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# **Summary information**

**Repository:** Dalhousie University Archives

**Title:** Timber specifications for three vessels written by William Yeo

**Reference code:** MS-4-142, SF Box 52, Folder 7

**Date:** 1864-1865 (date of creation)

Language: English

**Physical description:** 2 pages (1 folder)

## Administrative history / Biographical sketch

#### Note

James Yeo (1790-1868) was a was a Cornish-born shipbuilder, merchant, farmer and political figure in Prince Edward Island. James established a shipbuilding business in Port Hill, Prince Edward Island. James had three sons: William Yeo (1813-1873), James (1827-1903) and John (1834-1924). James and John worked with the family shipbuilding business. John and James built over 200 vessesls in their time. William, from Appledore, was also known as "Black Ram" and lived in England.

## **Custodial history**

These materials were found in the Dalhousie Archives in 1980 without a previous accession form completed. Custodial history prior to that is unknown.

# Scope and content

This item is the timber specifications for three vessels (c1864-1865). The timber specifications are listed for the following vessels: the Western Queen, the Artisitc, and the Elizza.

#### **Notes**

#### Title notes

#### **Restrictions on access**

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• Publication status: Published

## **Access points**

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- Lumber (subject)
- Personal archives (subject)
- Shipbuilding--Prince Edward Island (subject)
- Port Hill (P.E.I.) (place)

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