

# Guide to the John F. Campbell Papers

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#### **Summary Information**

**Repository:** University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special

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**Creator:** Campbell, John (John Frederick), 1943-

**Title:** John F. Campbell Papers

**ID:** MS-00532

**Date [inclusive]:** 1964-2004

**Physical** 3.17 Cubic Feet (4 boxes, 1 flat folder, 1 unboxed item)

**Description:** 

**Physical** 4.59 Linear Feet

**Description:** 

**Language of the** English

Material:

**Abstract:** The John F. Campbell Papers (1964-2004) are comprised of

material from his 27 years working at the Nevada Test Site (NTS) as an engineer and mine supervisor. Included is information about the various tunnels used for nuclear testing that Campbell worked on, completion schedules, maps, and photographs. Also included are newspaper clippings, newsletters, bulletins, and pamphlets connected with or relating to the Test Site. There are awards, correspondence, and medical papers that reference

illnesses of Test Site workers.

#### **Preferred Citation**

John F. Campbell Papers, 1964-2004. MS-00532. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

### **Biographical Note**

Engineer and mining superintendent John F. Campbell worked for Reynolds Electric and Engineering Company (REECo) and as a government employee at the Nevada Test Site (NTS) for a combined 27 years. He was involved in the planning and construction of many tunnels that were used for atomic testing.

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## **Scope and Contents Note**

Papers are comprised of the records of John F. Campbell, an engineer and mining supervisor who worked at the Nevada Test Site for 27 years. Included is information about the various tunnels used for nuclear testing that Campbell worked on, completion schedules, maps, and photographs. There are newspaper clippings, newsletters, bulletins, and pamphlets connected with or relating to the Test Site. Also included are medical and general health information with reference to atomic testing. In addition to materials focusing on the Test Site, there are awards, correspondence, artwork, and poetry.

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#### Arrangement

Materials are arranged by topic: Nevada Test Site; Reynolds Electric and Engineering Company; Health and medical issues; Bulletins, newsletters, and pamphlets; and General information. Photographs remain in original order.

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#### **Administrative Information**

#### **Access Note**

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#### **Acquisition Note**

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### **Processing Note**

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### **Names and Subjects**

- Underground nuclear explosions -- Nevada
- Nuclear weapons -- Testing -- Accidents
- Nevada National Security Site (Nev.)
- Reynolds Electrical & Engineering Co.

## **Collection Inventory**

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Bus schedules to and from Area 12, 1994	box 01
Chemical kiloton experiment, N tunnel, 1993	box 01
Chemical kiloton experiment checklist, 1993	box 01
Edgerton, Germeshausen and Grier, Incorporated (EG&G) Annual Report, 1993	box 01
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Department of Energy (DOE) fact sheets on radiation safety, 1980, 1982-1983, 1993	box 01
Ethical Issues in Occupational Health Research Symposium, 1999 October 29-30	box 01
Health research information, 1994, 2003, and undated	box 01
Human Subjects Research Handbook, undated	box 02
Larson, Donald B., "The Non-proliferation Experiment: Lessons Learned," presentation and rebuttals, 1993	box 02
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EG&G Ink, 1979-1987	box 02
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Monitoring Radiation from Nuclear Tests, 1984 January	box 02
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Navajo Uranium Workers Oral History and Photograph Project, 1999 summer	box 02

Nevada Monitor , 1987, 1996-1998, 2002	box 02
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