

Schooner E. Nickerson off Sal
 Remarks On Board Sunday Feb 26th 1854

Commenced with fresh trades at 12 P.M.
 came to anchor in Mordeira Bay
 in 6 fathoms off water.
 Latter part fresh trades. Closed the
 Sabbath with prayer, when the men
 were invited to their place over
 some of their stuff as on a
 former occasion, and none of them
 came. May God give me wisdom to
 do right. I think that I have
 done my duty by them, at least I
 have tried to with the best of my
 abilities. If I have not may God
 forgive me and show me by his Spirit
 how to do as I ought in my present
 circumstances, as I think now it's not
 my duty to ask them again, for it makes
 them sin the more. I trust that
 God will yet open their eyes to
 see their wrong. So Ends

I mean well may God assist me
 to do better if I be wrong

Schooner E. Nickerson off Sal
 Remarks On Board, Monday Feb 27th 1854

Commenced with fair fresh trades
 lying at anchor. At the fall of
 Sal at 5:40 A.M. took the anchor
 but saw no bump backs. At 7 lowered
 for black-bird the S.B. Mipra a good
 chance: at 8 put her away for the
 Island of Bonavista at 11 passed the
 N. Point. at 1 P.M. and ran round
 the Lee side of the Island

Off Bonavista
 Remarks On Board Thursday Feb 28th 1853

Commenced with fresh trades at 1
 P.M. spoke the Brig September
 under the Lee of Bonavista sailing
 having taken a whale the last Friday
 latter part fresh trades steering
 by the wind to the Northward
 Bonavista bearing to Dist 12
 miles

So Ends