

Journal of Bark Innapoisette

Monday Jan 9th 1882

There 24 hours strong breeze from N.W.W. at 7 P.M. the Starboard and Waite Boats went in shore fishing left and came on board about 4 P.M. got about 5 lbs of Fish dressed and salted them finished at 8 P.M. at night the Bark steering by the wind on the Starboard tack heading to the Westward W.D. Woodruff still off duty

Tuesday Jan 10th

First part strong breeze from the Westward the Bark steering by the wind on tack and tack off Tristan Island Middle part moderate breeze from about North latter part light gale from N. at 8 P.M. steered the Bark to the South and Westward under Chesapeake Topsails and foresail to cheer the Boats for sea room at 10¹⁵ P.M. shipped a heavy sea and had to leave the ship to the wind on the Starboard tack under cross-jointed maintop sail so ends blowing a heavy Gale from N.W.W.

Wednesday Jan 11th

First part fresh gale from about S.W. at 8 A.M. more moderate Middle part light breeze from S.W. steered the Bark for Tristan Island it bearing N.E. by E. E. saw the other two Boats latter part light air Bark steering for Tristan saw a Gannet W.D. Woodruff still off duty

Thursday Jan 12th

First part strong breeze from N.W. E the Bark working up to Tristan Island saw one sail a Whaling Bark off and on the Island Middle and latter part wind light from N. to N.E. saw a Gannet during the day W.D. Woodruff still off duty

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Friday Jan 13th 1882

There 24 hours light breeze and some fog the Bark off and on Tristan Island off Wind from N.W. E. the Starboard Boat went on shore about 11.20 A.M. got on board about 7.30 P.M. so ends heading to the Westward

Saturday Jan 14th

There 24 hours strong breeze and one or two light showers of rain at two P.M. Starboard Boat went on shore got 20 bushels of Potatoes and a Pig two shore Boats brought off 40 bushels making 60. left the Starboard Boat to the Eastward at 6.30 P.M. at 7 P.M. Wind shifted from N.W. E.

W.D. Woodruff came on duty today

Sunday Jan 15th

First part light breeze with some rain the Bark in sight at daylight Middle part strong breeze from N.W. the Bark steering N.W. E. latter part fresh breeze from S.E. Wind S.E. Bark steering N.E. saw a sail steering to the Eastward

Monday Jan 16th

There 24 hours light breeze and pleasant the crew employed at the Boats saw out provisions sugar and meal Apples and some other small stores Wind from the Southward the Bark steering from N.E. to E.S.E.

Tuesday Jan 17th

There 24 hours light breeze from about N. put up new foresail rigging during the day Bark steering E.S.E. saw one all sail so ends