

Harrison J. Liebrum Papers (S0049)

Collection Number: S0049

Collection Title: Harrison J. Liebrum Papers

Dates: 1928-1972

Creator: Liebrum, Harrison J., 1907-1903

Abstract: The collection contains correspondence, labor agreements, union identification cards, ballots, and programs of Harrison J. Liebrum. Liebrum was an employee of Laclede Gas Company from 1925 to 1971 and a charter member of the Gas House Workers Union, Local 18799.

Collection Size: .1 cubic foot (1 folder)

Language: Collection materials are in English.

Repository: The State Historical Society of Missouri

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Biographical Note:

Harrison J. Liebrum (1906-2003) was born in 1907 to Fred and Pearl Liebrum, in St. Louis, Missouri. Liebrum worked for the Laclede Gas Company from 1925 to 1971 and was a charter member of the Gas House Workers Union, Local 18799, the first union formed by employees at Laclede Gas Company in 1933. Liebrum was also a member and official in later reiterations of the union, including Local No. 6 of the United Gas, Coke and Chemical Workers of America, CIO and the Oil, Chemical, and Atomic Workers International Union. Liebrum died in St. Louis, Missouri, on October 22, 2003.

Arrangement:

The papers consist of three folders, arranged chronologically.

Scope and Content Note:

The papers of Harrison J. Liebrum (1907-2003), include photocopies of correspondence sent to or from co-workers, union officials, and Laclede Gas Company management regarding labor grievances and wage disputes with the Laclede Gas Company; and organizing social activities among St. Louis area unions. Also included in the papers are Liebrum's union identification cards, anniversary programs for Local No. 6, and labor agreement booklets between Laclede Gas Company and the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International union and with the United Gas, Coke and Chemical Workers of America.

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