



## Guide to the Las Vegas High School Tales of Las Vegas Collection

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
<b>Creator:</b>	Las Vegas High School (Las Vegas, Nev.)
<b>Title:</b>	Las Vegas High School Tales of Las Vegas Collection
<b>ID:</b>	MS-00030
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1924-1925
<b>Physical Description:</b>	0.10 Cubic Feet (2 folders (1 shared box))
<b>Physical Description:</b>	0.10 Linear Feet
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English
<b>Abstract:</b>	The Las Vegas High School Tales of Las Vegas Collection consists of two hand-bound books written by the 1924 modern history class and the 1925 United States history class at Las Vegas High School. The two books, both entitled "Tales of Las Vegas", chronicle Las Vegas, Nevada history starting in the 17th century with the Spanish Jesuit and Franciscan Monks. The books then focus on the 1905 "boom" stage of Las Vegas, discussing topics including Mormons, Native Americans, and mining. The two books are similar in content but not identical, and both contain photographs of early Las Vegas, Nevada life.

### Preferred Citation

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## Scope and Contents Note

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## Arrangement Note

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## Administrative Information

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### Access Note

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### Acquisition Note

Materials were donated in 1977 by K.E Whiteneck; accession number 77-108.

### Processing Note

Materials were processed by Special Collections Staff. In 2015, as part of a legacy finding aid conversion project, Hana Gutierrez created the collection description and entered it into ArchivesSpace. In 2018, as part of an archival backlog elimination project, Sarah Jones revised the collection description to bring it into compliance with current professional standards.

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## Names and Subjects

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- Las Vegas (Nev.) -- History
- photographs

- Nevada -- Las Vegas -- History -- Pioneer

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## Collection Inventory

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Title/Description	Containers
Tales of Las Vegas, 1924	box SH-001
Tales of Las Vegas, 1925	box SH-001