

Guide to the Dorothy George oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Abstract: Oral history interview with Dorothy O'Donnell George conducted

by Claytee D. White on October 13, 2005 for the Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project. George discusses serving as a nurse during World War II in Hawaii, Okinawa, and Japan. She also discusses moving to Las Vegas, Nevada and working as a nurse. George then discusses Las Vegas, the Helldorado Parades, atomic

bomb testing, and her family picnics at Mount Charleston.

Preferred Citation Note

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Scope and Contents Note

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Processing Note

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Bound Transcript Availability

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- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- World War, 1939-1945
- Nuclear weapons -- Testing
- Helldorado Parade (Las Vegas, Nev.)
- Nursing
- Hospitals