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Summary Information

Repository: Raymond H. Fogler Library Special Collections
Title: Logs of Fishing Boats from Kennebunk, Wells, and Cape Porpoise
ID: SpC MS 1769
Date [inclusive]: 1854-1860
Physical Description: 10 Volumes
Language of the Material: English
Abstract: Ten logs of cod fishing boats from Kennebunk, Wells, and Cape Porpoise, 1854-1860. Includes information on the weather, location, and fish caught as well as information on the captain, home port, and dates.

Preferred Citation

Logs of Fishing Boats from Kennebunk, Wells, and Cape Porpoise, SpC MS 1769, [Box No.], [Folder No.], Raymond H. Fogler Library Special Collections Department, University of Maine, Orono, Maine

Scope and Contents

Pre-printed books of about 50 pages. Each contains the printed "Extracts from circular instructions of the Treasury Department, to certain collectors of the customs relative to fishing bounty allowances..." as well as the "Oath of Master" attesting to the accuracy of the log of that boat's cod fishing activities. Also information on captain, home port, and dates. The logs themselves consist of brief daily entries giving information on weather, location, and fish caught. Logs are for the "Java" Kennebunk, 1854; "Anne Maria" Wells, 1856; "Rosco" Kennebunk, 1857; "Snow Squall" Cape Porpoise, 1859 and 1860; "Romp" Kennebunk, 1858; and "Swan" Cape Porpoise, 1860.
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- Atlantic cod fishing
- Ships' logs
- Kennebunk (Me.)
- Wells (Me.)
- Cape Porpoise (Me.)

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