

Hark. A Hicks laying at Anchor at Mohe 1848

Feb 6th

Wednesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light. Northwardly wind the Capt went on shore this morning mid & latter parts the same. Frank Toberro & Marcelino deserted from the boat while on duty so ends this day

Feb 7th

Thursday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & Northwardly wind not much going on about decks mid & latter parts the same. Arms off duty work. Nathan Sniff off duty with a sore foot at 2. Am the Capt went on shore so ends this day

Feb 8th

Friday. First of these 24 hours fine weather at night Capt came on board mid & latter part fine weather at 2 hours. Am Capt went on shore hands employed in various jobs about deck so ends this day

Feb 9th

Saturday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & Northwardly wind mid & latter parts weather much the same. 3 more of our crew deserted last night there names are. Abidillo James Durmito & Nicholas Porter so ends this day

Feb 10th

Sunday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light. Northwardly wind caught one of the men that ran away and brought him on board his name is. Nicholas Porter Boat went on shore this morning & came off at 8. And so ends this day Jack. Arms off. Nathan Sniff came on duty to day

Feb 11th

Monday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & Northwardly wind mid & latter part the same so ends this day

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Feb 12th

Tuesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & variable wind at 8 hours. And fetched of 3 of our men that deserted when from the ship when we were in sea before there. Names are William & Joseph. Heavens low Dr. Lomb & Joseph. Mountains mid & latter parts passing showers so ends this day

Feb 13th

Wednesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather passing showers & variable wind mid & latter parts cloudy weather Capt went on shore to day so ends

Feb 14th shipped & steered & he came on board to day Charles & Chief by name

Thursday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light variable wind hands employed in various jobs about decks mid & latter parts the same Boat went on shore this morning & returned at 11 hours. And there took our. Anchor & went to sea so ends this day

Feb 15th

Friday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a moderate breeze from the Northward North steering by the wind heading NE by E several Islands in sight at night mid & latter parts strong breeze 2 sail in sight so ends this day Lat 3.40 Long 56.10

Feb 16th

Saturday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & Northwardly wind North steering different courses saw 2 sail & the land at dark Denis Island in sight at bore ESE mid & latter parts the same saw a school of Blackfish so ends this day Lat 3.45 Long 56.06

Feb 17th

Sunday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & Northwardly wind North steering by the wind saw a Pinback also saw a sail & the land mid & latter parts the same Denis Island in sight so ends this day Lat 3.25 Long 56.00