
Guide to the Southern California Journalism Oral History Project Collection

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Date (inclusive): 1949-2011

Date (bulk): 1978-1986

Abstract: The Southern California Journalism Oral History Collection began in the mid-1970s at CSUN as an effort to obtain and preserve the day-to-day experiences of working journalists, particularly people who were not likely to write books about, or maintain extensive diaries or other records of their careers.

Language of Material: English

Historical Note:

The library created this collection of materials for study and research.

Scope and Contents

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The collection is divided into three series: **Audio Recordings** (1978-1986), **Transcripts** (2011), and **Photographs** (1949-1977).

Series I, **Audio Recordings**, is divided into two subseries: **Digital Files** (1978-1986), and **Audiocassettes**.

Series II, **Transcripts**, consists of typed transcripts of every interview, with some folders containing related news articles as well.

Series III, **Photographs**, consists of photographs taken by two interviewees, and is divided by photographer into two subseries, **Ralph Samuels** (1960-circa 1969) and **David F. Smith** (1949-1977).

Arrangement of Materials:

Series I: Audio Recordings, 1978-1986

Subseries A: Digital Files, 1978-1986

Subseries B: Audiocassettes

Series II: Transcripts, 2011

Series III: Photographs, 1949-1977

Subseries A: Ralph Samuels, 1960-ca.1969

Subseries B: David F. Smith, 1949-1977

Electronic Format:

Digital reproductions of selected items in this collection are available electronically as a part of the [San Fernando Valley History Digital Library](#) .

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Processing Information:

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Subjects and Indexing Terms

Series I: Audio Recordings, 1978-1986

Subseries A: Digital Files, 1978-1986

Digital Folder	Atwood, Brand, 1984 October 14
Digital Folder	Bane, Don, 1978 May 5
Digital Folder	Banks, Adelyn, 1978 October 19
Digital Folder	Barber, Carter, 1981 March 12-13
Digital Folder	Beck, Roger, 1984 October 10
Digital Folder	Beebe, Bill, 1984 November 29
Digital Folder	Bergholtz, Richard, 1984 October 31
Digital Folder	Bickmore, Nadine Mason, 1978 May 5
Digital Folder	Boynoff, Sara, 1979 March 27
Digital Folder	Brown, Cecil B., 1980 October 9
Digital Folder	Burk, Margaret Tante, 1981 February 28
Digital Folder	Chappelle, Charles, 1978 May 9
Digital Folder	Chappelle, Charles and Phil Garrison
Digital Folder	Clarke, Cyril J. (Jack), 1980 December 10
Digital Folder	Clarke, Lois Thrasher, 1980 December 10
Digital Folder	Coonradt, Frederic, 1979 April 30
Digital Folder	Corneal, George, 1983 October 1
Digital Folder	Crago, William, 1983 October 8
Digital Folder	Dare, Kenneth, 1981 October 21
Digital Folder	Dektar, Cliff, 1984 November 28
Digital Folder	Fowler, Larry, 1978 April 10
Digital Folder	Fox, Jack, 1980 March 14
Digital Folder	Garrison, Phil, 1980 May 14
Digital Folder	Gripenwalt, Raoul, 1978 May 10-11
Digital Folder	Gunderson, Judd, 1981 December 15
Digital Folder	Haas, Lou, 1980 February 27
Digital Folder	Haverlin, Carl, 1978 May 18
Digital Folder	Hendrickson, Joe
Digital Folder	Hereford, Peggy G., 1982 April 16
Digital Folder	Hermann, Cleve, 1979 October 1
Digital Folder	Hill, Gladwin, 1983 December 12
Digital Folder	Hubenthal, Karl, 1982 December 8
Digital Folder	Jenkins, Essex, 1979 December 15
Digital Folder	Kahn, Alex, 1984 January 31
Digital Folder	Keropian, Haig, 1981 June 8
Digital Folder	Koken, Pete, 1981
Digital Folder	Krauch, Herb
Digital Folder	Larson, Louise Lelung, 1983 November 29
Digital Folder	Lintner, James, 1978 April 29
Digital Folder	Louie, Edwin C., 1984 December 3
Digital Folder	Mendenhall, Ferdinand, September 1979
Digital Folder	Miles, Marvin, 1982 October 20
Digital Folder	Nazarian, Charles R., 1983 November 18
Digital Folder	Newhall, Scott, 1984 October 9
Digital Folder	Osborne, Henry Durant (Hank), 1981 October 27-1982 March 5
Digital Folder	Partch, Virgil, 1983 December 22
Digital Folder	Ring, Frances, 1986 October 15

Digital Folder	Roberts, Clete, 1983 October 7
Digital Folder	Rothman, Marcella (Marcie) Elias, 1978 May 7
Digital Folder	Samuels, Ralph
Digital Folder	Scott, Durwood, 1981 May 15
Digital Folder	Shafer, Bob, 1981
Digital Folder	Sharkey, Larry, 1979 March 7
Digital Folder	Smith, David (Migue) F., 1982 April 30
Digital Folder	Smith, Jack, 1979 October 31
Digital Folder	Smith, Roy D., 1979 March 21
Digital Folder	Stout, Bill, 1980 April 3
Digital Folder	Straszer, George (Mike), 1984 November 18
Digital Folder	Swenson, Carl, 1981 December 9
Digital Folder	Thorne, Will, March 1980
Digital Folder	Timmer, Jack, 1979 May 15
Digital Folder	Turpin, Dick, 1980 April 10
Digital Folder	Vlach, Florence
Digital Folder	Weaver, John D., 1986 November 11
Digital Folder	Weeks, Paul, 1979 October 5
Digital Folder	Welsh, Bill, 1981 April 28
Digital Folder	Williams, Howard, 1980 December 4
Digital Folder	Williams, Nick B., 1982 March 12
Digital Folder	Work, Telford, 1981 April 5
Digital Folder	Zimmerman, Paul B., August 1982

Subseries B: Audiocassettes

Box 1, Item 1	Underwood, Agness M. Series II: Transcripts, 2011
Box 2, Item 1	Atwood, Brand
Box 2, Item 2	Bane, Don
Box 2, Item 3	Banks, Adelyn
Box 2, Item 4	Barber, Carter
Box 2, Item 5	Beck, Roger
Box 2, Item 6	Beebe, Bill
Box 2, Item 7	Bergholtz, Richard
Box 2, Item 8	Bickmore, Nadine Mason
Box 2, Item 9	Boynoff, Sara
Box 2, Item 10	Brown, Cecil B.
Box 2, Item 11	Burk, Margaret Tante
Box 2, Item 12	Chappelle, Charles
Box 2, Item 13	Chappelle, Charles and Phil Garrison
Box 2, Item 14	Clarke, Cyril J. (Jack)
Box 2, Item 15	Clarke, Lois Thrasher
Box 2, Item 16	Coonradt, Frederic
Box 2, Item 17	Corneal, George
Box 2, Item 18	Crago, William
Box 2, Item 19	Dare, Kenneth
Box 2, Item 20	Dektar, Cliff
Box 2, Item 21	Fowler, Larry
Box 2, Item 22	Fox, Jack
Box 2, Item 23	Garrison, Phil
Box 2, Item 24	Gripenwalt, Raoul
Box 2, Item 25	Gunderson, Judd
Box 2, Item 26	Haas, Lou
Box 2, Item 27	Haverlin, Carl
Box 2, Item 28	Hendrickson, Joe
Box 3, Item 1	Hereford, Peggy G.

Box 3, Item 2	Hermann, Cleve
Box 3, Item 3	Hill, Gladwin
Box 3, Item 4	Hubenthal, Karl
Box 3, Item 5	Jenkins, Essex
Box 3, Item 6	Kahn, Alex
Box 3, Item 7	Keropian, Haig
Box 3, Item 8	Koken, Pete
Box 3, Item 9	Krauch, Herb
Box 3, Item 10	Larson, Louise Lelung
Box 3, Item 11	Lev, Yehuda
Box 3, Item 12	Linter, James
Box 3, Item 13	Louie, Edwin C.
Box 3, Item 14	Mendenhall, Ferdinand
Box 3, Item 15	Miles, Marvin
Box 3, Item 16	Nazarian, Charles R.
Box 3, Item 17	Newhall, Scott
Box 3, Item 18	Osborne, Henry Durant (Hank)
Box 3, Item 19	Osborne, Henry Durant (Hank)
Box 3, Item 20	Partch, Virgil
Box 3, Item 21	Ring, Frances
Box 3, Item 22	Roberts, Clete
Box 3, Item 23	Rothman, Marcella (Marcie) Elias
Box 3, Item 24	Samuels, Ralph
Box 4, Item 1	Scott, Durwood
Box 4, Item 2	Shafer, Robert
Box 4, Item 3	Sharkey, Irene Raddon
Box 4, Item 4	Sharkey, Larry
Box 4, Item 5	Smith, David (Mique) F.
Box 4, Item 6	Smith, Jack
Box 4, Item 7	Smith, Roy D.
Box 4, Item 8	Stout, Bill
Box 4, Item 9	Straszer, George (Mike)
Box 4, Item 10	Swenson, Carl
Box 4, Item 11	Thorne, Will
Box 4, Item 12	Timmer, Jack
Box 4, Item 13	Turpin, Dick
Box 4, Item 14	Underwood, Agness M.
Box 4, Item 15	Vlach, Florence
Box 4, Item 16	Weaver, John D.
Box 4, Item 17	Weeks, Paul
Box 4, Item 18	Welsh, Bill
Box 4, Item 19	Williams, Howard
Box 4, Item 20	Williams, Nick B.
Box 4, Item 21	Work, Telford
Box 4, Item 22	Zimmerman, Paul B.

Series III: Photographs, 1949-1977

Subseries A: Ralph Samuels, 1960-ca. 1969

Box 5, Folder 1	Alaska - Earthquake, 1964
Box 5, Folder 2	Democratic National Convention, 1960
Box 5, Folder 3	Education
Box 5, Folder 4	Los Angeles Zoo Opening, 1966
Box 5, Folder 5	Presidential Campaign, 1960
Box 5, Folder 6	Victory Boulevard - Sandblasting
Box 5, Folder 7	Vietnam Protest

Box 5, Folder 8
Box 5, Folder 9
Box 5, Folder 10

Box 5, Folder 11
Box 5, Folder 12
Box 5, Folder 13
Box 5, Folder 14
Box 5, Folder 15

Atomic Bomb Testing, 1953
Celebrities, 1949-1977
F49 Lockheed Starfire Test Aircraft, 1950-ca. 1959
Jayne Mansfield and Family, 1959-1966
Movie Sets, 1959-1966
Political Figures, 1968-1976
Space Shuttle Enterprise - Test Flights, 1976
Sports, 1975