

Journal of a voyage from Honolulu to New

Friday Mar. 2nd 1855 First part fresh breeze from N.W. and squally, latter part calm and rainy. Lat. 31. 0 S. Lon. 28. 15 W.

Saturday Mar. 3rd First part calm, latter part light breeze from S.W. and W. with fine weather. Unbent line and hain V. sail and cut them of 15 inches. Course N.W. Lat. 35. 18 S. Lon. 28. 35 W.

Sunday Mar. 4th First part light breeze from W. and clear weather, middle calm, ends with fine breeze from N.W. Course N.W. Lat. 35. 18 S. Lon. 28. 18 W.

Monday Mar. 5th First part fresh breeze from N.W. with some squalls, shortened sail to double reef, latter part moderate breeze from W.S.W. and fine weather. Course N.W. Bar. 29. 45 Lat. 34. 18 S. Lon. 30. 01 W.

Tuesday Mar. 6th First part light breeze from S.W. (middle calm, latter part breeze from N.W. Sent down spanker gaff and sent up another bent large spanker. Saw a bark so windward, steering from N. by W. to N.E. Bar. 29. 50 Lat. 33. 51 S. Lon. 29. 50 W.

Wednesday Mar. 7th Light breeze from N.W. with fine weather. At 12 M. latched ship to N.W. by W. wind baffling with rain. At 4 P.M. heavy squalls shortened sail to close reefed M. T. sail & foresail. Split M. T. mast stay sail. Bark still in sight so leeward. Steering by the wind on opposite side. Lat. 32. 15 S. Lon. 29. 08 Bar. 29. 48

Bisford on board bark Sarah Sheaf

Thursday Mar. 8th First part calm and rainy, latter part baffling air. Exchanged signals with an English bark. Course N.W. Bar. 29. 50 Lat. 32. 12 S. Lon. 29. 05 W.

Friday Mar. 9th Fine S.W. winds and clear weather. Course N.W. Bar. 29. 15 Lat. 29. 24 S. Lon. 29. 05 W.

Saturday Mar. 10th Fresh breeze from S. & the first part, latter part from N. with rain. Course N.E. Bar. 29. 70 Lat. 26. 40 S. Lon. 30. 00 W.

Sunday Mar. 11th Commenced calm. At 9 P.M. breeze from E. latter part hauled to S. E. with heavy squalls. Handed top gallant sails. Steering from N. by E. to N.W. Bar. 29. 50 Lat. 25. 09 S. Lon. 30. 51 W.

Monday Mar. 12th All these 24 hrs. strong breeze from S. and S.E. with heavy squalls. Under double reef. Saw a ship so windward. Steering by the wind on opposite side. Bar. 29. 65 Lat. 24. 45 S. Lon. 31. 45 W.

Tuesday Mar. 13th Fresh breeze from N.W. and S. E. with cloudy weather. Saw 4 sails, all steering to S. and W. Bar. 29. 70 Lat. 24. 21 S. Lon. 32. 02 W.

Wednesday Mar. 14th Fine breeze from S. E. and pleasant weather. Steering by the wind to S. and W. Bar. 29. 75 Lat. 22. 40 S. Lon. 33. 09 W.