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INTRODUCTION

The collection contains proposals, correspondence, transcripts, and photographs from 1968 regarding the *Look Up and Live* special television program "We Will Speak, Who Will Answer," which was an eight-part miniseries produced by CBS Broadcasting Company. The series focused on the ways in which various cities were attempting to solve such problems as race relations, housing, education, and unemployment. Each episode of the series was filmed in a single city that exemplified efforts to solve these social problems. The first episode was filmed in Kansas City, Missouri, at the KCMO Channel 5 news station with Harold Grove (whose stage name was Harold Mack) as the host.

The collection also contains 20 16mm reels dating from 1960 to 1976 in which Harold Grove served as the broadcaster or host at various events, interviews, and special occasions around the Kansas City, Missouri, area and various other locations in the United States for the KCMO Channel 5 news station in Kansas City, Missouri.

DONOR INFORMATION

The collection was donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Harold MacGregor Grove on October 3, 1995 (Accession No. KA0874).

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Harold MacGregor "Mack" Grove was born in Chicago, Illinois, on November 6, 1924, to Fred H. and Agnes Grove. He married Jewell Loyse Arnold in Kansas City, Missouri, on November 26, 1949.

Harold Grove began his news career sometime between 1948 and 1950 when he started working for the KCMO Channel 5 news station, an affiliate of the CBS Broadcasting Company, as a news broadcaster. On August 3, 1954, he covered the primary elections in Kansas City, Missouri. In 1968, he hosted CBS' first episode of an eight-part miniseries "We Will Speak, Who Will Answer," for the *Look Up and Live* television show that was filmed in Kansas City, Missouri. By June 1971, Harold Grove was released from the KCMO Channel 5 news station where he had been the news

director for nearly 10 years and a member of the news staff for nearly 23 years, over unspecified policy matters.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The collection consist of proposals, correspondence, transcripts, and photographs from 1968, regarding *Look Up and Live*'s first episode of an eight-part series television special entitled, "We Will Speak, Who Will Answer." The collection also contains 20 16mm film reels dating from 1960 to 1976 in which Harold Grove served as the commentator or host at various events, interviews, and special occasions around the Kansas City, Missouri area and at various locations across the United States for the KCMO Channel 5 news station.

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INVENTORY

Box 001

- f. 1 Program proposal, 1968
- f. 2 Correspondence, 1968
- f. 3 Program transcript, 1968
- f. 4 Photograph, n.d.

BOX 002

- Reel 1 H. Mack at Olathe, N.A.S., Oct. 1960
- Reel 2 Chrysler V. P. interview, SOF Mack, August 20, 1962
- Reel 3 Chrysler, 1963
- Reel 4 Mack and L. P. Cookingham, January 4, 1963
- Reel 5 Rockitvast, National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Tourney, March 11, 1964
- Reel 6 Dixieland Feature, April 24, 1964
- Reel 7 Last Day of School, June 3, 1964
- Reel 8 Whiteman AFB, June 30, 1964
- Reel 9 Chrysler Turbine Car Interview, July 1, 1964
- Reel 10 Boyle in Kansas City, April 21, 1965
- Reel 11 Barefoot Sanders, April 2, 1965
- Reel 12 Air Force tour to Aerospace Defense Command Headquarters, Colorado, March 16, 1965
- Reel 13 F-8 Jet arrives at Olathe, Naval Air Station, June 10, 1965
- Reel 14 Riverside flood, Mack SOF, July 20, 1965
- Reel 15 News directors conference from 14 states, June 8, 1968

Reel 16 W. P. Gullander, National Association of Manufacturers President,
 News panel, October 12, 1970
Reel 17 United Campaign, October 20, 1970
Reel 18 Lehn and Maguire Debate, October 22, 1970
Reel 19 Wheeler and Brookfield Pottery, March 5, 1971
Reel 20 Sister Cities, March 1, 1976

SUBJECTS TERMS

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