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Irving Deale collection

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Summary information

Repository:	Dalhousie University Archives
Title:	Irving Deale collection
Reference code:	MS-2-518
Date:	1862 - 1974 (date of creation)
Language:	English
Physical description:	7.5 cm of textual records 7 photographs : b&w ; 20 x 25.5 cm and smaller 6 photographs : col. ; 18 x 12.5 cm and smaller

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Irving Thomas Deale was born in Elmsvale, Nova Scotia, on 27 September 1943. He was a 1971 graduate of the Victoria General Hospital School of Nursing in Halifax, after which he did post-graduate work in pediatric nursing. Deale worked with the neurosurgery unit at the Victoria General Hospital and was an active member of NSGEU for more than two decades. He died on 6 February 1997 in Halifax.

Custodial history

Records were donated to Dalhousie University Archives by Irving Deale and Niels Jannasch in accessions (77-84) and (27-85) in 1984 and 1985 respectively.

Scope and content

Collection consists of documents, photographs, correspondence and manuscripts relating to Irving Deale's research on the Mary Celeste.

Notes

Title notes

Restrictions on access

There are no access restrictions on these materials. All materials are open for research.

Conditions governing use

Materials do not circulate and must be used in the Archives and Special Collections Reading Room. Materials may be under copyright. Contact departmental staff for guidance on reproduction.

Accruals

Further accruals are not expected.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
- **Level of detail:** Full
- **Status description:** Final

Access points

- Textual record (documentary form)
- Graphic material (documentary form)
- Correspondence (documentary form)
- Photographs (documentary form)
- Research notes (documentary form)
- Ships (subject)
- Shipwrecks (subject)
- Shipbuilding (subject)

Collection holdings

File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 1 - Manuscripts about the Mary Celeste

Title: Manuscripts about the Mary Celeste

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 1

Date: 1950-1973 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains manuscripts by Robert Lester Dewis (1950, 1953); Alphonse Deveau (1968); George S. Bryan (undated); and Irving Deale's manuscript titled "A personal account of an interesting story, or a funny thing happened on the way to an antique shop " (1973).

Physical description: 0.5 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

English

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Manuscripts (documentary form)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Shipwrecks (subject)
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File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 11 - The Mary Celeste : the odyssey of an abandoned ship

Title: The Mary Celeste : the odyssey of an abandoned ship

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 11

Date: [19--] (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a pamphlet titled "The Mary Celeste : The odyssey of an abandoned ship" published by The Atlantic Companies in 1942. File also contains an undated poster regarding the Mary Celeste from Walter De Wolfe's Craft Shop.

Physical description: 1 booklet ; 14 x 21.5 x 0.25 cm

1 page of textual records

Language of the material:

English

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Graphic material (documentary form)
 - Pamphlets (documentary form)
 - Posters (documentary form)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Shipwrecks (subject)
 - New York (N.Y.) (place)
 - Cumberland (N.S. : County) (place)
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File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 3 - Photographs relating to Mary Celeste

Title: Photographs relating to Mary Celeste

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 3

Date: [18--] - [19--] (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File includes photographs of Joshua Dewis at Refugee Cove; a 1967 Mary Celeste stamp; Captain Robert W. McLellan's gravestone; Joshua Dewis' gravestone; Sarah Briggs' harmonium; and Mary Celeste plaque at Spencer's Island.

Physical description: 2 photographs : b&w ; 20 x 25.5 cm and smaller
4 photographs : colour ; 9 x 12.5 cm and smaller

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Graphic material (documentary form)
 - Photographs (documentary form)
 - Shipbuilding (subject)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Shipwrecks (subject)
 - Ship captains (subject)
 - Ohio (place)
 - Gibraltar (place)
 - Cumberland (N.S. : County) (place)
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File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 4 - Photographs of artwork of Mary Celeste

Title: Photographs of artwork of Mary Celeste

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 4

Date: [19--?] (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File includes photographs of artwork of the Mary Celeste by Rudolph Ruzicka, Leslie Victor Smith, and John Worsley; a painting of the Amazon ship; and models of the Mary Celeste held at the Atlantic Companies, Mariners Museum, and Mystic Museum.

Physical description: 5 photographs : b&w ; 25.5 x 20 cm and smaller
2 photographs : colour ; 18 x 12.5 cm and smaller

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Graphic material (documentary form)
 - Paintings (documentary form)
 - Photographs (documentary form)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Artists (subject)
 - New York (State) (place)
 - Virginia (place)
 - Connecticut (place)
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File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 5 - Letter from Irving Deale to the Canadian Department of Transportation

Title: Letter from Irving Deale to the Canadian Department of Transportation

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 5

Date: 1969 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File a letter Irving Deale wrote to the Canadian Department of Transportation regarding the Mary Celeste. File also includes Deale's notes in response to the letter.

Physical description: 6 pages of textual records

Language of the material:

English

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)

- Correspondence (documentary form)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Shipwrecks (subject)
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File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 6 - Research correspondence regarding Mary Celeste

Title: Research correspondence regarding Mary Celeste

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 6

Date: 1973 (date of creation)

Physical description: 2 cm of textual records

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Springhill Record - NS
 - Moncton Times
 - Textual record (documentary form)
 - Correspondence (documentary form)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Shipwrecks (subject)
 - Transcripts (subject)
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File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 7 - Research correspondence regarding Mary Celeste

Title: Research correspondence regarding Mary Celeste

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 7

Date: 1974 (date of creation)

Physical description: 1.5 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

English

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Raddall, Thomas H., 1903-1994 (subject)
- Nova Scotia Archives.
- Montreal Star
- Textual record (documentary form)

- Correspondence (documentary form)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Shipwrecks (subject)
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File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 8 - Copies of historic documents regarding the Mary Celeste

Title: Copies of historic documents regarding the Mary Celeste

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 8

Date: 1862-1889 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains copies of the Amazon bill of lading (1862); Windsor Insurance Company policy for Albert Dewis (1865); Attorney General's Office petition regarding Amazon (1867); the Amazon account of crew changes (1866); the Amazon shipping certificate (1868); information from Lloyd's List (1872); Gibraltar letter from Solly Flood (1873); a Gibraltar report from Dr. J. Patron (1873); shipping records for Amazon (1874; 1887; 1889) and Mary Celeste (1873-1877) with abbreviations; and a charted course for Mary Celeste (undated).

Physical description: 1 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

English

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Petitions (documentary form)
 - Certificates (documentary form)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Shipwrecks (subject)
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File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 9 - Articles about the Mary Celeste transcribed and annotated by Irving Deale

Title: Articles about the Mary Celeste transcribed and annotated by Irving Deale

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 9

Date: 1924-1974 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains transcriptions of articles and book chapters, and a translation.

Physical description: 0.5 cm of textual records

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Chronicle Herald.
 - Textual record (documentary form)
 - Transcripts (subject)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Shipwrecks (subject)
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File: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 10 - Copy of the Mary Celeste 1872 salvage hearing in Gibraltar

Title: Copy of the Mary Celeste 1872 salvage hearing in Gibraltar

Reference code: MS-2-518, Box 1, Folder 10

Date: 1872 (date of creation)

Physical description: 1 cm of textual records

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Ships (subject)
 - Shipwrecks (subject)
 - Gibraltar (place)
 - Gibraltar (place)
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