

Guide to the Jacqueline Abell oral history interview

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Creator:	Abell, Jacqueline, 1924-
Contributor:	Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas
Title:	Jacqueline Abell oral history interview
ID:	OH-00002
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Physical Description:	2 Digital Files (0.0309 GB) MP3, PDF/A
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	Oral history interview with Jackie Abell conducted by Robert Stuart on April 03, 1976 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. Jackie Abell (b. 1924) discusses her experiences growing up in Virginia City, Reno, and Overton, Nevada. She specifically discusses her experiences growing up on a ranch, railroading, above ground atomic testing, flooding, and wild animals.

Preferred Citation

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Scope and Contents Note

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Acquisition Note

University of Nevada, Las Vegas History Professor Ralph Roske donated materials for this oral history project to UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in the 1980s.

Processing Note

Interview materials were processed by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in 2016. Karla Irwin wrote the collection description.

The audio cassette for this interview has been reformatted by an external vendor into a digital format. An MP3 file of the audio is available for research use.

This interview was transcribed and edited by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives as part of an ongoing effort to transcribe legacy interviews. This interview transcript received minimal editing and all measures have been taken to preserve the style and language of the narrator. The interviewee/narrator was not involved in the editing process. A digital version (PDF) of the transcript is available for research use.

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- Nuclear weapons -- Nevada -- Testing
- Ranch life
- Oral histories (document genres)
- Nevada