

Log of Bark Mattapoissett of

Wednesday June 23rd

Commences with light breeze from the S.W. ward. ship steering E by S $\frac{1}{2}$ S under all sail. middle part the same latter part fresh breeze from the S.W. ward steering E by S $\frac{1}{2}$ S. so ends
Lat at noon 38° 30'

Thursday June 24th

Commences with moderate breeze from the S.W. ward. ship steering E.S.E under all sail. middle and latter parts the same. so ends Lat at noon 38° 29'

Friday June 25th

Commences with moderate breeze from the S.W. ward. ship steering E.S.E under all sail. middle and latter parts the same. so ends Lat at noon 38° 34'

Saturday June 26th

Commences with fresh breeze from S.W. ward. ship steering E.S.E under all sail. middle part the same. at 5 P.M. saw the Island of Fayal bearing S.E. by E luffed, and stood for it. at 9 P.M. took in light sail, at 12 P.M. the Island of Fayal bearing S.E. distant 4 miles so ends

Sunday June 27th

Commences with fresh breeze from the S.W. ward. lying off & on at Fayal under reefed topsails & foresail. beat the cables and got the anchors ready to drop. middle and latter parts fresh gale from the S.W. ship by the wind on different tacks under short sail. to the leeward of Fayal

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Monday June 28th

Commences with strong breeze from S.W. ship by the wind under reefed topsails & jibs middle part the same. latter part made sail and beat up for the harbour of Fayal. at 10.30 A.M. dropped anchor in 14 fathoms of water. furlled the sails. health and custom house officers came on board. and went ashore again leaving one C.H. officer on board. captain went ashore at 11.30 A.M. and came on board again at 6.30 P.M. with American Consul. took another officer at 7 P.M. this day contains 36 hours to commence the harbour log

Tuesday June 29th

Lying at anchor at Fayal

Wednesday June 30th

Lying at anchor at Fayal at 1 P.M. Mr. Smith went on shore to be discharged

Thursday July 1st

Lying at anchor at Fayal employed in beating out oil. had five men and a cooper from ashore to help all day

Friday July 2nd

Lying at anchor at Fayal employed in stowing hold etc. had four labourers from ashore to work half a day. sent ashore 802 gallons of sperm oil in 5 parcels marked and numbered 1.2.3.4.5. had a stonecutter off fitting lining to stove 1/2 day

Saturday July 3rd

Lying at anchor at Fayal had one man come on board as green hand