

Title: Shelton, James P. Collection

Reference Code: Mss-2695

Inclusive Dates: 1861

Quantity: 000.03 cu. ft.

Location: Sm Mss

Scope and Content: The collection includes Circuit Court Criminal records pertaining to the case against James Shelton and George M. Clark, both of whom were African-Americans. Shelton was charged with 2nd degree murder and Clark with being an accessory. Clark was lynched by a mob. Records include subpoenas, jury lists and Grand Jury testimony.

Access and Use: No restrictions

Language: English