



Guide to the Abe Schiller oral history interview

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Summary Information

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| Abstract: | Oral history interview with Abe Schiller conducted by Perry Kaufman on April 25, 1972 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. In this interview, Schiller discusses the history of the Las Vegas Strip. He also discusses his career as the head of publicity for the Flamingo Las Vegas. Lastly, Schiller discusses working with various stars and entertainers in order to draw business to the hotel. |

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Scope and Contents Note

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Processing Note

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- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Hotels -- Employees
- Flamingo Hotel & Casino (Las Vegas, Nev.)