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Content Note

Audiotaped interviews conducted for Jim Sherow's master's thesis in history from Wichita State University comprise this collection. The interviews relate the history of Langdon, a small Kansas town that peaked in 1912 and declined between 1920 and 1950. Representing only a fraction of those conducted for the 1978 thesis, *Langdon, Kansas: The Aging of a Rural Town*, the three interviews in this collection provide a feeling for the life and times in Langdon from the late 1800s to the 1970s.

Box and Folder Listing

Box 1 FF 1 Audiotapes (2) of an interview with Harlow Brown in Hutchinson, Kansas,

7-25-1977. The interview concerns the history of Langdon, Kansas, in

the early 20th century.

Box 1 FF 2 Audiotape of an interview with Lucille Dunn in Langdon, Kansas,

7-28-1977. The interview includes second-hand accounts of Langdon

history and events between 1885 and the early 20th century.

Box 1 FF 3 Audiotapes (2) of an interview with Ethel Miller in Langdon, Kansas, 7-5-1977. The interview includes accounts and stories of early Langdon history back to 1856 and also about early settlers of the area.

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