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**MS 0759 (RARE)
Thompson, George W.
Travel journal, 1849**

DESCRIPTION

Diary of a voyage to San Francisco, California from Warren or Providence, Rhode Island in 1849. Thompson lists the passengers and crew members of the Ship Hopewell. The following year he summarizes his experiences seeking gold after landing in San Francisco.

1 box, .1 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

After his disappointment in the gold fields, Thompson returned to New York where he died within a week, from a disease contracted in California, at the age of 22.

ACQUISITION

Unknown.

ACCESS

Restricted due to fragile condition; use book at 917.94 K59 1999.

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PROCESSING

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