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005 Small Manuscript Collection
006 Curtis Washington Jacobs Papers
140 Plot Book
200 1859
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261 Surveys of land owned by Jacobs and his son, Edward, in Baltimore and Dagsboro Hundreds, Sussex County, Delaware, Worcester County, Maryland, and Pamlico County, North Carolina.
270 The Plot Book (1859-1888) contains fourteen water-colored surveys and title searches. The surveys show the name of surveyor, date of survey, tract name, property boundaries, and landmarks such as streams, roads, buildings, mill ponds, and the state boundary line. For each survey a chain of title was written by Jacobs. Some of the land is in the Cypress Swamp or on the state line of Delaware and Maryland. A number of loose manuscripts were removed from the book. These include additional plots (1872, 1900, 1911); property records (1872-1877) including property descriptions with dates patented and courses, property lists with acreage, and purchase and improvement costs; and documents relating to disputed tax assessments of Jacobs' property in Baltimore Hundred. The tax dispute documents (ca. 1880) are lists of his property with amount of acreage and/or tax assessments for each.
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 for security
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 destroy original
 other:
330 Plot Book arranged numerically by plot number. Loose documents arranged in alphabetical order by folder heading.
331 No index.
332 Handwritten, typed.
350 1 35MM roll
360 Fair condition. Acid, dirt damage. Most of spine gone.
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