

Bark John A. Robb, Cruising on New Holland

Tuesday, June 21st 1857.

This day Comes in with fine weather and moderate breeze from the Southward, the Bark Standing to the S. E. all hands employed Stowing down oil. Saw several vessels.

Lat 22.53° Long 108.15°

Wednesday June 22^d

Comes in with fresh breeze from S.W. the Bark Stung by the wind to the W. N. W. Saw several vessels, the water employed Washing ship, & Sundry jobs, one man Sick and one laid up with a lamelleg.

Lat 22.48° Long 107.40°

Thursday June 23^d

These twenty four hours. Moderate breeze from South veering to the Eastward, Middle and latter part much the same. Saw nothing. One man off duty Sick.

Lat 23.03°

Friday June 24th

Comes in with light breeze from the N. E. Stung W. N. W. Middle part standing to the Northward. Saw nothing. Ends with light breeze from the N. W. the Sick ones about the same.

Lat 23.24° Long 109.22°

Saturday June 25th

Comes in with fine weather and moderate breeze from the Westward, the Bark in company with the Europa Middle and latter part much the same. Saw nothing of any consequence.

No obs.

Sunday June 26th

Comes in with fine weather and moderate breeze from the S.W. Middle and latter part much the same. Saw nothing. Ends with light baffling winds.

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Monday June 27th 1857

This day Comes in with fine weather and moderate breeze from the East Ward Stung off N.W. Saw Hillyer and Jimacks, one sail in sight to the Northward, one man. Wm. Rennie of duty Sick. Employed repairing the flying Vibs.

Lat 22.46° Long 105.00°

Tuesday June 28th

Comes in with strong breeze from the S.W. the Bark on the Western tack Middle part blowing fresh from the S. E. Ends with strong breeze several vessels in sight.

Lat 23.10° Long 104.70°

Wednesday June 29th

These twenty four hours fresh gales and rough weather the Bark laying to with the fore topsail in Main topsail double reefed, the Bark Roathlaw in company, two other vessels in sight to the leeward. Two men off duty Sick.

Lat 23.05° Long 104.23°

Thursday June 30th

Comes in with strong breeze from S.E. the Bark on lying too heading to the S. S.W. Saw nothing but two vessels, the Sick ones about the same. latter part a little more moderate.

Lat 23.34° Long 104.28°

Friday July 1st

This day Comes in with fine weather and light breeze from the N.E. Middle and latter part much the same, saw nothing. Ends with fine weather, the Plover and Oriole in company.

Lat 23.02° Long 104.11°

Saturday July 2^d

Comes in with fine weather and light breeze from the N.E. Stung to the Westward Middle part Calm, saw nothing. the Sick man is gone to duty.

Lat 23.05° Long 103.48°