

November 2nd 1859. Fine weather strong breeze from the S. E. Steering S. by W. broke out for water, repaired the Old Clincher Built Boat, and washed her ready for painting making a pump arm, passed to the leeward of Jarvis, Island. This morning crossed the Equinoctial Line this forenoon. Long 160. 12. W. Lat 0. 27. S.

3rd Dec Fine weather strong breeze from the S. E. Steering S. by W. put the Starboard Boat on the cranes and took the Waist Boat in on deck and repaired her, made new main royal lifts to work on various small jobs in the rigging, making a pump arm broke out fork anchor and lif. saw a school of Hump Backs to night. to night Lat. 3. 12. S.

4th Dec Fine weather moderate breeze from the S. E. Steering S. by W. put the Waist Boat on the cranes, and painted the old Boat on the booms, ready for sale, broke out molasses, picking oakum, to work on various small jobs in the rigging, saw nothing Lat 5. 18. S Long 162. 5. W.

5th Dec Fine weather moderate breeze from the S. E. steering S. by W. repaired the fore top sails, lifts, sent up new fore top gallant foot ropes made bunt gaskets for the head yards. Lat 8. 15. S.

6th Sunday Pleasant weather strong breeze from the S. E. steering S. by W. until we saw Mark Reef and Langer. Island then steered S. W. Little part of the day squally. Lat 10. 36. S Long 168. 44.

7th Dec Equally weather strong breeze from the E. steering S. W. made some mats and baskets to put fruit in when we get to the Islands, rose new gaff top and sheet, broke out flour and butter Lat. 12. 36. S. Long. 168. 13. W.

November 8th 1859. Dec Fine weather moderate breeze from the S. E. Steering S. W. by W. The Old Man is repairing the Old Waist Boat, broke out water, making a sernab at 11 o'clock A. M. raised the Islands of Tammahloak and Oloashinga, on our weather bow, at 2. Bell raised the Island of Lutuilla. Lat. 13. 38. S.

9th Dec Fine weather light breeze from the S. E. by off and on the Island last, sent a boat on shore this morning but could not find a good place to anchor. There a Pilot came on board and took us to the windward of the Island went in and anchored at Pogo Pogo Harbor, at 8 o'clock. P. M. saw a ship to the leeward of us, supposed her to be the European at 7 o'clock saw a brig close to.

10th Dec Fine weather lying at anchor in bay got a raft of water this morning and one boat load of wood sent down the main top gallant yard and put new bushings in the mast the old man traded one of the Boats off for some fruit got 150 bunches of bananas 9.5 baskets of fine apples coconuts many apples, limes shells &c. The Capt went on board of a Dutch brig that is lying off and on, would the day after to day.

11th Dec Fine weather the Old Man went ashore a trading to day we got 35 bunches of bananas, 25 baskets Oranges, 55 baskets of fine Apples, some limes shells &c. This morning got 2 pigs got 80. Boat loads of wood and stored it.

12th Dec Raining part of the day all hands went ashore to day a report to a Remakha Church, to day is Sunday with them and Saturday with us but we keep today the ship is Luvord Sunday and some of the natives dare come off to trade, sent a boat and crew with the Pilot out to the small Island which is about 8 or 9 miles to the windward, after some hogs and other things.