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Descriptive Entry

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Container Listing

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Box 1 of 1  No. 3, Itaparica, Bahia, April 5-19, 1876
Box 1 of 1  No. 4, Bahia, April 19-June 30, 1876 (also includes notes February-August 1876)
Box 1 of 1  No. 5, Dom Pedro II Railroad and Sao Paulo, December 1876-January 1877
Box 1 of 1  No. 6, Sao Paulo, January 1877
Box 1 of 1  List of Microscopic Slide, 1873, 1876
Box 1 of 1  Brazil Notes, undated
Box 1 of 1  Brazil Notes, Hartt Expedition, 1875-1877