

Bank Matilda Vess of Dartmouth Capt Howland

Remarks June Aug 17th 1862

Fore part strong breeze from S E steering S W under double reefed topsails at dark luffed to the wind on the Southern tack fusled the main sail. Middle part squally with rain. Latter part moderating. Lat by Obs 4th 22 S

Remarks Mone Aug 18th

Fore part strong breeze steering S E at the pits & main sail at dark luffed to the wind & took in the jib heading S W & Middle part the same. Latter part steering S S W started a cask of Brack Aug 10th W Lat by Obs 4th 29 S

Remarks Tusa Aug 19th

Fore part strong breeze from E S E steering to the Southward employed sitting up the Bobstays. He saw a ship to windward. Middle & Latter part more moderate employed repairing a Top Sail Long by Chron 10th 26 W Lat by Obs 5th 14 S

Remarks Mone Aug 20th

Fore part fine weather heading S S E finished the Top Sail & bent it to the main hook out a cask of Brack. Middle & Latter part much the same employed making a new Bunt for the main top sail Long by Chron 10th 11 W Lat by Obs 5th 31 S

Remarks Tusa Aug 21th

Fore part strong breeze heading to the S S E employed picking over Potatoes. He saw nothing. Middle & Latter part fine weather. Steering S W after 7 A.M. saw some Sulphur Bottoms Long by Chron 10th 16 W Lat by Obs 4th 32 S

Cruising on the off Shore Ground

Remarks Tusa Aug 22nd 1862

Fore part moderate breeze & fine weather from E S E steering S W employed repairing a Main Top Sail at dark luffed to the wind to the S and several pieces of Squid. Middle part the same. Latter part steering S S W Lat by Obs 5th 12 S

Remarks Tusa Aug 23rd

Fore part moderate breeze from E by S steering S S W employed repairing a Main Top Sail fine weather at dark luffed to the wind heading S E by S. Middle part the same. Latter part steering S W employed heaving out for Water Park. Long by Chron 10th 25 W Lat by Obs 4th 13 S

Remarks Tusa Aug 24th

Fore part fine breeze from E S E steering S W at dark took in the light sails & luffed to the wind on the Southern tack. Middle part the same. Latter part squally with rain double reefed the Top Sails steering S S W Lat by Obs

Remarks Mone Aug 25th

Fore part strong breeze from E by S steering S W at dark luffed to the wind heading S E by E. Middle & Latter part much the same. Long by Chron 10th 07 W Lat by Obs 4th 33 S

Remarks Tusa Aug 25th

Fore part strong breeze from E S E heading to the Southward saw Ship's Bottoms. Middle & Latter part much the same employed making sail &c