

Logbook of Ship Marilla

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Summary Information:

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Biographical/Historical Information:

The Ship Marilla was built in 1848 in Bowdoinham, Maine by St. Vincent Given. Ship Master was William Henry Robinson, son of Thomas and Mary Robinson of Pittston, Maine. Researching.

Scope and Contents:

Log of a voyage of Ship Marilla from Newport to Madras, to Akyab, Burma. Entries begin 7 Sep 1855 and end 8 Feb 1856. One entry dated 16 Oct 1856 with no indication of destination, but entries for 31 Oct through 20 Nov 1856 indicate that the ship was "laying in the port of Queenstown." Entries include course, longitude and latitude, weather, condition of seas, work being undertaken and occasional reference to crew members.

Arrangement:

Chronological