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Ship chandler and commission merchant ledger

Title: Ship chandler and commission merchant ledger
Collection No: MSS.383
Extent: 0.25 cubic feet
Inclusive Dates: 1866

Abstract: The collection comprises a ledger of a ship chandler and commission merchant in St. Louis, Missouri, for January to July 1866.

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Scope and contents

The collection comprises one ledger for an unnamed ship chandler and commission merchant in St. Louis, Missouri, with entries from January to July 1866. Individuals who may have been principals of the company include S.J. Grier, J.B. Iutzi and William B. Wonderly. Inscriptions on the first page note Iutzi lived or worked in Hamilton and Dayton, Ohio. The ledger also includes records of the three voyages made by the steamer “Nicholas Wall” from St. Louis to New Orleans, Louisiana, between May and July 1866, with lists of passengers, dates and places of embarkation and destination, shippers and their cargoes, and the names of the crew members and their wages.

Subject terms

Commission merchants—Missouri—St. Louis.
Ship chandlers—Missouri—St. Louis.

Inventory

Ledger: Unnamed ship chandler and commission merchant, St. Louis, Mo., 1866.