

Wednesday December the 21st the 1847
the first part moderate got two
boats load of wood sold 592 pounds
of flour and traded some bread
and fish for fruit sent two canisters
in search of the deserters but could
not find them through the night
calm at 4pm went on shore and
got a boat load of wood at 10pm
got under way and stood out the
bay steered N^W by N impland in stony

Thursday December 22nd the 1847
the first part a fresh breeze steering
N^W by N middle steered N^W at
daylight saw St. Eustatius hauld up
for it latter the same saw several
sail so ends this day

Friday December 23rd the 1847
the first part fresh trades at
10pm came to anchor to Eustatius
a Dutch manowar lying there and
several small craft through the
night moderate at 8pm the
watch ~~came~~ went on shore on
liberty latter fresh trades
washed the brig round outside
so ends this day

Saturday December the 25th the 1847
the first strong trades the watch on
shore on liberty at sunset came on
board except three at 9pm the three
came on board the middle strong gusts
of wind at 5pm dragged let go the
other anchor at daylight got under
way and beat up further up in
the bay at 8am came to at 9 the
watch ~~came~~ went on shore so ends

Sunday December the 26th the 1847
the first part fresh trades with
squalls of rain the watch on shore
at sunset came on board middle
and latter the same at 8pm
the watch went on shore so ends

Monday December the 27th the 1847
the first part fine weather
at sunset sent the boat for the
watch but they did not come
came off at 9pm the other came
on board the middle and latter the
the same at 8pm the watch went
on shore on liberty so ends this day

Tuesday December the 28th the 1847
the first strong trades the watch
on shore at sunset came on board
middle and latter the same
bought 4 barrels of onions of a salem
schooner so ends this day

Wednesday December the 29th the 1847
the first part strong trades
at 10pm took the anchor and
steered West saw several sails
at 10 1/2 pm heeled to the wind to
the N^W by N middle the same at
daylight made some sail and
steered N^W by N latter strong
wind and raged far at 8pm heeled
to the wind to the N^W so ends

Thursday December the 30th the 1847
the first part strong winds
and raged on different tacks at
sunset cast reefed the main top sail
middle the same at daylight steered
for the harbor of St. James saw several
sails so ends this day

Henry Perry
off duty sail