

Blk Mary Frasier of New Bedford

Monday, July 14th 614
Begin with strong breeze from S.W. With Squally
Weather Ship Under all sail. Steering N by W.
Middle & Latter parts Moderate breeze from
S.E. With fine weather Steering N by E. intending
to touch at Savage Island for recruits
Lat 19:39 Long 169:57

Tuesday July 15th 615
Begin with wind & weather the same
at 2 P.M. I saw the Land ahead, Steered
off for the Sea End of the Island, at dark
the Land bearing N by E, distant 15 miles
Middle part wind the same Latter part
light breeze & Baffling Ship about 4 miles
from the Land, at 7 A.M. the Capt went on
shore to track for Game So Ends

Wednesday July 16th 616
Begin with light baffling wind & good
weather at 4 P.M. the Capt came on board
after fending off the recruits. Steered off, steering
W by S. Middle & Latter parts strong trades
from S.E. With good weather Course W by N.
Lat 19:57 Long 172:32 West

Thursday July 17th 617
Begin with strong trade winds from S.E.
With good weather Ship Under all sail
steering W by N. for the Sea End of Cava
Middle & Latter parts Wind & the same
at 10 A.M. Made the Land ahead

Friday July 18th 618
Begin with Wind More Moderate Ship
Under all sail running in for the Land
Worked into the Bay until dark, finding no
anchorage, ran out again, came to anchor
to wait until daylight. At daylight stood
into the Bay, and at 12 M, came to anchor
Under the Lea of an Island, in 38 fathoms of water
With best Bower, and 85 fathoms of Chain
So Ends Friday Sea account

John S Nye, Master, at Cava July 16.73

Friday, July 18th Civil Acct 618
This afternoon the Captains came together
and agreed to mate the four Ships, Now
here, viz. John Howland, Rainbow, Martha
and Mary Frasier, for the Season, Mating each
Ship to Lower four Boats whenever
Practicable

Saturday July 19th 619
This day good weather, with light trades
At daylight Lowered four Boats, and cruised
for Whales, Saw one small Whale, did not strike
At sunset returned to the Ship

Sunday, July 20th 620
This day nearly Calm, with Pleasant
Weather, Boats all on board, I shall not
Whale on Sundays at present, if at all

Monday July 21st 621
This day good weather and fine breeze
all day, Lowered four Boats Saw several
Whales but no boat struck, among the 15
Cruising. The John Howland Boiling a
small Whale, she got, on the morning of
of the 18th before Mating.

Tuesday July 22nd 622
This day light breeze & good weather Lowered
four Boats Whaling, Several Whales seen,
The boat from the John Howland got a
Cow Whale to day, and took it to the Ship.

Wednesday July 23th 623
This day good breeze and good weather
Lowered four Boats Whaling, Several Whales
seen, Got one Whale to the Rainbows Boat
Worked up with Nipe Boats, and took him
to the Ship So Ends