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Guide to the

Noah Scovel papers

1788-1817

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Summary

Creator: Scovel, Noah, 1759-1821

Title: Noah Scovel papers

Date: 1788-1817

Size: .25 linear feet (1 box)

Abstract: Noah Scovel (1759-1821) and his son Noah Scovel, Jr. (b. 1781), were merchants of Saybrook, Connecticut, and New York City. Noah Scovel's papers include letters, accounts, receipts, invoices, sailing orders to Captain Isaiah Pratt of the brig "Peggy," and lists of prices of goods relative to the trade with England, France, Barbados, British Guyana, and Cuba. His son's papers include letters and papers relating to the New-York Dry Dock Company, of which he was a founder

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Key Terms

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Accounts

Geographic Names

Barbados -- Commerce -- United States

Cuba -- Commerce -- United States

England -- Commerce -- United States

France -- Commerce -- United States

Guyana -- Commerce -- United States

West Indies -- Commerce -- United States

Subjects

Merchants -- Connecticut
Merchants -- New York (State) -- New York
Shipping -- United States -- 19th century

Names

Scovel, Noah, 1759-1821
Pratt, Isaiah
Scovel, Noah Jr., b. 1781
New-York Dry Dock Company
Peggy (Brig)