

United States Congress Senate Historical Office, Oral History Interviews

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Collection Summary

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Abstract: Transcripts of oral history interviews conducted by the Senate Historical Office with members and employees of the United States Senate.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

People

Attig, Francis J. Francis J. Attig oral history interview.

Baker, Richard A. Richard A. Baker oral history interviews. 1976-1996.

Ballard, Leonard H. Leonard H. Ballard oral history interview.

Caldwell, Charles Sargent, 1932- Charles Sargent Caldwell oral history interview.

Casey, Gregory S., 1953- Gregory S. Casey oral history interview.

Detwiler, Donald J. Donald J. Detwiler oral history interview.

Elson, Roy L., 1930- Roy L. Elson oral history interview.

Ensley, Grover W. (Grover William) Grover W. Ensley oral history interview.

Gold, Martin, 1947- Martin Gold oral history interview.

Hallen, Brian, 1939- Brian Hallen oral history interview.

Hildenbrand, William F. William F. Hildenbrand oral history interview.

Hoffmann, Frank Nordy. Frank Nordy Hoffmann oral history interview.

Holt, Pat M. Pat M. Holt oral history interview.

Little, J. Franklin. J. Franklin Little oral history interview.

Marcy, Carl Milton, 1913- Carl Milton Marcy oral history interview.

McClure, Stewart E. Stewart E. McClure oral history interview.

McCreary, Christine S., 1926- Christine S. McCreary oral history interview.

McGhee, Roy L. Roy L. McGhee oral history interview.

Nichols, Jesse R., 1909- Jesse R. Nichols oral history interview.

Peek, Scott I. Scott I. Peek oral history interview.

Reid, Warren Featherstone. Warren Featherstone Reid oral history interview.

Riddick, Floyd Millard, 1908- Floyd Millard Riddick oral history interview.

Ridgely, William A. William A. Ridgely oral history interview.

Ritchie, Donald A., 1945- Donald A. Ritchie oral history interviews. 1976-1996.

Scott, Dorothea G., 1921- Dorothea G. Scott oral history interview.

Shuman, Howard E. Howard E. Shuman oral history interview.

Smathers, George A. (George Armistead), 1913-2007. George A. Smathers oral history interview.

St. Claire, Darrell. Darrell St. Claire oral history interview.

Tames, George, 1919- George Tames oral history interview.

Valeo, Francis R. (Francis Ralph), 1916-2006. Francis R. Valeo oral history interview.

Vander Zee, Rein J., 1928- Rein J. Vander Zee oral history interview.

Vastine, John Robert. John Robert Vastine oral history interview.

Verkler, Jerry T., 1932- Jerry T. Verkler oral history interview.

Watt, Ruth Young. Ruth Young Watt oral history interview.

Wilcox, Francis O. (Francis Orlando), 1908-1985. Francis O. Wilcox oral history interview.

Organizations

United States. Congress. Senate--Interviews.

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United States. Congress. Senate. Historical Office.

Administrative Information

Provenance

The transcripts of oral history interviews conducted by the Senate Historical Office of the United States Congress were transferred to the Library of Congress by the Senate Historical Office from 1979 to 2004.

Processing History

The Senate Historical Office Oral History Interviews were originally processed and described in 1984. Additional material was incorporated into the collection between 1985 and 2004.

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Scope and Content Note

The transcripts of oral history interviews conducted by the Senate Historical Office of the United States Congress span the years 1976-2003. The collection includes interviews with members and employees of the United States Senate by Richard A. Baker, director, and Donald A. Ritchie, associate historian, of the Senate Historical Office. Contained in these interviews are eyewitness accounts of significant events and people in the history of the United States Senate in the twentieth century.

Arrangement of the Papers

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