

THE CHARLES J. CLARK COLLECTION

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The papers of Charles J. Clark were placed in the Archives of Labor and Urban Affairs in April of 1976 by Mr. Clark and were opened for research in February, 1983.

Charles J. Clark was born in Vandergrift, Pennsylvania, September 11, 1913 and attended schools there and in Toledo, Ohio. He also took courses at the University of Toledo.

In 1933 Mr. Clark began work in the Toledo Chevrolet plant and was active in efforts to establish an automobile workers union. He participated in the Toledo Chevrolet Strike in April 1935. In March, 1942 he transferred to the Spicer plant (later the Dana Corporation) and held a series of union offices in Local 12 UAW. He was chairman of the Spicer Unit, Local 12 and President of the UAW Interoperation Council until 1957.

In 1957, Mr. Clark joined the staff of the International UAW as Assistant Director of the Dana Department. In November, 1968 he was appointed UAW Education Director, Region 2-B (Northwestern Ohio), serving in that capacity through 1975, when he was appointed Assistant Director of Region 2-B. He was a recipient of the UAW's Walter P. Reuther Distinguished Service Award in 1976.

The papers of Mr. Clark consist primarily of "letters to the editor" (Toledo Blade) on topics such as the Vietnam War, legislative apportionment, voting rights, early retirement, and unemployment. Also in the collection are a few miscellaneous documents relating to Mr. Clark's career as a union official with the UAW.

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Correspondence, 1971-72, 1976

Field Evaluation Report on Charles Clark, Counsel & Testing Bureau, U of Toledo
Dec, 1963

Letters to the Editor (Toledo Blade) 1965, 1968, 1974 Resume, Charles C.
Clark, Jan 1976

Testimonial to C. Clark, Sep 1975, UAW Education Dept.

The papers are arranged in chronological order