



Attie Zelpha Mitchell Shanks Genealogy Collection (R0061)

Collection Number: R0061

Collection Title: Attie Zelpha Mitchell Shanks Genealogy Collection

Dates: 1890-1960

Creator: Shanks, Attie Zelpha Mitchell, 1878-1969

Abstract: The Attie Zelpha Mitchell Shanks Genealogy Collection contains a photocopy of genealogical materials for southeastern Missouri compiled by Attie Shanks. The records cover the 'Upper Hog Creek' area of eastern Bollinger and western Cape Girardeau counties.

Collection Size: 0.03 cubic foot
(3 folders)

Language: Collection materials are in English.

Repository: The State Historical Society of Missouri

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Donor Information: The collection were loaned for photocopying to the University of Missouri by Norma Crites on May 21, 1981 (Accession No. RA0071).

Processed by: Processed by John F. Bradbury, September 29, 1992. Revised by Kathleen Seale, March 31, 2020.

Biographical Note:

Attie Zelfha Mitchell Shanks was born on January 13, 1878 in Missouri to Anderson and Mary Mitchell. She began clipping newspaper notes and collecting verbal information for her scrapbooks around 1890, beginning a life-long hobby of genealogy. She died on June 2, 1969 in Calgary, Canada.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged in its original order in three folders.

Scope and Content Note:

The collection contains a photocopy of genealogical materials for southeastern Missouri compiled by Attie Shanks. The records cover the 'Upper Hog Creek' area of eastern Bollinger and western Cape Girardeau Counties. The original notebook of this collection was nearly 390 pages and copies were made of the original. This photocopy of the records is only a partial copy ending at page 334 of the original. The papers include a partial index, notes by Mrs. Odis Eaker and foreword by Attie Shanks.

Container List:

Box 001 f. 1-3 Genealogical notebook, 1890-1960

Index:

Index Term	Folder
Davis family	f. 1-3
Eakers family	f. 1-3
Mitchel family	f. 1-3
Shanks family	f. 1-3
Shanks, Attie Zelfha Mitchell, 1878-1969	f. 1-3