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DONOR INFORMATION
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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE
The collection consists of research papers on the history of the Greater Kansas City area written by graduate students and local historians in response to a prize offered by the Native Sons and Daughters of Greater Kansas City. “As I Remember,” a memoir by Washington Henry Chick, was compiled from notes by Chick during his retirement from 1901-1918 and notes by his wife; these were combined and edited by William Winship Chick. The papers are arranged in chronologically by date.

PREFERRED CITATION
Specific item; box number; folder number; Missouri Valley Series Papers (K0241); The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Kansas City [after first mention may be abbreviated to SHSMO-KC].

INVENTORY
f. 1 “Quality Hill: The History of a Neighborhood,” by Clifford Naysmith, 1962
f. 2 “Slaveholding in Jackson County, Missouri,” by Lyle Wesley Dorsett, 3/1962
f. 3  “Willard E. Winner: Case History of an Unsuccessful Promoter, His Times, and His Influence,” by Katherine Goldsmith, 3/1963
f. 4  “Rebuilding Convention Hall: An Episode in the Life of a City,” by Edwin White, 5/1963
f. 5  “As I Remember, by Washington Henry Chick and edited by William Winship Chick, 1965

LOCATION NOTE
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