

THE UAW LOCAL 27 COLLECTION

9 Manuscript Boxes

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The papers of Local 27 UAW were deposited with the Labor History Archives in 11-25-69 by Al Campbell.

This is a new local which was established in 1950 when Eaton Wilcox Rich moved from Windsor to London, Canada. The local was organized as an amalgamated local with two units, it has since grown to thirteen units.

- Unit 1 - Eaton Wilcox and Rich - Certified Nov. 28, 1950
- Unit 2 - General Motors Diesel - Certified Nov. 28, 1950
- Unit 3 - Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing - Certified April 5, 1952
- Unit 4 - Proto Tools - Certified April 14, 1953
- Unit 5 - Kelvinator - Certified June 28, 1954
- Unit 6 - Central Chev. Olds - Certified Oct. 11, 1956
- Unit 7 - London Generator Service - Certified Oct. 27, 1959
- Unit 8 - Fruehauf Trailer - Certified June 17, 1963
- Unit 9 - Tecuseh Products - Certified Dec. 20, 1963
- Unit 10 - Unifin - Certified May 17, 1967
- Unit 11 - General Motors Products - Certified Feb. 8, 1968
- Unit 12 - Northern Electric - Certified Feb. 8, 1968
- Unit 13 - Bendix Westinghouse - Certified May 7, 1968

The UAW Local 27 Collection covers the period from 1951 to 1969.

Important subjects are: Education, Grievances, Labour Collage of Canada, Medicare, Negotiations, New Democratic Party, Wolverine Tube Strike, Work Conditions.

Correspondents include: George Burt, Canadian Regional Director  
William Froude, President Local 27  
Donald McDonald, New Democratic Party M.P.P.  
H.L. Rowntree, Minister of Labour  
Allan Schroeder, Educational Director  
George Specht, International Representative

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Series Description

There are 3 series in this collection.

Series I Minutes of General Membership, Executive Board, Local Plant, Negotiations arranged chronologically. Boxes 1-3

Series II Agreements, arranged by subject. Pension, Seniority, etc. Box 1

Series III General Office Files arranged by year, then within each year, alphabetically by subject. This is a miscellaneous file containing a file on each plant within the amalgamated local as well as a file on George Speech, International Representative and George Burt Canadian Regional Director.

Folder Inventory

Series I - Box 1 Minutes

General Motors Diesel, 1951-1964 (2 folders)  
General Motors Shop Committee, 1957-1964 (2 folders)  
Minutes and Misc. Material  
Canadian UAW Council, 1960-1961  
Negotiation Notebooks, 1958  
Negotiation Log Book (no dates)

Series I - Box 2 Minute Books

General Membership Meetings, 1953-1963 (2 folders)  
Misc. Minute Notebooks, 1952-1957

Series I Box 3 Minute Books

Executive Board, 1958-1966 (2 folders)  
General Membership, 1963-1969 (2 folders)

Series II Box 1 Agreements

Contract, 1951  
General Agreements  
General Motors Corp. Statement  
Insurance Agreements  
Local Plant Agreements  
Local Wage Agreements  
Pension Agreements  
Pension Contract, 1950  
Seniority Agreement  
Skilled Trade Agreements

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- Series III Box 1 General Office Files, 1956-1961  
History of Local  
Elections, 1961  
GM Intra-Corp. Council, 1955-1960 (2 folders)  
Grievances, 1956-1961  
Misc. Correspondence, 1956-1960 (2 folders)  
Ontario Federation of Labour, 1960-1961 Specht,  
George, Int. Rep., 1957-1961
- Series III Box 2 General Office File, 1962  
Burt, George, Con. Reg. Dir.  
Canadian Labour Congress  
Central Chevy Olds  
Elections  
General Motors Diesel  
General Motors Intra-Corp. Council  
Grievances  
International Union  
Labor Day  
London and District Labour Council  
Medicare  
Misc. Correspondence  
New Democratic Party  
Notices, All Plants  
Ontario Federation of Labour  
Ontario Federation of Labour, Booklets  
Proto Tools of Canada  
Schroeder, Allan, Ed. Dir.  
Skilled Trades  
Specht, George, Int. Rep.  
Windsor Office
- Series III Box 3 General Office File, 1963  
Burt, George, Canadian Regional Dir.  
Canadian Labour Congress  
Canadian UAW Council  
Central Chevy Olds  
Citizenship Dep.  
Eaton Automotive  
Elections  
General Motors Diesel  
General Motors Intra-Corp. Council  
Grievances  
International  
Kelvinator  
Labour day  
London and District Labour Council  
London Generator Service  
Medicare  
Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing  
Misc. Correspondence  
New Democratic Party  
Notices, All Plants, Jan.-July & Aug.-Dec. (2 folders)

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Ontario Fed. of Labour  
Proto Tools of Canada  
Schroeder, Allen, Ed. Dir.  
Skilled Trades  
Specht, George, Int. Rep.  
Windsor Office

Series III Box 3 General Office File, 1964

Burt, George, Canadian Regional Dir., Jan.-Dec. (2 folders)  
Canadian Labour Congress  
Canadian UAW Council  
Central Chevy Olds  
Citizenship Dep.  
Eaton Automotive  
Election Data  
Fruehauf Trailer  
General Motors Diesel  
Grievances  
International Office  
Kelvinator  
London and District Labour Council  
Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing  
Misc. Correspondence  
New Democratic Party  
Notices, All Plants, Jan.-Dec. (2 folders)  
Schroeder, Allen, Ed. Dir.  
Specht, George, Int. Rep.  
Proto Tools  
Tecumseh Products  
Windsor Office  
Wolverine Tube Strike Clippings

Series III Box 4 General Office File

1964-1965 continued  
Wolverine Tube Strike Communications, 1964  
Wolverine Tube Strike Letters, 1964  
Wolverine Tube Strike Membership Lists, 1964  
Burt, George, Canadian Regional District, 1965  
Canadian UAW Council, 1965  
Central Chevy Olds  
Eaton Automotive  
Fruehauf  
General Motors Diesel  
International  
Kelvinator  
London and District Labour Council  
London Generator Service  
Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing

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Misc. Correspondence

Notices, All Plants, Jan.-Dec. (5 folders)

Proto Tools

Tecumseh Products

Windsor Office

Wolverine Tube Strike Clippings & Letters (2 folders)