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**Alexander Anderson papers**

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## Summary

**Creator:** Anderson, Alexander

**Title:** Alexander Anderson papers

**Date:** 1838-1845

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**Abstract:** Resident of Scituate, Mass. Exercises in logarithms and navigation, with colored illustrations, including the schooner SMITH, of New York, and the barque LEXINGTON, of Boston, Mass. Log of the schooner DANUBE, from Scituate, Mass. to Charleston, S.C. with corn, Dec. 1838-Feb. 1839; log of the schooner HURON from Ocracoke, N.C. to the West Indies with staves, and return to Washington, N.C., Jan.-May 1840; and log of the schooner JAMES OTIS from Scituate, Mass. to Washington, N.C. and return voyage, with lime, resin, and staves, May-June 1845.

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## Creator History

Resident of Scituate, Mass.

## Scope and Content Note

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## **Key Terms**

### **Geographic Names**

Charleston (S.C.) -- Commerce  
Massachusetts -- Commerce  
North Carolina -- Commerce  
Ocracoke (N.C.) -- Commerce  
Scituate (Mass.) -- Commerce  
South Carolina -- Commerce  
Washington (N.C.) -- Commerce  
West Indies -- Commerce

### **Subjects**

Corn  
Gums and resin  
Lime  
Logarithms -- Study and teaching  
Navigation -- Study and teaching  
Schooners  
Ships -- Massachusetts -- Scituate  
Staves and stave trade

### **Genre/Physical Characteristic**

Ships' logs

### **Names**

Anderson, Alexander  
Danube (Ship)  
Huron (Schooner)  
James Otis (Schooner)  
Lexington (Barque)  
John E. Smith (Schooner)