

Mission to Seamen fonds

1983-87

18 leaves of textual records

Administrative history

The Anglican Church's Mission to Seamen, is represented in ten port cities in Canada. There is one missionary in each port, to take care of the spiritual needs of sailors in port from all countries and religions. The port missionary or chaplain also acts as a tour guide, social convenor and sports director as the occasion demands. Thunder Bay has had an Anglican port chaplain since 1962. The chaplain visits each ocean going ship that is in port and offers to arrange services or take crews to churches of their choice. Also he arranges for telephone connections overseas on behalf of the sailors.

Scope and Content

Series E 19/1/1. - Records

One file containing clippings, minutes of meetings and reports for 1986, and a description of the mission's history and activities.