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Guide to the

H.M.S. Firebrand and H.M.S. Folly logbook

1847-1849

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Summary

Creator: Firebrand (Ship)

Title: H.M.S. Firebrand and H.M.S. Folly logbook

Date: 1847-1849

Size: .08 linear feet (1 volume)

Abstract: This logbook of the H.M.S. Firebrand and the H.M.S. Frolic was kept by the same (unknown) author. Entries pertaining to the Firebrand were made from December 1, 1847-June 16, 1848, when the ship sailed along the South American coast, stopping at: Colonia and Montevideo, Uruguay; Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; and Balna, Argentina. Entries pertaining to the H.M.S. Frolic were made from June 22, 1848-March 7, 1849 when the ship sailed from Portsmouth, England, stopping at Waterford and Cork, Ireland; Naples and Messina, Italy; the Piraeus and Salonica, Greece; and Smyrna, Turkey. Volume contains many watercolor sketches of South American and West Indian ports, not necessarily contemporaneous with the voyage described. A list of the sketches is filed with the volume

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Key Terms

Geographic Names

Argentina
Colonia del Sacramento (Uruguay)
Cork (Ireland)
Smyrna (Turkey)
Messina (Italy)
Montevideo (Uruguay)
Naples (Italy)
Piraeus (Greece)
Portsmouth (England)
Rio de Janeiro (Brazil)
South America -- Description and travel
Thessalonika (Greece)

Waterford (Ireland)

Subjects

Logbooks

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Ships' logs

Watercolors (paintings)

Names

Firebrand (Ship)

Frolic (Sloop)

Great Britain. Royal Navy