



Guide to the Bill (William) Hinson oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Abstract:	Oral history interview with Bill (William) Hinson conducted by Connie Dewees on February 21, 1971 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. Hinson lists the addresses of where he has lived in Las Vegas, Nevada and briefly discusses his two marriages. He then goes on to discuss Block 16 Red-Light District, Helldorado, Boulder Club, and environmental changes. The interview concludes with Hinson explaining different pranks and jokes that he and his friends used to play when he was younger.

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Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)

- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Helldorado Parade (Las Vegas, Nev.)
- Prostitution
- Boulder Club (Las Vegas, Nev.)