

Remarks on board Ship Daniel Wood 1853
March.

Saturday 12th commenced with pleasant
57.34 weather and light winds from S.
72.04 steering by to N. Middle calm. 3 P.M.
fine breeze from N.N.E. course N. S.W.
7 A.M. hauled N.W. took in light sails
9. double reefed.

Beware to whom you commit the secrets of your mind

Sunday 13 commences with fine breeze from
57.00 N.N.W. course N. S.W. 3 P.M. furl'd Main
75.00 and close reefed. thick rainy weather.
5 furl'd J. & Main Top, and Fore sail.
10 A.M. moderated. double reef. Jib & Main.

Positiveness is one of the most certain marks of a weak judgment

Monday 14 commences with fine S.W. winds
56.40 & made all sail. light winds and
76.10 pleasant weather.

Resolution without foresight is but folly.

Tuesday 15 Light E. S.W. winds and pleasant
58.48 weather. course N. S.W. 3 saw a brig on S. bar
79.05 standing to S.E. 7 A.M. broke out fore hole
for Bread & Water. large ship on the quarter.

Seek little you find, and you will not lose your labor.

Wednesday 16 fine from main sail on weather
55.24 sun. 7 A.M. took in sail. 6 A.M. wind
81.31 hauled west.

Simple men show their sense by saying much in a few words.

Thursday 17 commences with strong winds &
pleasant weather from S.W. bying to
close reefed M.T. 9 set Fore sail. 7 A.M.
made all sail. course N.N.W.

Sweet and sound is the sleep of an indolent mind.

Friday 18 commences with fine winds and
53.48 foggy weather. all sail set. 3 P.M.
81.30 took in light sails. 6 made sail. N.N.W.

Speak up for yourself, and always with modesty.
Haste is but a poor apology: Take time, and do your business well

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Saturday 19 Commences with fine N. winds
course N.N.W. & A.M. caught a porpoise
bends &c

Superior abilities are acquired by long application

Sunday 20 commences with light N.W.
48.00 winds and pleasant weather. steering
81.32 by to the S.W. Middle and later same.

True fortitude is a distinguishing mark of a great mind.

Monday 21 commences with fine N.N.W.
winds and pleasant weather. steering
by to N. 5 P.M. took in light sails
& double reefed. 8 A.M. wind hauled
S.W. made all sail. course N.N.W.

The greater the difficulty, the more glory in surmounting it.

Tuesday 22 Fine West winds pleasant
47.20 weather. course N.N.W. all sail set.
83.32 Unwelcome news is always soon enough heard.

Wednesday 23 commences with fine S.W.
45.00 winds and pleasant weather. 6 P.M.
81.32 wind hauled N. with squalls and
much rain. 11 strong winds bying to
close reefed M.T.

Beware of a bad woman, and be careful how you trust a good one.

Thursday 24. Strong N. winds and rain.
42.36 3 P.M. Wind hauled S.W. head sea.
81.02. 8 made all sail. 9 sent up Main
Royal and set it. S. holding Sails
6 A.M. broke out fore hole for water.

He who would catch fish, must not mind getting wet.

Friday 25 commences with light N. winds
steering by to N. employed ships duty.
middle and later same.

Judge not of a ship as a ship, as she lies on the stocks.
Gales from the N. with rain are of short duration
generally shift to the S.W.

Ship Daniel Wood 3 mos out 50 sh.