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Abstract

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CHAPTER 12

Miscellaneous Manufactures

BROOM AND WHISK MAKERS' UNION, INTERNATIONAL

Address: 1716 N. Long Ave., Chicago

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1893 Organized as International Broom Makers' Union. Affiliated with AFL.
- 1903 Changed name to International Broom and Whisk Makers' Union.

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
1903; 1907; 1918; 1920; 1924 (all *with* journal)
2. Constitutions.
quad. 1896-1908; 1910; 1918; 1924; 1925
3. Journal.
Published as: (Galesburg, Ill.; Amsterdam, N. Y.)
Dec 1899-Apr/May 1931: *The Broom Maker* (Ceased publication)

DISTRICT 50, UNITED MINE WORKERS OF AMERICA

Address: 15th and I Sts., N. W., Washington

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1936 Established as a national department of the United Mine Workers of America (*q. v.*), under name of Gas and By-Product Coke Workers, District 50 of the United Mine Workers of America.
- 1937 Changed name to Gas, By-Product Coke and Chemical Workers, District 50 of the United Mine Workers of America.
- 1939 Changed name to District 50, United Mine Workers of America, Gas, Coke and Chemical Workers.
- 1941 Adopted present name.

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
1st, 1938; 2nd, 1940
2. Journal.
Published as: (Washington)
1938-Sep 1941: *CIO News. Gas, Coke and Chemical
Workers Edition*
Oct 1941+ : *District 50 News*

JEWELRY WORKERS' UNION, INTERNATIONAL

Address: 551 Fifth Ave., New York

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1900 Organized by group of AFL federal locals as International Jewelry Workers' Union of America. Affiliated with AFL.
- 1913 Disbanded. Some locals continued as AFL federal locals.
- 1916 Reorganized as International Jewelry Workers' Union by the AFL federal locals. Reaffiliated with AFL.

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
3rd, 1902; 10th, 1910; after reorganization: 1st-4th ann., 1916-1919; 5th, 1921; 6th, 1925; 7th, 1940 (1st-5th *with journal*)
2. Constitutions.
1905; 1910; 1916; 1922; 1934; 1940
3. Journal.
Published as: (Chicago; New York)
1906-1910: *The Jewelry Worker* (Ceased publication)
1917-Jun 1924: *Jewelry Workers' Monthly Bulletin* (Ceased publication)

LEATHER WORKERS OF AMERICA, AMALGAMATED

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1901 Organized. Affiliated with AFL.
- 1913 Disbanded as national union, locals continuing as AFL federal locals.
- 1917 Locals merged with International United Brotherhood of Leather Workers on Horse Goods (*q. v.*); and Travelers'

Goods and Leather Novelty Workers International Union
(*q. v.*) to form United Leather Workers' International Union
(*q. v.*).

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
4th-7th ann., 1904-1907
2. Constitutions.
quad. 1901-1909
3. Journal.
Published as: (Olean, N. Y.)
1902-1904?: *The Amalgamated Leather Workers' Journal*

LEATHER WORKERS ON HORSE GOODS, INTERNATIONAL UNITED BROTHERHOOD OF

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1895 Organized as United Brotherhood of Harness and Saddle Workers. Merged with National Association of Saddle and Harness Makers of America (*q. v.*) under name of former.
- 1896 Affiliated with AFL. Later in year changed name to United Brotherhood of Leather Workers on Horse Goods.
- 1903 Added "International" to name.
- 1917 Merged with Travelers' Goods and Leather Novelty Workers' International Union of America (*q. v.*) and AFL federal tannery locals, formerly organized as Amalgamated Leather Workers of America (*q. v.*), to form United Leather Workers' International Union (*q. v.*).

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
1st, 1896; [2nd, 1897; 3rd, 1898]; 4th, 1899; 5th, 1904; 1917
(4th, 5th, 1917 *with journal*)
2. Constitutions.
1897 (2 edns); ann. 1898-1903; 1904 (12 edns); ann. 1905-1907; 1909; 1910; 1913
3. Journal.
Published as: (Kansas City, Mo.)
1898-Sep 1917: *The Leather Workers' Journal* (Ceased publication)

LEATHER WORKERS' INTERNATIONAL UNION, UNITED

Address: 5th and Chestnut Sts., Philadelphia

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1917 Organized as result of merger of Travelers' Goods and Leather Workers' International Union (*q. v.*); International United Brotherhood of Leather Workers on Horse Goods (*q. v.*); and AFL federal tannery locals (formerly organized as Amalgamated Leather Workers of America (*q. v.*)). Affiliated with AFL.
- 1923 International Pocketbook Workers' Union (*q. v.*) affiliated with United Leather Workers' International Union as autonomous union.
- 1937 International Pocketbook Workers' Union withdrew and affiliated with AFL as international union under name of International Ladies' Handbag, Pocketbook and Novelty Workers Union (*q. v.*).

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
[1917]; 1920
2. Reports.
President and Secretary-Treasurer: 1920/1921
3. Constitutions.
1917; 1920; 1933; 1937
4. Journal.
Published as: (Kansas City, Mo.)
1917-1926?: *The Leather Workers' Journal*

PAPER, NOVELTY AND TOY WORKERS' INTERNATIONAL UNION, UNITED

Address: 225 Lafayette St., New York

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1938 Organized as International Union of Playthings and Novelty Workers. Affiliated with CIO.
- 1940 Absorbed other CIO paper converting locals. Adopted present name.

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
1st, 1940
2. Constitutions.
1940

**POCKETBOOK AND NOVELTY WORKERS UNION,
INTERNATIONAL LADIES' HANDBAG**

Address: 265 W. 14th St., New York

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1923 Organized by AFL federal locals and other locals as International Pocketbook Workers' Union. Affiliated with United Leather Workers' International Union (*q. v.*) as an autonomous union.
- 1937 Withdrew from United Leather Workers International Union and affiliated with AFL as international union under present name.

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
[1st-4th bien., 1924-1930]; [5th, 1936; 6th, 1938]; 7th, 1939
2. Constitutions.
1936/1939
3. Journal.
Published as: (New York)
1923-Nov 1935?: *The International Pocketbook Worker*
1937-Oct 1939?: *Leathergoods Worker*
(V. 6 repeated in numbering. Suspended Feb 1929-Mar 1930, Jul 1931-Apr 1935; Dec 1935-1937. NS, 1935, 1937.)

**POWDER AND HIGH EXPLOSIVES WORKERS
OF AMERICA, UNITED**

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1901 Organized by group of AFL federal locals. Affiliated with AFL.

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
spec., 1905; 3rd, 1907; 4th-6th ann., 1911-1913
2. Constitutions.
1911; 1915; 1925; 1930

RUBBER WORKERS OF AMERICA, UNITED

Address: 503 United Bldg., Akron

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1935 Organized. Affiliated with AFL.
 1936 Affiliated with CIO. Suspended by AFL.
 1938 Expelled from AFL.

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
 1935; 1st-5th ann., 1936-1940
2. Reports.
 Officers and General Executive Board: 1940
3. Constitutions.
 ann. 1935-1938; 1940
4. Journal.
 Published as: (Akron)
 1936-1941+ : *United Rubber Worker*

SADDLE AND HARNESS MAKERS OF AMERICA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1887 Organized.
 1889 Affiliated with AFL.
 1895 Merged with United Brotherhood of Harness and Saddle
 Makers of America (*q. v.*).

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
 [2nd, 1888; 4th, 1890]; 5th, 1891; 6th, 1892
2. Constitutions.
 1892
3. Journal.
 Published as: (Boston; Dallas; Itasco, Tex.)
 Nov 1891-Oct 1892?: *The Saddle and Harness Makers'*
 Journal
 Mar 1894?-Feb 1895?: *Journeyman Saddle and Harness*
 Maker

**TRAVELERS' GOODS AND LEATHER NOVELTY
WORKERS' INTERNATIONAL UNION
OF AMERICA**

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1895 Organized as Trunk and Bag Workers' International Union of America.
- 1896 Affiliated with AFL.
- 1903 Changed name to Travelers' Goods and Leather Novelty Workers' International Union of America.
- 1917 Merged with United Brotherhood of Leather Workers on Horse Goods (*q. v.*) and AFL federal tannery workers, formerly organized as Amalgamated Leather Workers of America (*q. v.*), to form United Leather Workers' International Union (*q. v.*).

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
4th-6th quad., 1903-1911; (5th, 6th *with* journal)
2. Constitutions.
1896; 1900; 1902; 1903; 1907; 1908; 1912
3. Journal.
Published as: (St. Louis; Oshkosh, Wis.)
1904-Jan 1915: *Official Journal*
Feb 1915-Sep 1917: *Monthly Bulletin*
(Absorbed by *Leather Workers' Journal*, organ of United Leather Workers' International Union (*q. v.*).

**UPHOLSTERERS' INTERNATIONAL UNION
OF NORTH AMERICA**

Address: 2812 N. Broad St., Philadelphia

I. CHRONOLOGY

- 1892 Organized under present name.
- 1900 Affiliated with AFL.
- 1913 Changed name to Upholsterers' and Trimmers' International Union of North America.
- 1921 Resumed present name.

- 1929 Changed name to Upholsterers', Carpet and Linoleum Mechanics' International Union of North America.
- 1937 Changed name to Upholsterers', Furniture, Carpet, Linoleum and Awning Workers' International Union of North America. Seceding faction organized United Furniture Workers of America (*q. v.*).
- 1938 Resumed present name.

II. PUBLICATIONS

1. Proceedings.
1st, 1895; 4th, 1903; 6th, 1909; 8th-17th bien., 1913-1931; 18th, 1935; 19th, 1937
2. Reports.
President: 1933
3. Constitutions.
1892; 1900; 1903; 1905; 1908; 1909; bien. 1913-1931; 1935; 1938; 1940
4. Journal.
Published as: (New York; Philadelphia)
1922-1941+ : *Upholsterers Journal*
(v. 17 repeated in numbering)