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## Steamship Ivanhoe Freight Books MS-624

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Michigan Technological University Archives and Copper Country Historical Collections
<b>Title:</b>	Steamship Ivanhoe Freight Books
<b>ID:</b>	MS-624
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1878-1881
<b>Physical Description:</b>	1 Cubic Feet ; 2 bound volumes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .
<b>Mixed Materials [box]:</b>	1-2
<b>Abstract:</b>	Freight books, 1878-1881, of the steamship IVANHOE. The mail steamer ran between L'Anse and Hancock, Michigan with mail, passengers and express freight. Details the consignor, consignee, description, and weight for freight carried.

### Preferred Citation

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## Biography

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The steamship IVANHOE was built in 1869 by David Bell's Steam Engine Works in Buffalo, New York for himself. He ran it as an excursion boat out of Buffalo for several years before selling the steamer to the Hoar Brothers of Houghton, Michigan. The IVANHOE was run as a mail steamer between L'Anse and Hancock six days a week, and carried the mail, passengers and express material.

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Ledgers (Account books)
- Hancock (Mich.)
- Volumes (Documents by form)
- Passenger ships -- Michigan -- Superior, Lake

- Shipping -- Great Lakes (North America)
- L'Anse (Mich.)
- Mail steamers -- Michigan -- Superior, Lake
- Steamboats -- Michigan -- Superior, Lake