

Barth Watherwood Bound to North
Friday June 1st 1847

413 These 24 hours commenced with smart gales from
N.E. & rugged sea & some rain at first part
steering S.E. & S. (Oh dear Mary if I could be with you)
middle part steering North latter part rugged & squally
steering S.W. & S. Lat 12° 35' Long

414 Saturday 2nd These 24 hours began with
smart gales from the Southward & rugged sea
& squalls of rain. Steering S.W. & S. middle part the
same latter part smart gales & rugged
Lat 10° 40' Long

415 Sunday 3rd All these 24 hours smart gales from
the Southward at first part steering S.W. & S. middle part
steering S.W. & S. latter part steering from S.W. & S. to S.E. & S.
Lat 8° 30' Long

416 Monday 4th These 24 hours commenced with smart
gales from the Southward at first part steering S.W. & S.
at 3 P.M. made Elizabeth Island passed it at sundown
steering N.W. & then the night for Aldabra Island
latter part 5 A.M. made Aldabra Island at 11 Boat
went ashore 20 miles north Boat ashore
Lat 10° 15' Long

417 Tuesday 5th These 24 hours smart breezes first
part Boat came on board middle & latter part
heating to S.W. & S. latter part employed mending
sails Lat Long

418 Wednesday 6th All these 24 hours
battering winds & squally employed
mending sails Lat 10° 30' Long

Barth Watherwood off Comoro Islands
bound to North & N. Thursday June 7th 1847

419 All first part of this day light air from all
quarters employed mending sails middle & latter
part light squalls of rain
Lat Long

420 Friday 8th Begins with light air
& rain squalls (A hard place this day)
middle & latter part at last saw the Island
of Comoro Lat Long

421 Saturday 9th All these 24 hours smart
gales from the Southward steering to North
Lat 5° 25' Long

422 Sunday 10th All this 24 smart gales
from the Southward steering to S.W. & S.
Lat 6° 16' Long 41° 59' E

423 Monday 11th These 24 hours
with smart gales & squalls of
rain middle part have the heading S.E. & S.
the latter part of these 24 hours smart gales &
rugged sea heading S.E. & S. this is the place
that they say is very smooth & fine weather
(it looks like it)

424 Tuesday 12th Commenced with brisk
gales from S.W. & S. heading to South & East
the poor Watherwood has had work to keep on
her bottom there is such a sea latter part more
moderate Lat Long

425 Wednesday 13th This 24 hours with smart
breezes & squally latter part fine weather
Lat 5° 09' Long 42° 00' E