

James Allen at Lumber

Friday March 19th 1847

Moderate winds sailing round to the South at sunset Lumber Point bore NE dist 10 mds saw a ship off the Point middle and latter part light and fine a strong current setting to windward No Obs

Saturday 20th Light trades running the land & down at midnight saw Lumber Point bearing NE at 7 PM dropped anchor in 12 fathom water middle part calm latter part light and waiting for the tide to turn round

Sunday 21st Lat 33°
Light winds at 1 PM got underway at 3 PM got our anchor in 4 or 5 fathoms water sent a raft on shore at sunset took off 70 lbs water middle and latter part all hands on board round

Monday 22nd Began fine all hands on board middle and latter part the same getting water Lat 33°

Tuesday 23rd Fine weather, employed getting water at 6 PM the ship John Adams came to anchor in Lumber Roads latter part watering round

Wednesday 24th Fair weather getting water at 10 PM finished watering latter part one watch on liberty round

Thursday 25th One watch on liberty at 4 PM the ship came to anchor 19 ms out 7 PM latter part fair fine round

Friday 26th One watch on liberty Frankly coming in 20 ms out 9 PM latter part sent down the Man (Yard)

Saturday March 27th 1847

One watch on shore at sunset all returned in good order found weather Sunday 28th Lumber watch on liberty round Monday 29th Lumber watch on liberty weather fine

Tuesday 30th Strong winds getting off recruits one watch on liberty at sunset all returned except the Cooks middle and latter part fine Robert E. and his men 15 to 60 lbs

Wednesday 31st Fine weather, sent a small raft into the river middle and latter part getting off recruits Cooks returned after about 24 hours after his liberty was out round

Thursday April 1st 1847 Employed getting off Potatoes and a small raft of water middle and latter part getting ready for sea

Friday 2nd Fine weather, nearly ready for sea middle and latter part fine all ready for sea

Saturday 3rd Now ready for sea middle part calm at 7 AM took the anchor and stood to the N by E employed stowing anchors Lat of Lumber 33°

Sunday 4th Fine weather with light fine fine N. W. heading M. I. M. and S. M. middle and latter part wind South round Lat 33° Long 81° 37'

Monday 5th Fresh winds heading West at sunset heaved to heading N. W. with the fore top sail to the mast by so through the night at daylight heaved forward and stood N. W. some as fine Lat 33°