

Barque Fortune of New Bedford Capt Hathaway

Remarks on Wednesday April 23rd

Time pleasant weather and light air off the land we finished getting off water and stowing it away got off 22 bbls of Potatoes sweet ones and one hundred Pumpkins & sets of Onions cleared up got all ready for sea we was waiting for Irish Potatoes Cook sick

Remarks on Thursday April 24th

This Day fine pleasant and light breezes Capt took his men out of the boat and brought them aboard Frank, Stephen, Jay, and Trumble went to duty Brown refused to do duty we put him in stocks put him in the sun Capt went on shore with and Chase deserted at noon two Boatstewards and one man came aboard we set ensign and hoist in Slack Chain

Remarks on Friday April 25th

Begins with light air from N.E. and pleasant weather at 2 PM got off 8 barrels of Potatoes got under way and stood to sea took the anchors in the bows secured for the night at Day light run the chains below Nahor was in sight Diamond Head bore 78th Sth latter light air from North pleasant weather the N.E. set fore topmast standing sail So Ends Nahor South point 12 miles off

Remarks on Saturday April 26th

These 24 hours we lay becalmed off 9th Creek of Nahor about 15 miles off two ships in sight water employed in Ships duty So Ends the Darker we think has been sick ever since he came aboard

Remarks on Sunday April 27th

These 24 hours light air from N.E. and pleasant weather the West with all drawing set Lat 21st 3rd Long by Obs 157th 55th

Remarks on Monday April 28th

These 24 hours baffling air and calms the N.E. After in sight bearing N by E dist 55 miles watch variously employed about the Ship So Ends Lat 21st 26th Long 160th 19th 18th

Remarks on Tuesday April 29th

All these 24 hours calms and extreme hot weather with bearing N.E. dist 40 miles the Islands of Tahora and Oueheow in sight about 5 miles we put Brown in double stocks

Remarks on Wednesday April 30th

These 24 hours small breezes from N.E. and pleasant weather at last Midnight the N.E. Brown was willing to go to his duty we let him out of stocks So Ends Lat 22nd 00 Long by Obs 162nd 21st

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Remarks on Thursday April 21st May 1st

These 24 hours fine breeze from S.E. and pleasant weather the N.E. at 5 AM passed about two miles to leeward of Bird Island watch variously employed Lat 23rd 21st E by the Long by Obs 162nd 50th

Remarks on Friday May 2nd

Fresh breezes and clear weather the N.E. with all sail out watch employed in Ships duty Trumble below sick with a delicate disease called the Flux Brown he is sick with belly ache So Ends Lat 25th 40 Long by Obs 165th 19th West

Remarks on Saturday May 3rd

These 24 hours fresh breezes and clear weather the N.E. with all sail set watch employed in setting up dove rigging Trumble below sick Brown on better So Ends Lat 27th 18th Long by Obs 167th 8th West

Remarks on Sunday May 4th

These 24 hours moderate breezes and fine pleasant weather the N.E. with all sail set Trumble on better Brown little So Ends Lat 28th 54 Long by Obs 167th 40

Remarks on Monday May 5th

Fine pleasant weather and healthy breezes from S.E. the N.E. with all sail out watch variously employed in Ships duty invalids not better I am below sick So Ends

Remarks on Tuesday May 6th

Light variable winds and fine weather the N.E. with all sail out watch employed in ordinary duty about the Ship invalids not much better took up a little So Ends Lat 30th 15th West

Remarks on Wednesday May 7th

First part moderate breezes and happing the West with all sail out latter strong breezes from South and hazy weather watch employed in drawing and knotting yards So Ends the invalids all got about - took again Lat by Obs 32nd 24th West

Remarks on Thursday May 8th

Begins with fresh gales from South and hazy weather the West at 5 PM took in the standing sails the Royal 8th Jib the N.E. gales increasing and drishly at 4 took in the gallant sail set up fore topmast backstays at 4 PM double reefed topmast and set off N.E. at 10 PM wind shifted sudden to N.E. and moderated we made sail set top gallant sail and set by the with all tacks aboard latter moderate breezes and fine weather and all swell from about leeward

Remarks on Friday May 9th

Lat by Obs 33rd 30th Long by Obs 173rd 42nd West