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Abbreviations

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ADLV-Zeitung Deutsche Lehrerinnenzeitung Archive of the Landesoberbergamt, Dortmund ALD **BAK** Federal Archive, Koblenz Archive of the German Mining Museum, Bochum Federation of German Women's Associations **BBA BDF BDM** Bund deutscher Mädel (League of German Girls) Bund für Mutterschutz **BfM** Archive of German Trade Union Federation, **DGBA** Düsseldorf Deutsches Jungvolk Freie Deutsche Jugend DJ **FDJ** Archive of the Gesamtverband des deutschen **GDST** Steinkohlenbergbaus, Essen Hitler-Jugend (Hitler Youth) HЈ **HSTAD** Hauptstaatsarchiv Düsseldorf Historische Zeitschrift HZGeschichte und Gesellschaft GGIfGA/ZPA Institut für Geschichte der Arbeiterbewegung. Zentrales Parteiarchiv, Berlin Industrieverband Bergbau (Miners' Union) Industriegewerkschaft Bergbau (Miners' Union) IVB **IGB** Archive of the Mining Union, Bochum **IGBEA** Jugendarchiv beim Institut für zeitgeschichtliche JA

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NSDAP	Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiterpartei	
	(Nazi party)	
ObaD	Oberbergamt Dortmund	
SBZ	Soviet Zone of Occupation	
SED	Socialist Unity party	
SPD	Social Democratic party	
SMAD	Soviet Military Administration of Germany	
VfSW	Vierteljahresschrift für Sozial- und Wirtschaftsgeschich	ite
WWA	Westfälisches Wirtschaftsarchiv	
ZdKW	Zahlen der Kohlenwirtschaft	