

Journal of the Bark John Dawson bound

Sunday Aug. 20th 1866

Commenced with light variable breeze, steering to the Southward & Eastward at 4 AM spoke the French Bark, Isabel of Rodney Captain Duteil, from Callio bound to Ketchikan mid-part heading S by E, fine weather latter part fine clear weather heading S. Runps attended

Lat 3° 07 South
Long 33° 54 West

Monday 21st

Commenced with calm at 4 PM a light breeze sprang up from the S E steering S E Benjamin Stengard on duty again latter part light breeze from the Eastward heading N by E water engaged squaring & ceasing on the lower rigging & c. the French Bark Isabel in sight Runps attended to

Lat 1° 57 South
Long 33° 52 West

Tuesday 22^d

Commenced with light breeze from Eastward heading N by E water engaged setting starboard side fore & main topmast rigging & c. middle & latter part light breeze and fine weather water engaged rattling down starboard side main topmast rigging & c. Runps attended to

Lat 00° 37 North
Long 33° 43 West

North James Cottle Master

Wednesday 23^d

Commenced with moderate breeze from the Eastward heading S by E water engaged working in the rigging & c. at 5 PM lowered, and starboard boat hauled a Black fish mid-part wind veered to the Southered steering S by E latter part weather still continuing fine water engaged rattling down starboard side of the fore topmast rigging & c. Runps attended to

Lat 2° 14 North
Long 33° 27 West

Thursday 24^d

Commenced with light breeze from the Southered steering S by E the French Bark Isabel in sight water engaged boiling out the Black fish & working in the rigging latter part wind very light water engaged setting port side of the fore & main topmast rigging & c. fine weather Runps attended to

Lat 3° 47 North
Long 32° 42 West

Friday 25^d

Commenced with light breeze from the Southered steering S by E by S water engaged setting up main topmast rigging & c. middle & latter part light variable breeze heading to the S by E water engaged working in the rigging & c. saw a Bark standing to the S by E Runps attended to

Lat 4° 36 North
Long 32° 20 West