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MS 728
Shibell Family
Papers, 1887-1945

DESCRIPTION

Biographical materials and documents from the Shibell family in Tucson. Includes family
genealogy, wedding and funeral announcements, a scrapbook, and small amount of family
correspondence. The scrapbook was put together by Mercedes Shibbell Gould and
particularly documents a 50-year University of Arizona class reunion. Of particular interest is
one ledger kept by Charles Shibbell from 1887 to 1890 which includes grand jury trials,
accounts and records of bonds.

1 Box, .25 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Mercedes Shibell Gould donated the collection of family materials. Mercedes was the
daughter of Charles Shibell, early-day sheriff of Pima County. She was one of the first
graduates of the University of Arizona. She was widowed twice as a young woman; first by
Harry M. Greene and then by Dr. Alexander Gould. She was a member of the board of the
Arizona Pioneers’ Historical Society for many years and was active with the YWCA.

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