

Remarks continued

761st

Wednes April 5th 1871

This day commences with light breeze 4. Calcutta in sight. Gaming with the Robert Morrison same time saw the Bk Desdemona Nauticus & Brig Starlight. At sundown took on the light sail. Mid part splendid weather at 11.0 clock broke up the gam. brought 226 lbs of Tobacco from the R. M. Nauticus. Moderate breeze saw 2 merchantmen & Bk Desdemona

762nd

Thurs April 6th

This day commences the same saw several sails at sundown took in the light sail. Mid part steering by the wind on the Starboard tack at 12.0 clock wore ship. Latter part set the main sail steering by the wind on the Starboard tack. Passed the Bk Nauticus & Desdemona

Broke out Reef on the Starboard tack. Passed the Bk Nauticus & Desdemona

763rd

Friday April 7th

This day commences the same saw the Starlight. At sundown shortened sail. Land 20 miles distant bearing N.W. Mid part the same. Latter part fresh breeze from the S.E. Bk Robert Morrison in sight. Bore out Palm & Water

764th

Sat April 8th

This day commences the same made all sail washed the ship from the dry dock forward. At 4.30 clock Capt. Macomber came aboard saw 3 other whales at sundown shortened sail. Mid part fine weather broke up the gam at 11.0 clock. Latter part fresh breeze made all sail down in 4 sails in sight

Bk Globe at St Helena

765th

Sun April 9th 1871

This day commences with fresh breeze accompanied with rain squalls. 4 sails in sight hauled up the cables and sent them on & got the anchors off the bow. caught 30 Albicore. At 5.0 clock came to anchor & furled the sails. here at anchor Bk Desdemona Nauticus Leonidas & Brig Abou Lawrence & Starlight. (laying off and on Bk Boston. I have obtained 113 letters) Mid part rainy. Latter part fine weather & watch ashore

766th

Mon April 10th

This day commences the same. Bk Robert Morrison came in I have got 6 letters from home to day. Mid part the same. Latter part fine weather washed of the ship outside

767th

Tues April 11th 1871

This day commences the same. Mid part fine weather. Latter part moderate weather broke out 120 bbls of oil. Litter it and got it in readiness for transshipping.

768th

Wednesday April 12th 1871

This day commences the same (Bk Ohio sailed) Mid part the same. Latter part fresh breeze till hands employed in transshipping oil aboard of the R. Morrison came aboard 118 bbls. There was a man killed whose last night belonging to the Desdemona was killed in a row.

769th

Thurs April 13th 1871

This day commences the same employed in breaking out oil from the after hold. Mid part fine weather. Latter part employed in transshipping oil aboard of the R. Morrison