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Guide to the

**Centaur and Tiber logbooks**

1813-1817

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**Summary**

**Creator:** Syer, Frederick Chevallier

**Title:** Centaur and Tiber logbooks

**Date:** 1813-1817

**Size:** .17 linear feet (2 volumes)

**Abstract:** Frederick Chevallier Syer, volunteer of the 1st class in the British Navy, kept these logbooks on board the "Centaur," a 74-gun ship captained by John Chambers White, and the "Tiber," a 38-gun frigate captained by James Richard Dacres. Entries for the Centaur date April 6, 1813-August 27, 1814 and those for the Tiber date August 2, 1814-March 31, 1817

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**Key Terms**

**Subjects**

Logbooks

**Genre/Physical Characteristic**

Ships' logs

**Geographic Names**

United States -- History -- War of 1812 -- Sources

**Names**

Syer, Frederick Chevallier

Dacres, James Richard, 1788-1853

White, John Chambers

Centaur (Ship)

Great Britain. Royal Navy

Tiber (Ship)