

Wednesday Feb 4th 1854
All day moderate had a light rain
squall. A R. Tucker astern as far as you
can see from the deck. Filled our cutting
blocks. Lat 00.13. N

Thursday Feb 5th
Fine as usual lowered four boats
for blackfish without success. Still
in sight weather grew rather cold
Lat 00.01. N. Long 25.50. W

Friday Feb 6th
All day moderate had a shower of rain
lowered three boats for a sulphur bottom
shot two bomb lances at him one went
through him but we could not get
nigh enough to fasten to him
Lat 00.00. -

Saturday Feb 7th
All day wind very light from N. to
W. corner S. & S. by E. under all sail
lowered two boats for blackfish without
success. Lat 00.02. N Long 27.00. W

Sunday Feb 8th
All day pleasant & light air from S. W. W
corner S. by E. under all sail saw finbacks
Lat 00.27. S.

Monday Feb 9th
All day light air from S. W. headed
by the wind to S. E. by S. under all sail
saw a plenty of porpoises, saw blackfish
going quickly did not lower
Lat 1.15. S. Long 26.17. W

Tuesday Feb 10th 1854
Had a fine shower of rain and a
shift of wind to S. S. E. tacked ship to S
Lat 1.10. S

Wednesday Feb 11th
All day fine pleasant trades from S. E.
corner S. W. by S. saw a plenty of porpoises
Lat 2.58. S. Long 27.48. W

Thursday Feb 12th
All day moderate had a shower
sent the jib in and repaired it and
bent it again saw porpoises
Lat 3.56. S.

Friday Feb 13th
Fine trade & pleasant altered our
jib by putting two more cloths in it
to make it larger spoke ship Gov. Spruce
of St. Bedford Capt Milton 5 1/2 M^{ts} out
25 M. Sp. bound to N. W. Coast
Lat 5.13. S.

Saturday Feb 14th
All day moderate had steering by the
wind to S. S. W. under all sail
this day turned Kinney (a boatsteerer
forward for neglecting his watch and
being saucy to Mr Thomas (3rd Officer)
in the boat a few days since
Lat 6.28. S.

Sunday Feb 15th
Squally all day with strong trades hea-
ding to S. by W. on the wind under all sail
saw finbacks, porpoises, & M. royal. see
nothing to remark
Lat 8.37. S