

April
Mon 18. 1921

This day ship laying off & on coast of the harbor of St. Michaels. sent the mate on shore with the crew man and discharged him. had a lot of ~~large~~ trouble with him at 4 P.M. the mate came on board bringing 4 men to help work whilst the 2 or 3 of the crew went on shore to see the falls which are the Portage habits

Tues 19 This day begins with strong West trades ship lay off & on at St. Michaels the mate on shore making arrangements about getting men & some Capt. Steele not very well

Wed 20 To day ship still at St. Michaels the mate came on board bringing 11 eleven men and an Boatswain. also Mr. George Smith shipped a Chief officer & kept the ship off St. Michaels South by South bound to Brava passed the schooner Margaret just as she was going into the harbor she making the passage from here on the 14th of April day whilst the Quaker sailed five days later and made the passage in 22 twenty two days so ends the day.

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Thurs 21

To day begins with moderate West trades ship steering South West by South $\frac{1}{4}$ South at daylight sighted the Island of Fogo straight ahead at 4 P.M. sailed the schooner Gruber into the harbor of Brava and moved the vessel up for the night so ends the day.

Frid 22 This day begins with fine weather ship laying in the harbor at Brava 2 two men from the shore engaged calking. ~~Prayer~~ the outside of the ship from the whist along to the aft end of the ship. the mate engaged painting the whaleboats

Sat 23 To day finds the schooner Gruber still laying in the harbor at Brava three men have been calking around the aft end of the schooner and they covered the beam with black in places the mate has been busy breaking out also painted the mates boat the most of the crew has gone on shore to see the sights. so ends the day.

Sunday 24 To day we are enjoying good weather Capt. went up town to buy & returned to the ship at 3 P.M. all well on board so ends the day.