

St Helena 1860

Sunday April 1st these 24 hours strong breeze: at 7 A.M. the Starboard watch went on liberty.

Monday April 2^d these 24 hours strong breeze with passing squalls of rain. at 8 A.M. the watch all came on Board. employed getting off water & stowing it away.

Tuesday April 3^d these 24 hours fresh breeze with rain. employed getting off wood & painting the Mends. one watch on liberty.

Wednesday April 4th these 24 hours fresh breeze with rain. took off 8 Barrels of Beef. at 8 A.M. the watch all came on Board & the other watch went on liberty. took 4 Barrels of slush on shore.

Thursday April 5th these 24 hours fresh breeze with some rain. employed getting off water & stowing it away. at 8 A.M. the watch all came on Board.

Friday April 6th these 24 hours pleasant weather employed Breaking for oil to send on shore setting up rigging & painted the Mizzen Mast.

Saturday April 7th these 24 hours pleasant weather took on shore 3.66 Gallons sperm oil. employed getting ready for sea. Discharged Bartholemew Newton sick.

Sunday April 8th these 24 hours pleasant weather at 8 A.M. three men went on liberty. at daylight all came on Board.

Monday April 9th these 24 hours pleasant weather. at 9 A.M. three men came on Board that were shipped. all ready for sea. at 7 P.M. took our anchor with all hands on Board except the Capt. & stood out to sea.

Tuesday April 10th Commences with a light breeze from the S.E. employed stowing the anchors & Chains. at Noon tacked in shore.

Sat. Jobs 15. 488
Long. 5. 52. 20

Wednesday April 11th Commences with a light breeze from the S.E. with pleasant weather. at 4 P.M. tacked off shore to the E. & S. the land about 12 miles distant. the Keoka in sight. Middle & latter parts cloudy. at 12 midnight tacked to the S.W. spoke the Keoka. at 2 P.M. steered N.E. for the land.

Sat. Jobs 16. 268
Long. 5. 41. 20

Thursday April 12th Commences with a moderate breeze from the S.E. & cloudy. steering N.E. for the land. at 4 P.M. took in the light sail at 9 P.M. hauled by the wind to the eastward & shortened sail. Middle & latter parts strong wind & hazy at 11 A.M. went on shore for the Captain. received a note saying he was very bad with the Disentery & to go out till Monday next.

Sat. Jobs 15. 528
Long. 5. 45. 20

Friday April 13th Commences with a fresh breeze from the S.E. with hazy weather. at 3 P.M. came on Board. Capt. Grinnell sent one of his men on Board who had Deserted from him & requested me to put him on Board of the Keoka. stood off to the E. & S. under Double reef Topsails. the Keoka & odd Kellow in sight. Middle & latter parts cloudy. hazy weather with a strong breeze. at 3 A.M. tacked to the S.W. saw three sail.

Sat. Jobs 15. 568

Saturday April 14th Commences with a fresh breeze from the S.E. with cloudy hazy weather. heading S.W. by W. at 4 P.M. wore ship to the E. & S. the Island about 18 miles distant. Middle & latter parts wind & weather the same. at 3 A.M. tacked to the S.W. employed at ship's Duty.

Sat. Jobs 15. 568
Long. 5. 27. 20