

Log Book ⁶⁹¹

Strong winds & an unfavourable
tide the current of adversity setting hard to
Forward must bear up
with a heavy press of canvas

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January 22nd 1851 Wednesday

I spent the day very unpleasant
cloudy with a plenty of rain went over to
Mr Bartlett with Dr. Martin to transact some
business all right returned home at night
went down to Mr Smith's talked with the
widow returned about 9 o'clock that
night.

Thursday 23rd Went over to Mr Bishop's gone on a fox
hunt went home with Perry Stephens
that night got a dose of pepper. Came home
Friday 24th in the morning went a gunning no game
rode down to Hillsborough in the evening
to settle some business the gentlemen gone
from home nothing done came home
eat supper & prepared for bed after prayers.

Weather taken with a shaking ague about 12 O
clock at night rose about day in the morning
Saturday 25th put for Doct. Holt & Doct Reynolds came about
12 o'clock took dinner bled & gave Mother
some medicine hauling wood with a head
strong mule some trouble with him. Sent
Perry to Bartlett's borrow'd his horse cart sent
to Daniel Loyd's after a sow & 4 pigs a present
from Mr Loyd brought them home put
them in a pen pigs very fine ones after
supper went down to the mill having a
couple of hours came home Mother better
went to bed wind south west very pleasant
Sunday 26th Rose early in the morning weather warm &
beautiful like the spring Mother considerable
better

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