

# Barge Fortune of New Bedford Capt Davis

Remarks for Thursday Nov 4<sup>th</sup>

Lying in the port of mohe with fine weather and pleasant winds got of from the shore 1 boat load of pumpkin squashes and received from the schooner Sally 15 bls potatoes myself quite unwell all day with disca

Remarks for Friday Nov 5<sup>th</sup>

Lying in the port of mohe with fine weather and light winds employed in lettering the name over on the stern running some molasses out of bls in casks and stowing it down storage hatch and scrubbing of the decks several shifed men came on board and brought of their things myself still continue unwell but rather better and signed the ship articles at the consul office

Remarks for Saturday Nov 6<sup>th</sup>

Lying in the port of mohe with fine weather and strong breezes most of the day not much going on on board being so unwell not able to attend to it got a few clothing from the shore let two men lay and boatster go ashore on liberty one boatster we shiped paid his advance back and backout

Remarks for Sunday Nov 7<sup>th</sup>

Lying in the port of mohe with fine weather and light winds being Sunday nothing going on on board except 2 returned ashore on liberty myself about the same as yesterday went on shore and got medical advice came on board again and went to bed feeling quite sick

Remarks for Monday Nov 8<sup>th</sup>

Lying in the port of mohe with fine weather and light breezes employed in turning the two quarter boats up and painting them and turning them back on the cranes again cleared up the decks myself much better

Remarks for Tuesday Nov 9<sup>th</sup>

Lying in the port of mohe with cloudy weather and light winds some thunder and lightning in the distance employed in painting waist boat and bow boat

Remarks for Wednesday Nov 10<sup>th</sup>

Lying in the port of mohe with fine weather and light winds nothing much doing capt shipping men and sending them aboard

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Remarks for Thursday Nov 11<sup>th</sup> 1852

Lying in the port of mohe with fine weather and light winds nothing doing on board shiped 2<sup>th</sup> and third mate and 2 men before the mast

Remarks for Friday Nov 12<sup>th</sup> 1852

Lying in the port of mohe with fine weather and light winds nothing doing on board got of some of the men shiped with here

Remarks for Saturday Nov 13<sup>th</sup>

This day commences with pleasant and calm employed in getting ready to take the anchor and proceed to sea about 1<sup>st</sup> O'clock made sail and weighed anchor with light breeze from SE stood out about 1 mile for the molier passage the wind left me and the current being ahead had to set go anchor again where we lay untill the capt came on board and also the second & third mates got supper and about 6 O'clock made sail and weighed anchor again with light breeze and fair tide stood out in the passage and kept the ship about WNW set the watch fired the anchor and got things stung for the night

Remarks for Sunday Nov 14<sup>th</sup>

This day commences with pleasant weather and moderate wind employ in getting the anchors on the bow and securing them and stowing the cables middle light winds from SE & SE steering by the winds to the southward last part the same choose watches and boat crews

Remarks for Monday Nov 15<sup>th</sup>

This day commences with light winds from southeastward steering S by E and cloudy weather with a heavy head beat sea middle and last the same employed in setting up foretopgallant stay and back stay main ditto foretopmast back stays and royal back stays and getting boats for whaling by the pumps found the ship was making a considerable water

Remarks for Tuesday Nov 16<sup>th</sup>

This day commences with light winds and pleasant weather from SE middle and last strong winds heading S by E employed in corking and painting waist boat stowing up the fore hatch grinding and cleaning whaling craft found one man had stowed away on board at mohe took him in larboard watch the Lat 18° 15' Long 159° 36' capt quite sick with dysentary