

Tuesday 6th SW AM) Fresh B'g & cloudy. Squadⁿ and 23 sail of prizes in C^o. At 4³⁰ AM shifted our berth from under Battery further down the river. At 5 came to with the (BB) in 2 fms Crane Island ENE Indian Pt W¹/₂N. At 8 D^oW: Squadron and 23 sail of Prizes in C^o. Weighed and sig^l to sound ahead. At Noon Moderate and Squally. PM) D^oW: at 3³⁰ AM and sig^l for Squadⁿ & Convoy to anchor. At 3⁴⁰ AM and sig^l 214 from Sea Horse. At (3³⁰) anchored. At 4^{PM} weighed & made sail ahead in advance 5 miles to protect the Van of the Convoy. At midnight D^oW: came on board one slave. NOTE

Wednesday 7th NW AM) Moderate & fine W^z. At daylight Squadⁿ and Convoy weighed. At 5³⁰ (we) weighed and made sail. At 6 and sig^l to sound ahead. At 11 and sig^l to anchor, came too with the (SB) in 7 fms off Maryland Point. At Noon D^oW: Convoy in C^o. PM) D^oW: At 1 weighed & made sail. At 6 and sig^l to anchor, came too with the (SB) in 5 fms Port Tobacco Creek. At Midnight Moderate and fine weather.

Thursday 8th NW SSE AM) Lt. B'g & fine. At daylight and sig^l to weigh. At 5 weighed & made sail Squadⁿ & Prizes in C^o. People employed repairing rigging and as otherwise requisite. At 11³⁰ and sig^l to anchor. At 4³⁰ and sig^l to pass within hail - out sweeps and made all sail ahead to encounter Strange Ships. At Noon D^oW: PM) D^oW: At 1³⁰ telegraphed to Sea Horse Strangers single decked. At 2³⁰ anchored in the Kettle Bottoms in 4 fms. At 4 Squadⁿ & Prizes joined C^o. At Midnight D^oW:

Friday 9th NW AM) Mod^t & fine W^z. At daylight and sig^l to weigh. At 5³⁰ weighed and made sail. Saw Admiral Coakburn's Squadⁿ ahead moving up the Potomac. At 8 joined D^o Squadⁿ. At 9 and sig^l to assist Eurialus. At 9¹⁰ Tacked. At 9⁴⁰ came too ahead of D^o in Kettle Bottoms. Eurialus on shore. Noon D^oW: PM) D^oW: at 2 and sig^l to go alongside Eurialus. At 3 went alongside D^o and got in 8 of her main deck guns. At 5 hauled off from D^o. At 6 Eurialus floated off. Midnight D^oW: