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Summary Information

Repository: Michigan Technological University Archives and Copper Country Historical Collections
Title: Steamship Ivanhoe Freight Books
ID: MS-624
Date [inclusive]: 1878-1881
Physical Description: 1 Cubic Feet; 2 bound volumes
Language of the Material: English.
Mixed Materials [box]: 1-2
Abstract: 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.

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Biography

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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