## OFFICIAL LOG BOOK

#### FOR EITHER FOREIGN GOING OR HOME TRADE SHIP

## (TIMES - 2 OCTOBER 1855 - JULY 1856)

(O) No.4

Name of Ship – TIMES Official number – 29847 Port of registry – Guernsey Registered tonnage – 531 Name of master – Robert Kite Pope No. of his certificate – 6391

Date of commencement of the voyage – Nature of the voyage or employment – London to Punta Arenas and back to London Delivered to the Shipping Master of the Port of – London [Hammet St.] the 28<sup>th</sup> day of June 1867 Signed. A M B.... Shipping Master

Note: The above entries are to be filled up by the Master, and the Log Book is to be delivered to the Shipping Master within forty-eight hours after the Ship's arrival, or upon the discharge of the Crew, whichever first happens, in the case of a 'Foreign-going Ship', and within twenty-one days after the 30<sup>th</sup> of June and the 31<sup>st</sup> of December respectively in every year in the case of a 'Home Trade Ship'.

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	appear
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a fine, together with such statement concerning the	
reading over such entry, and concerning the reply (if any)	
made to the charge as herein-before required	
Offence for which punishment has been inflicted on	
board, and the punishment inflicted	
Statement of the conduct, character and qualifications of	
each member of crew.	
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crew, the nature thereof, and the medical treatment	
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and the names of the parents	
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member of the crew, otherwise than by death, with the	
place, time, manner, and cause thereof	
Amount of wages due to any seaman who has entered Her	
Majesty's Service during the voyage	
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during the voyage, and the gross amount of all deductions	
to be made therefrom	
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article sold and of the sum received for it	
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# LIST OF CREW AND REPORT OF CHARACTER

Christian name and surname at length of each member of crew, and capacity in which engaged	Report of character for general conduct	For ability in seamanship	If there is any entry in the Log relating in any way to the crew the page or pages in the log where the entry is to be found should be written in this column opposite the man's name.
William Domaille Mate	VG	VG	
Henry Stribly Bosun	VG	G	
James Rogers Carpenter	VG	G	
James Cobden AB	VG	G	
Andrew Turner AB	VG	G	
George Garrett AB	VG	G	
John Rowe OS	VG	G	
Henry Hill OS	VG	G	
George Bennett O.S	VG	G	
Alfred Le Messurier Boy	VG	G	
Alfred Long Steward	VG	G	
Thomas Le Page Cook			
Martin Bienvenu Boy	VG	G	

# OFFICIAL LOG OF THE barque 'Times' FROM London TOWARDS Punta Arenas

Date of the Occurrence entered, with day and hour	Place of the occurrence, or situation by Latitude and Longitude at sea	Entries required by Act of Parliament	Amount of any fine or forfeiture inflicted
Monday October 8 <sup>th</sup> 1855 at half past three p.m.	'Downs', Gull Stream Channel	In working through the Gull Stream channel with the wind at S.W. and a good full sail breeze on the starboard tack near the Light Ship we came in collision with the schooner 'Cherry' of Truro on the port tack also working to windward who carried away our flying job boom and other light damage about the head, we having put the helm hard a port and hove the vessel in stays to ease the blow. Mr Minter, Pilot, in charge.  E. Andrew Master William Domaille. Mate.	
Saturday March 15 <sup>th</sup> 1856, 2.45 p.m.	Punta Arenas harbour or Roads	This day as per margin Andrew Turner, seaman, James Cobden seaman, John Row seaman, Henry Hill seaman, refused to do any more duty, the work at the time being starting water into the tanks.  E. Andrew Master William Domaille Mate	
Sunday March 16 <sup>th</sup> 1856 At 6.30 a.m.	Punta Arenas Harbour or Roads	This morning the above named four persons still refused to do any work when called to wet the ship around.  E. Andrew Master  William Domaille Mate	
Sunday March 16 <sup>th</sup> 1856 at 2.30 p.m.	Punta Arenas Harbour or Roads	This day as per margin I read over the two preceeding entries to the parties named and the rest of the crew.  E. Andrew Master  William Domaille Mate	
Sunday March 16 <sup>th</sup> 1856 at 8 p.m.	Punta Arenas Harbour or Roads	The before named four men came aft to hoist the boats up acknowledging they	

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		did not intend to stop work all together, it	
		was only because I would not let them go	
		on shore on Saturday afternoon as I had	
		done the two previous ones.	
		E. Andrew Master	
		William Domaille Mate	
Saturday May 9 <sup>th</sup> 1856 at	Off Cape Horn	Thomas Le Page, cook, not being in the	
10.15 a.m.	Lat. 56.32.S	galley and no one having seen him for	
	Long. 67.26 W	some time, a general search was made,	
		but he could not be found and on a	
		careful inquiry being made we were led	
		to the painful conclusion that he must	
		have fallen overboard about a half hour	
		before, in the act of drawing a bucket of	
		water, in consequence we fear of his not	
		making fast the bucket rope, as the both	
		were found missing and the ship going	
		through the water at about 8 knots. And	
		so sudden must have been the accident	
		that no one either saw or heard him	
		although the officer and the watch were	
		on deck at the time, but the wind was	
		well aft with the port studding sails set,	
		and strong. Yet it is possible from its	
		suddenness and the coldness of the	
		weather and water, that he never spoke in	
		falling, nor ever rose again to the surface.	
		Under such circumstances all attempts at	
		rescue would have been perfectly useless.	
		E. Andrew Master	
		William Domaille Mate.	
		An inventory of his clothes were taken	
		and sold by auction as follows – viz.	
		1 P. jacket 0.10.0	
		1 straw hat 0.2.0	
		2 pr. Cloth trousers 1.1.0	
		3 pr. Duck trousers 0.6.6	
		3 under flannels 0.10.0	
		5 pr. Worsted stockings 0.5.6	
		1 worsted guernsey frock 0.4.0	
		3 handkerchiefs 0.1.6	
		1 pr mittens 0.0.6	
		2 cravats 0.2.0	
		1 rasor strop etc. 0.2.0	
		3 combs, looking glass 0.1.6	
		1 pr boots 2/-, cap 1/- 0.3.0	
		1 pillow case 0.1.0	
		chest 0.7.6	
		2 pr. Scissors 0.2.0	
		1 canvas bag 0.4.0	
		1 bason 3d, needles case 2/6 0.2.9	
		a seaman cash credit 0.1.9	
		£4.8.6	
		E. Andrew Master	
		William Domaille Mate	
		Henry Stribly Bosun	
		An account of wages etc. due Thomas Le	
		Page late cook, deceased.	
		Wages from September 28 <sup>th</sup> to May 9 <sup>th</sup>	
		1856 at 30/-,	
		7 months and 12 days £11.2.0	
		by clothes sold, etc. £4.8.6	
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total	£15.10.6	
Dr. one month advance	£1.10.0	
cash on the voyage	£1.12.9	
allotment		
E. Andrew Master		
William Domaille Mate		
Henry Stribly Bosun		

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I certify that this book has been carefully examined and that the portion detached neither contained entries nor handwriting of any kind and that the portion retained comprises the whole of the entries and particulars made in the Official Log.

For the Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen ..... Clerk in charge of Records. 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 1879.