

Wednesday Oct 11th 1848

The light breezes and calm sea raised fog at two o'clock came up with it at 5 AM and a strong current setting against us we drifted from the land again at 6 PM lowered a boat and carried a party that was left from the shore boat that brought of the second

Thurs Oct 12th 48 and left him at piece

These 24 hours small winds and calms very clear weather, this day trying to reach the SE part of piece to get the second mate but a counter current and head winds prevented the ship making much headway

Fri Oct 13th 48

Fair weather and light breezes lowered about at 11 PM came on board at 6 followed by a shore boat that brought the second mate and his nephew which the captain shipped to go the voyage we then started to go to get some potatoes

Sat Oct 14th 48

These 24 hours light breezes and squally came up to the island at 7 PM but head winds and calms counter currents prevented us getting to the port

Sun Oct 15th 48

These 24 hours calms and light and variable winds and at the expiration of the day we found ourselves near where we was 24 hours previous

Mon Oct 16th 48

These 24 hours fresh gales and rain handed for and more coarse and drifted from the island ahead prospect for potatoes

Tues Oct 17th 1848

For 24 hours pleasant gales and clear had head wind but heat up to the island finished the potato bin

Wen Oct 18th 48

These 24 hours light breezes and clear heat up to the port of anchorage and lowered the boat at 9 PM and went a shore long of and on with the ship

Thurs Oct 19th 48

First part small breezes and clear last part strong breezes and cloudy the potatoes came of at 3 PM about 50 bushels the captain came of a 5 PM and brought a man in place of the boy that we shipped at 4 PM which he carried a shore on account of sickness then put

Fri Oct 20th 48 Lat 34.12 Lon 27.50 to sea

First part pleasant gales last part fresh gales handed first part calm main coars a heavy sea a running

Lat 36.30 N Lon 27.50 W

Sat Oct 21st 48

Fresh gales laying to under close reef main to op sail and storm sails

Lat 35.9 N Lon 28.00 W

Sun Oct 22nd 48

First part fresh gale Last part more moderate with a heavy sea running

Lat 34.44 N Lon 28.12 W