

LL-1, “Acme Shear – A Family Business with no Union”

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I So throughout the history of Acme Shear there was no union there?

LL No, never a union. At first when I got there, you know, at the time, everybody, we were a younger group of people, lots of ex-servicemen and everything like that, we were trying to get a union in there. And then it just fell through because lots of old-timers, they preferred not to have a union and everything like that. And so that's what knocked it down. But as the years went by we found out that without a union we got by pretty good. It was a family-owned company at that time, and they were pretty fair.