

**PRELIMINARY INVENTORY  
ACCESSION CA6378  
WILLIAM DUFF COLLECTION**

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**Dates:** c. 1968-1970

**Creator:** Duff, William, collector

**Collection Size:** 17 audio tapes

**Introduction**

Audio tapes largely consisting of oral history interviews concerning the last hanging in Texas County and bootlegging. Also includes songs of Nancy Pittman.

**Donor Information**

The collection was donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Michael Duff.

**Audio List**

- a.t. 1 Jodie Hamilton
- a.t. 2 Paris Lampert
- a.t. 3 News – Political returns, Houston, Missouri, Courthouse, August 4, 1970
- a.t. 4 Interview with John Jordan, A.P. Johnson, Mr. Scott (Baptist minister at Raymondville), and Andy Lee Johnson at Raymondville, Missouri, August 17, 1968
- a.t. 5 Pittman/Jodie Hamilton music, August 18, 1968
- a.t. 6 My Homes in Texas County; Blind Rafter; Piney River; Lonesome Valley
- a.t. 7 JLH – Accounts from the Texas County *Star*
- a.t. 8 John and Lennie Bishop at their home, August 19, 1968; Mr. Ed Bates; Mrs. Rosie Ritz and husband
- a.t. 9 Mercy; Paris Lampert, August 19, 1968
- a.t. 10 Mosey Osborne (banjo and fiddle player)
- a.t. 11 Mrs. Julia Parker on her front porch in Houston, Missouri, August 19, 1968 (talking about the Civil War and the Jodie Hamilton case and reading from the book *Out of the Past* by her daughter)
- a.t. 12 J. Jordan; Mrs. Pittman's songs
- a.t. 13 Election; Charles McKinney; Lennie and John Bishop
- a.t. 14 Side 1 – Mr. Harvey McCoy (moonshiner); Side 2 – Henry Barton (coyote hunter)
- a.t. 15-17 Unidentified