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#### MS285

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# **Biography**

Yvonne Entyre Greear (1921 - April 11, 1993) was the assistant university librarian for public services at UTEP for many years. A graduate of the University of Texas at Austin, Greear received her BFA in radio broadcasting in 1948 and her MLS in 1962. During her 30-year career at UTEP, she worked as a secretary, reference librarian, and department head of reference services. In 1971, she became the assistant director for public services at the UTEP Library. Greear retired from UTEP in 1988. In addition to her library work, she wrote an article about explorer John Claude White for the March 1972 issue of *NOVA* (UTEP's magazine). She was also interested in onomastics.

She had two daughters and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

[Source: *NOVA*, March 1972; *NOVA*, Summer 1993; <u>https://crln.acrl.org/index.php/crlnews/article/view/20482/24866</u>, accessed August 10, 2020]

## **Series Description or Arrangement**

Materials were left in the order found by archivist.

## **Scope and Content Note**

The Yvonne Greear papers date 1967 – 1974. Types of records include correspondence, photographs, and topical files. The papers relate to Greear's research about explorer John Claude White and onomastics.

## **Provenance Statement**

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# Restrictions

None.

## **Literary Rights Statement**

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## Notes to the Researcher

See also:

Lurline H. Coltharp papers, MS408

Dale Walker papers, MS297

UTEP Library records, MS270

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# **Container List**

Box #	Folder #	Title	Date
1	1	John Claude White: YEG Correspondence with JCW relatives	
1	2	White, J. Claude: Letters from Maj. H.J.M. Hyssop	
1	3	White, J. Claude: Letters from Miss Patricia Ranken	
1	4	White, J. Claude: Ancestors & Descendants	
1	5	White, J. Claude: Notes	
1	6	White: John Claude: Letters to India & England re: JCW	
1	7	White, J. Claude: Articles by	
1	8	Sophie White Letters w/ notation "This file goes with John Claude White material (the file containing info on U.T.E.P. architecture. <i>National Geographic</i> April, 1914 & article in <i>NOVA</i> by Yvonne E. Greear on J.C.W.")	
1	9	Transcript – Interview with Richard O. Wright	
1	10	Yvonne Greear (contents of envelope labeled as such)	
1	11	Greear	
1	12	Research	
1	13	Correspondence and articles	
2	1	Photos fore-edge painted books	
2	2	Original Directory List	1967
2	3	Directory List	1968
2	4	Onomastics	
2	5	Street Names of El Paso D.J. Eberle Dr. Lurline Coltharp Onomastics	
2	6	Onomastics Street Names	
2	7	Onomastics Street Names	
2	8	Onomastics Street Names	
2	9	Onomastics Street Names	
2	10	Onomastics Street Names	
2	11	Onomastics Street Names	
2	12	Onomastics Street Names	
3	1	Onomastics	

3	2	Onomastics	
3	3	(contents of envelope from The Abilene	Postmarked
		Reporter-News)	June 21, 1972
3	4	(copy of TX street name paper)	June 23, 1972
3	5	Houston, Texas—Street Names A-B	
3	6	Greenville, Texas - Street Names	
3	7	South-Central Names Institute 5 <sup>th</sup>	June 13-14,
		Commerce, Texas, Mrs. Yvonne Etnyre	1974
		Greear	
3	8	Yvonne E. Greear, Asst. Univ. Librarian	June 22-23,
		U.T. El Paso/3d Annual South-Central	1972
		Names Institute	
4	1	Onomastics Street Names	
4	2	Abilene Street Names (1 of 2)	
4	3	Abilene Street Names (2 of 2)	
4	4	South Central Names Institute Publication 2,	
		Love and Wrestling, Butch and O.K. (book)	
4	5	South Central Names Institute Publication 3,	
		They Had to Call it Something (book)	
4	6	Laredo Streets	
4	7	Pictures for slide presentation	
4	8	National Placename Survey	
		New Mexico	