

Ship Isaac Howland

Friday
November 17th 1837 Commences with moderate trades
and clear weather running down
the coast at 6 P.M. shortened
sail to 3 topsails & brig in
sight hauled down the coast
latter part calm so ends this
day

Saturday
November 18th 1837 At 2 P.M. came to an anchor
off Tombez bar in 5 feet home
water pulled the sails and
cut and hoisted off 3 loads
of wood. All cut and hoisted
off 6 loads all mangrove

Sunday
19th Took on board 100 water melons
100 pumpkins 2 goats 1 hog & 30 lbs
sweet potatoes 2 dozen fowl &c
and prepared for sea

Monday
20th of November At 5 P.M. weighed our anchor
and stood out to sea wind
at West and to S.W. weathered
dead mans Island without
tacking on the flood tide
latter part fresh trades
employed stinging and lashing
up pumpkins &c unshackled
the cables lashed the anchors &c
Set by Ab 2nd 42 South

Wooding at Tombez &c &c &c &c &c

Tuesday
the 21st of Nov. Moderate trades passing clouds
heading up from West to N.W. &c
with all sail set to advantage

Wednesday
November 22nd Fresh & trades and haze
heading up N.W. by N. shifted
the Fore & Main Topsails and jib
mending sails &c nothing in
sight
Set by Ab 3rd 1 South

Thursday
November 23rd At 4 work on a main Topsail
&c weather thick and cool
latter part clear saw finbacks
Middle part rainy

Friday
November 24th 1837 Begins with light trades heading up
N.W. by N. have some canvas on a
Fore Topsail

Saturday
25th 1837 Moderate trades and
clear heading up N.W. by S
Employed variously nothing
in sight
Set by Ab 4th 00 S
Long 3rd 08 West