

The C. H. Walfield of Provincetown C. F. Keith Master

Thursday May 16th 1867

Light breeze and pleasant steering N. N. W. under all sail at daylight the Island of St. Eustatius in sight at 12 mer. lowered for Blackfish and took three and at 6 o'clock came to an anchor a St. Eustatius two whalers in in port the Walter Irving of Provincetown and the W^m Martin of Orleans

Friday 17th 1867

Through the day all hands employed in selling up rigging and boiling out Blackfish saw several sails in the offing

Saturday 18th 1867

Finished the work on the rigging and washed off ready for painting the port watch went ashore and all returned at the appointed time except one Guler —

Sunday 19th 1867

The 2nd two Boatstewards and Steward ashore all returned at the time appointed one man from the Port watch a prisoner in the fort since Saturday night

Monday 20th 1867

Employed in painting inside Starboard watch ashore on liberty all returned in season

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Tuesday 21st 1867

This day employed in painting inside finished painting the Starboard watch ashore on liberty saw several sails in the offing had several small showers of rain during the day

Wednesday 22nd 1867

Starboard watch ashore on liberty Received on board 600 lbs of yams. The Brig Becca of Fairhaven arrived 35 barrels of Spermin

Thursday 23rd 1867

The Starboard watch on shore took on board 4 1/2 bbls of sweet potatoes and 350 lbs yams sent on shore 4 bbls of Blackfish Oil

Friday 24th 1867

Strong breeze with some rain gales — came on board has been in the Port since the first day here. The Steward in iron and in the Bulwer Room for stealing liquor from the rum and getting intoxicated and giving it to the men forward. At 12 o'clock the boat returned on board bringing a man shipped here in the place of the one deserted in Deminca