

Guide to the **Freese Family Barge Canal Records**

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COLLECTION DESCRIPTION

This collection contains business records of Capt. John Frees (sic) and W.B. Freese from the late 19th century. In box 1 they concern shipments of coal from Lehigh Valley Railroad cars transshipped on Cayuga Lake and through the barge canal on various boats in the 1890s. Home ports of the various boats range over the whole state of New York, from Ithaca to Brooklyn to Little Falls.

Box 2 contains account books listing various expenses and account receipts.

CONTAINER LIST

Box 1

Lehigh Valley RR coal shipment records (1893-1894)	Folder 1
Lehigh Valley RR coal shipment records (1894)	Folder 2
Lehigh Valley RR coal shipment records (1894)	Folder 3

Box 2

Captain John Frees' (sic) expense log (1867)	Folder 4
W.B. Freese's expense log (ca. 1880s) and account receipts	Folder 5
Expense log (owner and date unknown)	Folder 6