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U167

Farnworth, Worsley and District Trades Council records, 1894-1975, n.d.

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(remainder).

The Council was founded in 1894. It was at first entitled "United Trades' Council of Farnworth and District". This name was later altered to Farnworth, Walkden, and District Trades Council and in 1968 to Farnworth, Worsley and District Trades Council. In 1975 it amalgamated with Swinton and Pendlebury Trades Council and Salford Trades Council, to form Salford District Trades Council (subsequently Salford Trades Union Council). For records of Salford Trades Union Council see U168.

ADMINISTRATION

Byelaws and constitution

Nomination papers for election of officers, members  
of the Executive Committee or branch delegates  
(16 docs.)

1967

List of names for candidates for election to the  
Executive Committee and to the Presidency (1 doc.)

1969

Minutes

Signed minutes, Council and committee meetings, United  
Trades' Council of Farnworth and District or Farnworth  
and District Trades and Labour Council, 1894-1917  
(4 vols.)

1894-1917,  
1919

The first volume includes the text, drawn up by a  
subcommittee in 1894, of a constitution for the Council.  
The second vol. contains a loose copy of a resolution  
authorising the purchase of Presto House, Kearsley  
(formerly of "Lords Estate"), 1919, typed on paper with  
printed letterheading of Farnworth and District United  
Trades Council.

Typed or duplicated copies of unsigned minutes, Farnworth,  
Walkden and District Trades Council, subsequently Farnworth,  
Worsley and District Trades Council, monthly delegates'  
meetings, annual meetings or Executive Committee meetings,  
with related papers (321 docs.)

1951-60,  
1965-75

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UNOFFICIAL COLLECTIONS

ADMINISTRATION

Official declarations and reports

U167/A01	Annual report by Secretary for year 1961, issued in 1962 (1 doc.)	1962
/A02	Copies of annual returns to Trades Union Congress (3 docs.)	1969-71
	<u>Registration</u>	
/AR1	Written or typed lists of local trade union branches with members on the Council or of delegates (8 docs.)	196-, 1963 1965-66,n.
/AR2	Signed list for attendance at delegates' meeting (1 doc.)	1965
/AR3	Duplicated lists of attendance at meetings for years 1967-68 and 1973 (2 docs.)	1968, ?1974
	<u>Administrative miscellanea and deposited papers</u>	
/AZ1	Rough notes of a meeting (1 doc.)	n.d.
/AZ2	Duplicated notes for guidance of trades council secretaries apparently issued by the Trades Union Congress (1 doc.)	1964
	<u>CORRESPONDENCE</u>	
/C1	Folder, marked "Transport Correspondence" containing correspondence and other papers regarding local bus and rail services (1 folder containing docs.)	1960-62
/C2	Postcards with comments on local bus services (4 docs., found loose, probably once in same folder as above)	1961
/C3	Folder marked "Press File Transport" containing correspondence and other papers relating to local bus and rail services, 1964-65, n.d., and a separate folder with papers and newspapers concerning the Trades Council and local bus services, 1960-61, n.d. (1 folder containing docs.)	1960-61, 1964-65, n.d.
/C4	Memorandum issued on behalf of the Trades Council together with other papers regarding local bus services (3 docs. found loose)	1965
/C5	Correspondence and other papers regarding proposed withdrawal of local rail services (1 folder containing docs.)	1967-68
/C6	Correspondence and related papers, incl. some concerning local bus services (155 docs. found loose or stapled or clipped together)	1965-68, n.d.
/C7	Correspondence and related papers, either numbered "280" and from "308" to "500" or found between these papers (208 docs. found loose or stapled or clipped together)	1973-75

## UNOFFICIAL COLLECTIONS

## CORRESPONDENCE

U167/C8	Two letters and attached paper regarding North-West Get Britain Out Referendum campaign (3 docs.)	1974
<b>FINANCE</b>		
/F1	Accounts of income and expenditure, 1894-1910, and of income, 1911-20; at end rough note of meetings, 1903, 1905, and list of constituent societies, n.d. (1 vol. containing loose annotated copy of printed notice on house rents during the first World War issued by Farnworth, Kearsley and Little Hulton Trades Council, c.1915)	1894-1920 n.d.
/F2	Duplicated copies of annual statements of accounts for years 1958, 1964-67, issued in years 1959, 1965-68, and written statement of income and expenditure for year 1974, signed in 1975 as audited and found correct (12 docs.)	1958-59, 1964-68, 1974-75
<b>OFFICIAL</b>		
/01	Agenda, annual conference of trades councils (1 leaflet)	1968
/02	Agenda, annotated annual conference of Lancashire Federation of Trades Councils (1 leaflet)	1968
<b>LITERARY AND MISCELLANEOUS</b>		
/Z1A-3	Trades Union Congress publications for the press:	1966-68
/1	"Industrial News", "for the use of the press" (24 issues);	1967-68
/2	"Industrial News", "TUC Incomes Policy Bulletins" (16 issues);	1967-68
/3	"TUC Evidence to the Royal Commission" [on Trade Unions and Employers' Associations], press release (1 doc.)	1966
/Z2	Other publications received by the Council (6 pamphlets or leaflets)	1973, n.d.