

On Board Bark Abn. Barker off French rock ground

Thursday February 4th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant & calm we had all sail set & trying to get to the N.W. at 7 P.M. we shortened sail & the calm weather &c.
Middle part pleasant & we were under short sail &c.
 Latter part the same we made all sail & the same
 Been employed at ship's duties &c.

Friday February 5th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant & we were under all sail & at 5 P.M. we saw 2 ships & one of them was cutting in a wake by the look of it. P.M. we shortened sail &c.
 Middle part pleasant & we were under short sail &c.
 Latter part pleasant & we made all sail & the same
 Ship S. George & we sighted the Adams & several other ships

Saturday February 6th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant & we were under all sail & we gammed with the Bark George & then we went down to the James Arnold & S. George & gammed with them all night & in the evening &c.
 Middle part pleasant & we were under easy sail
 Latter part pleasant & we made all sail & the same
 S. George & we were in sight &c.

Sunday February 7th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant & we were under all sail & the Arnold & S. George & 2 other ships were in sight & at 7 P.M. we shortened sail
 Middle part pleasant & we were under short sail &c.
 Latter part the same & we made all sail & the same
 George & bark George were in sight

Monday February 8th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant & we had all sail set & several ships were in sight & we gammed the Gaspar & S. P. & we shortened sail &c.
 Latter part strong breezes & we raised the bark Coral & we gammed with her &c. &c.
 Weather equally & rainy

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Tuesday February 9th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours strong breezes & equally with rain & we were under short sail & gamming with the Coral & S. P. & we sailed another sail off our lee beam
 Middle part strong breezes & we were under short sail & in company with the Coral & gamming
 Latter part the same &c.

Wednesday February 10th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours strong winds & we were gamming with the Coral & at 5 P.M. we sighted a ship & saw a wreck & under short sail
 Middle part strong winds & we were under short sail
 Latter part strong winds & we were gamming with the Coral & Milton & the 10th was in sight &c.

Thursday February 11th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant & we were gamming with the Coral & Milton & the bark Loria was in sight & at 7 P.M. we shortened sail
 Middle part same thick & by spells raining &c.
 Latter part good weather & we made all sail & the Milton & Loria were in sight & we were gamming with the Coral &c.

Friday February 12th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours equally weather & we were gamming with the Coral & at 7 P.M. we were under short sail &c.
 Middle part pleasant & we were under short sail & gamming with the bark Coral for the last week
 Latter part pleasant & we made all sail & &c.
 gamming with the Coral

Saturday February 13th 1869

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant & we were under all sail & gamming with the Coral & at 5 P.M. we gammed with the Milton & S. P. & we shortened sail
 Middle part pleasant & we were under short sail & gamming with the bark Coral for the last week
 Latter part strong winds & equally with rain & we gammed the Coral & several other ships were in sight & the bark Loria