

# Port Arthur Coal Handlers' Union fonds

1911-1917

106 p. of textual records

## *Administrative history*

The Coal Handlers' Union of Port Arthur was organized in March of 1911 by A. Boyd of the International Longshoremen's Association. Membership was open to those employed in handling coal on the local docks, many of whom were Italian.

## *Scope and Content*

**Series B 12/1/1.** - Minute book. - 106 p. - 1911-1917

Leather bound minute book of the Coal Handlers' Union from its inception in 1911 to the middle of 1917. It contains lists of offices, minutes of meetings, and accounts of receipts. All are handwritten. The subjects concern labour relations, working conditions on the docks, and strikes.

## *Notes*

Formerly catalogued into the museum collection, 973.13.1.

## *Originals and reproductions*

Microfilm copy exists.