Title: Tanzilo, Bobby Papers

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Abstract: Bobby Tanzilo is a Milwaukee journalist best known for his work on local history and his *OnMilwaukee* column *Urban Spelunking*, which focuses on historic buildings.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of two series. The first series is comprised of Bobby Tanzilo's working files and research. The second series is comprised of copies of his articles published in local online magazine *OnMilwaukee*.

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