

Bark Matilda Chase of Dartmouth Capt Howland
Remarks none Jan 18th 1864

For part fresh breeze from the N^W stirring S^E at 7 P^M
luffed to the wind heading N^E close reefed the
top sail & took in the fore sail. Miceae part the wind
heading to the W^W & moderating latter part stirring
N^E by N^W employees washing bone
Lat 43° 29' S Long 80° 03' W

Remarks Tusa Jan 19th

For part a fresh breeze from W^W N^W, stirring S^E,
freshened washing bone started a bit of breeze
Miceae part moderate latter part thick & rainy
employees washing ship &c
Long 78° 22' W Lat 44° 40' S

Remarks Manua Jan 20th

For part moderate breeze from the N^W stirring
N^E caught two Porpoises Miceae part the
wind hauls more to the W^W latter part the
wind very light employees arawing & knitting
yarns from an old cutting trace for bone spun yarn
Long 76° 48' W Lat 44° 20' S

Remarks Tusa Jan 21st

For part light breeze from the S^W stirring N^E
unbent the old fore sail & bent a new one
saw nothing but Porpoises Miceae part moderate
at 11 P^M luffed to the wind with the main
yard aback till daylight when we kept her off
N^E at 5 A^M saw Tusa to the S of Huala
latter part heading in to the E saw Finbeck's
employees making bone spun yarn
Long 75° 00' W Lat 44° 18' S

Cruising off Huala

Remarks Tusa Jan 22nd 1864

For part a strong breeze from the S^W stirring for
Huala at 3 P^M luffed to the wind the Tusa on
the lee beam dist 15 or 20 miles the ship heading N^W
Miceae & latter part moderate at 12 the center of the
Island bore N^W dist 12 miles Lat 43° 44' S

Remarks Tusa Jan 23rd

For part a moderate breeze from the W^W stirring in
N^W N^E, at 2 P^M wore off shore at 3 1/2 P^M the wind
hauld into the S^W came on thick & rainy wore
new main & main top sail braces new fore clew garnet
& reef tackles at 6 P^M heaving on bow ship & double
reefed the fore top sail part the back of the main
top gallant sail Miceae part heaving latter part a
gale from S^W took in the jib & open her
Lat 43° 21' S

Remarks Tusa Jan 24th

For part the gale continued heading to the S^W & E
at 3 P^M wore ship to the W^W Miceae part moderating
latter part at the fore sail & wore reefed fore top sail
heading to the S^E Lat 43° 11' S

Remarks None Jan 25th

For part moderate breeze from the S^W heading
S^E & quite rugged at sundown moderate Miceae
part thick & rainy latter part the same N^W 063

Remarks None Jan 26th

For part thick & rainy the wind from the S heading
to the E at 5 P^M saw the Tusa saw a sail 4 points
on the lee bow at 7 P^M the Tusa bore E & E dist 15 or
20 miles cloudy hazy weather Miceae part the
same latter part rather moderating 2 ships in
sight stirring to the N^W we fetched in to wind
ward of the Island at 10 A^M