

The United Office and Professional Workers of America
Local 26

Papers, 1947-1948

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Local 26 of the United Office and Professional Workers of America CIO, was included in the union's Michigan region, and served primarily Wayne County. During the Years 1947-1948, the offices of both Local 26 and the regional headquarters were located in Detroit.

Subsequently, UOPWA was expelled from the CIO. The trade union members of Local 26 then obtained a direct charter from the CIO becoming the Local Industrial Union 72. When the AFL merged with the CIO in the mid 1950's, Local 72 became a part of Local 42, Office Employees International Union. Later this AFL-CIO union included professional workers, becoming the Office and Professional Employees International Union.

Most of the papers in this collection are executive board minutes dealing with the internal affairs of this local. An important topic dealt with in this collection is the Taft-Hartley Bill, which became a Congressional Act in 1948.

Among the correspondents are:

Jerome Shore
John J. Stanley
Christine Walker

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