders)
  - Handicap File, program, minutes
  - Handicap File (3 folders)
  - Handicap Committee, agreement, minutes
  - Handicap Committee (4 folders)
  - Health Institute, special
  - International Emergency Strike Assess.
  - International, interpretations
  - Job Descriptions

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- Box 4 (18)      -Job Description (3 folders)  
                 -Local 50 List (Women)  
                 -Mediation Board (2 folders)  
                 -Miscellaneous  
                 -Pension Data (8 folders)
- Box 5 (19)      -Pension Data (4 folders)  
                 -President (9 folders)
- Box 6 (20)      -President (8 folders)  
                 -President (Administrator)  
                 -President #1 (6 folders)
- Box 7 (21)      -President #1  
                 -President #2 (11 folders)
- Box 8 (22)      -President #2 (4 folders)  
                 -Seniority Committee  
                 -Seniority Committee Data (2 folders)  
                 -Social Security Fund (5 folders)  
                 -Social Security Fund Data (4 folders)
- Box 9 (23)      -Social Security Fund Data  
                 -Social Security Laws  
                 -State Mediation between Kaiser-Frazer Corp. and Local 142,  
                        UAW-CIO 6/13-14/1949  
                 -Suspension of Charlie James  
                 -Telegrams  
                 -Time Study  
                 -Trial Board (3 folders)  
                 -Trials  
                 -Umpire - Holds (pending Umpire decision)  
                 -Umpire (3 folders)