

**PRELIMINARY INVENTORY  
ACCESSION CA2725  
ROBERT M. WHITE II PAPERS**

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**Dates:** 1950s-1980s

**Creator:** White, Robert M., II, 1915-2008

**Collection Size:** 77 cubic feet

**Introduction**

Correspondence, speeches, China trip materials, budgets, *New York Herald* information, and miscellany of owner of the *Mexico Ledger*, Mexico, Missouri.

**Donor Information**

The papers were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Robert M. White II on 8 May 1989.

**Scope and Content Note**

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