

Guide to the Peter Fabbi oral history interview

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Summary Information

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

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Creator: Fabbi, Pete

Contributor: Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project

Title: Peter Fabbi oral history interview

ID: OH-02494

Date: approximately 1974

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Description:

Language of the English

Material:

Abstract: Oral history interview with Peter Fabbi conducted by unnamed

interviewer in approximately 1974 for the Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project. In this interview, Fabbi shares that he was born and raised in Carrara, Italy and immigrated to the United States in 1896. After working as a stone cutter in New York and Connecticut, he moved to Tonopah, Nevada. He eventually became the manager of the Merchant's Hotel in Tonopah before opening a bakery in that city. Fabbi speaks at length on a variety of subjects, including stories about his businesses, the Great Depression, politics, fraternal organizations, and his family and

friends.

Preferred Citation

Peter Fabbi oral history interview, approximately 1974. OH-02494. [Cite format consulted: Audio recording or Transcript.] Oral History Research Center, Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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Scope and Contents Note

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Fabbi speaks at length on a variety of subjects, including stories about his businesses, the Great Depression, politics, fraternal organizations, and his family and friends. Digital audio available; no transcript available.

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Administrative Information

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Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Tonopah (Nev.)

- Depressions -- 1929
- Emigration and immigration

Physical Characteristics

Shares tape and digitized version as C.E. Hansley (OH-00786). Fabbi's interview begins at 18:20 minutes. Portions of the interview are difficult to understand due to the interviewee's accent and age.

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