

8 Ship Corinthian Laying at Kure Island ^{Master} E.D. Rogers

Friday Dec 18th 1854

Commenced with light winds & variables beginning at 10 AM took a raft of coal from the shore at 11 AM took a raft of oil to Launce at 4 PM The Oxford & Gabriel came in from Leward Sound to Desolation Sat part light wind No E with rain to End

Saturday Dec 19th

Commenced with light wind rain falling out at 8 AM wind & weather cloudy weather this day discharged by mutual consent Frank James Thomas Joseph John Sutton George Barnett Charles Wilson All came from home in the Corinthian George Manning John Boyne John W. Monagan came out in the Atlas & 9 men that have been shiped on the voyage the Oxford & Gabriel sailed for Desolation Sat part light wind No E clear weather No End

discharged 16 men by agreement

Sunday Dec 20th

Commenced with light winds to 10 AM took a raft of coals with bladder from the shore at 11 AM finished Bayling on the Amok & Laid Co took all the oil for the Atlas & cleared up decks Sat part light wind & variables with cloudy weather to End

This day finished Bayling out

Monday Dec 21st Commenced with light wind & rain weather much clearing ship have the byworks overboard & getting more clear Sat part light wind No E with squalls of snow to End

have the by work over board

Ship Corinthian

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Tuesday Dec 22nd 1854

Commenced with strong wind & squalls weather AM took the ship from shore & AM strong gale from W with squalls of snow Sat part the same wind

Wednesday Dec 23rd

Commenced with strong wind & with squalls of snow at 1 PM muddered good weather took the small anchor to the bow got all ready for sea Sat part light wind & with thick weather & rain to End

Thursday Dec 24th

Commenced with light wind AM thick weather at 8 PM shiped from our charts & started for home Sat part dark & thick Launce Pioneer & Joe all of New London Schrs Atlas & E.D. Launce of Da & Co. of Spithie left the schooner Atlas as tender for Bark Launce discharged & Launce & Theodorus & Co. came from home in ship also three men which have been shiped on the voyage & took one sick man from bark Launce at 9 AM every thing all done & water off deck Sat all heavy rain Sat part calm & thick weather

got under way for home
discharged 5 men by agreement

Friday Dec 25th

Commenced with calm & thick weather at 2 PM fresh breeze from N steering by the wind heading E & at 8 PM took in chain sail & at 8 PM took in sail at 10 PM took fore top sail blowing strong wind & with rain & continued the same through the day to End No obs