

Bark Alfred Gibbs, off Juan Fernandez

Remarks Thursday Jan 12th 1871
 Begins with fresh breeze from S. heading
 by to the S.W. at 6 P.M. wind hauled to the S.W.
 wore to the westward. Saw a Sulphur bottom.
 Latter part fresh breeze. Lat 34-25 Long 77-49

Remarks Friday Jan 13th
 Begins with strong breeze from S. at 4 1/2 P.M.
 spoke the Bark Palmeto of N. Bedford
 30 months out - too all told whole & spars.
 at 8 P.M. put away for Juan. Latter part
 strong winds from S.W. at 4 1/4 A.M. Juan
 in sight, bearing by compass N. by N. Dist-
 25 miles, passed over a reef in three minutes
 the ship was over it. Bottom was plainly
 seen by my mate and the boat storer at
 mast head. We do not know what it could
 have been (unless) if not a reef. at 9 lowered
 three boats to go fishing and to get some
 potatoes. So Ends.

Remarks Saturday Jan 14th
 Begins with strong winds from S by E.
 The bark off and on at Juan. two boats
 in fishing. at 6 1/2 P.M. returned to the
 ship with quite a lot of fish, and 15 Bbls of
 potatoes and some garden sauce. The Reindeer
 and Bark Andrew Whit were off and on to.
 Latter part strong breeze from S. heading
 by to the Eastward. Latter part

Lat 33-49 Long 78-02
 Remarks Sunday Jan 15th
 Begins with strong winds from S. heading
 by to the Eastward. Saw Sulphur bottoms.
 Spoke the Andrew Whit. Latter part strong
 winds from S. heading by to the Eastward
 under double reefed top sails. The Whit in
 company. Lat 33-35 Long 76-54

Bark Alfred Gibbs cruising off Maube...

Remarks Monday Jan 16th 1871
 Begins with strong winds from the S. heading
 by to the Eastward under double reefed top sails.
 at 1 P.M. took in the fore sail. at 4 1/2 took in
 the fore top sail. blowing a moderate gale.
 Barometer 30 25/100 Thermometer 60° Latter part a gale
 from the S. The Whit in sight. Lat 33-25 Long 76-09

Remarks Tuesday Jan 17th
 Begins with a gale from the S. have too
 head to the E. under double reefed main top sail
 and stay sails. Latter part strong winds but more
 moderate. Saw Sulphur Bottoms. Lat 33-12 Long 75-21

Remarks Wednesday Jan 18th
 Begins with strong winds from S by E
 heading by to the E under double reef. Spoke
 the A Whit. sold 5 Bbls Beef. Latter part
 more moderate. Lat 33-12

Remarks Thursday Jan 19th
 Begins with moderate breeze from S. heading
 by to the Eastward under whole top sails
 two sails in sight at 7 P.M. shortened sail
 and luffed, wore ship to the S.W. saw Sulphur
 bottoms. Latter part light and calm, and
 the thick weather. three sails in sight.
 Lat 32-57 Long 74-21

Remarks Friday Jan 20th
 Begins with light air from the South West.
 heading by the wind to the Westward. Saw
 Paw Partridges, and Sulphur bottoms.
 Latter part light and baffling air and calm.
 Lat 32-49 Long 74-25

Remarks Saturday Jan 21st
 Begins with light air and calm.
 Latter part light air from S. Saw No Duck
 and Kells. the A Whits still in company.
 Lat 32-30 Long 74-55