

**Stuart Hodgson Fonds**

**An inventory of records held by BC Labour Heritage Centre**

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**Title:** Stuart Hodgson Fonds

**Dates:** 1948-1952

**Physical Description:** 2 cm newspapers and pamphlets

**Administrative History:** Stuart was born on April 1st, 1924 in Vancouver BC, completing Grade 11 while working in plywood mills to support his family during the depression.

After the second World War he returned to BC to work in the plywood mills of MacMillan Bloedel and soon became involved in the rough and tumble world of labour politics where he rose to the position of Financial Secretary at Local 1-217, the IWA's largest local in one of the Canada's largest and most militant unions. Later in life he became Commissioner of the Northwest Territories. Afterwards he held positions with the BC Ferry Corporation and BC Transit.

**Scope/Content:** The fonds consists of newspapers and pamphlets related to the early years of the International Woodworkers of America (I.W.A.) in B.C.

**Title Source:** Title based on the contents of the fonds.

**Finding Aid:** File list and inventory available

**Names:** Stuart Hodgson  
International Woodworkers of America  
I.W.A. Local 1-217

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Physical Description: 2 cm newspapers and pamphlets			
File List:			
Ref Code	Title	Dates	Container
<b>2018.3.1</b>	<b>B.C. Lumber Worker</b>	<b>1948-1952</b>	<b>2</b>
2018.3.1.1	Vol 19, No. 28, November 15, 1948		<b>2</b>
2018.3.1.2	Vol 19, No. 30, November 29, 1948		<b>2</b>
2018.3.1.3	Vol 19, No. 31, December 6, 1948		<b>2</b>
2018.3.1.4	Vol. 19, No. 32, December 13, 1948		<b>2</b>
2018.3.1.5	Vol. 19, No. 33, December 20, 1948		<b>2</b>
2018.3.1.6	Vol. 20, No. 4, January 17, 1952		<b>2</b>
2018.3.1.7	Vol. 20, No. 16, July 31, 1952		<b>2</b>
<b>2018.3.2</b>	<b>The Voice of the IWA</b>	<b>1948</b>	<b>2</b>
2018.3.2.1	Vol. 1, No. 1, September 24, 1948		<b>2</b>
2018.3.2.2	Vol. 1, No. 2, September 30, 1948 [2 copies]		<b>2</b>
2018.3.2.3	Vol. 1, No. 3, October 8, 1948		<b>2</b>
2018.3.2.4	Vol. 1, No. 4, October 15, 1948 [3 copies]		<b>2</b>
2018.3.2.5	Vol. 1, No. 5, October 22, 1948 [2 copies]		<b>2</b>
<b>2018.3.3</b>	<b>Pamphlets</b>	<b>n.d.</b>	<b>2</b>
2018.3.3.1	Meet the Woodworkers, International Woodworkers of America, Research and Education Dept [3 copies]		<b>2</b>
2018.3.3.2	Beware! Racial and Religious Hatred Seeks to Destroy Trade Unionism! Montreal: Canadian Labour Reports		<b>2</b>
2018.3.3.3	You Belong to a Minority, National Committee for Racial Tolerance of the Canadian Congress of Labour		<b>2</b>
2018.3.3.4	Discrimination Costs You Money, Montreal: Canadian Labour Reports		<b>2</b>
2018.3.3.5	To New Employees, Printed in Canada: International Woodworkers of America		<b>2</b>
2018.3.3.6	When You have a Grievance, International Woodworkers of America, Research and Education Dept		<b>2</b>
2018.3.3.7	Prejudice Must be Fought, New York: Labor Reports		<b>2</b>

2018.3.3.8	Tolerance is Not Enough, New York: Labor Reports		<b>2</b>
2018.3.3.9	Parliamentary Procedure, Portland: International Woodworkers of America		<b>2</b>