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**Jim Hughes Collection**

**Hughes, Jim. Papers, 1948–1957. .33 foot.**

Labor official. Scrapbooks (1948–1957) of newspaper clippings concerning investigations of labor problems, legislation, and strikes; copies of the *United Mine Workers Journal* (1957); a typescript of a speech (1957) Hughes presented to the Oklahoma State Federation of Labor; a labor convention program (1957); and a contract for the publication of "A Labor History of Oklahoma."

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**Folder:**

1. *United Mine Workers Journal* 68th Year, No. 23, Dec. 1, 1957. Editor: Justin McCarthy, Assistant Editor: Rex Lauck, "The Worst Mine Disaster in History."  
  
*United Mine Workers Journal* 68th Year, No. 24, Dec. 15, 1957. Editor: Justin McCarthy, Assistant Editor: Rex Lauck, "Let the Pure Light Forever Shine."  
  
*United Mine Workers Journal* 68th Year, No. 2, June 15, 1958. Editor: Justin McCarthy, Assistant Editor: Rex Lauck, "Cold Facts for the 85th Congress."
2. Miscellaneous.  
A Contract for the Publication of *A Labor History of Oklahoma* between W.A. Pat Murphy, Sponsor, and A. Van Horn, publisher, July 25, 1939 plus supplementary contract: Aug. 5, 1939. *A Labor History of Oklahoma* was funded by the Federal Writers Project of Oklahoma (a New Deal program).  
  
State of Oklahoma: 48th Annual Report of Mines and Mining of Oklahoma. Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1956. Dept. of Chief Mine Inspector. John M. Malloy, Chief Mine Inspector, Oklahoma City. Hon. Raymond Gary, Governor.  
  
Program of events for the "Golden Anniversary Convention. Oklahoma State Federation of Labor" prepared by *Tulsa Labor News*, Oct. 10-12, 1957.  
  
'Address of Jim Hughes', Commissioner of Labor at the 1957 Annual Convention, Oklahoma State Federation of Labor. Tulsa, Oklahoma. October 11, 1957.

**Scrap Book**

"Jim Hughes State Commissioner of Labor", Feb. 20, 1944-March 9, 1950. Contents: All newspaper clippings refer to labor-oriented activities in Oklahoma such as strikes, labor accidents and legislative action.

**Scrap Book**

"Newspaper Clippings Beginning July 1953", Jan. 4, 1953-July 19, 1957. Contents: All newspaper clippings refer to labor-oriented activities in Oklahoma such as strikes, labor accidents and legislative action.

**Outsized Material****Box 1:**

*Outsized Minor Collections:* Jim Hughes Collection. Folder 4. *The Daily Oklahoman*, Vol. 66, No. 281, Oct. 13, 1957. Page 2a "AFL Delegates Pick City Man."