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INTERVIEWEE: Herbert Porras, Jr. (1930-)
INTERVIEWER: Wilma Cleveland
PROJECT: _____
DATE OF INTERVIEW: August 31, 1968
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BIOGRAPHICAL SYNOPSIS OF INTERVIEWEE:

(El Paso Attorney) Born in El Paso on August 12, 1930; attended Houston Elementary and Austin High schools in El Paso; holds a B. A. degree in Economics; received law degree from the University of Texas at Austin.

SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW:

Biography; childhood recollections of cultural differences in the 1930's; lack of job opportunities for Chicanos in El Paso; increasing political awareness of Spanish speaking people; role of LULAC in the Chicano community.

1 hour (15/16 tape speed)