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Guide to the

**Scrimshaw collection**

undated

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## Summary

**Title:** Scrimshaw collection

**Date:** undated

**Size:** .21 linear feet (1 box)

**Abstract:** Two pieces of scrimshaw. First depicts two buildings and a flag marked "Bethel," with reverse showing a scene of a three masted whaling vessel, a whaling scene, and small boats. Etched with: "A token of affectionate regard from E.G. Starbuck to F. M. Gardner." Second shows a battle scene between English and American war ships, with reverse depicting an American vessel with two small boats and a whale

**Access:** Advance notice required.

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