

Guide to the Helen Manix oral history interview

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
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Abstract:	Oral history interview with Helen Manix conducted by Sherry O'Neil on October 25, 1972 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. In this interview Helen Manix shares her experiences in Boulder City, Nevada as the owner of the first department store. Manix discusses the construction of Boulder (Hoover) Dam and the growth of Las Vegas, Nevada as gambling became legal.

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Administrative Information

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- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Boulder City (Nev.)
- Dam construction -- Nevada -- Boulder City -- 1930-1940

• Hoover Dam (Ariz. and Nev.)