

Mon 1871

Mon 13th Have had a pleasant day. Ship company have been at work on the Las Boats. I have been doing odd jobs this morn. cleared out my drawers and rearranged them and the clothes we were in boat and put them away, have carried the books of the chairs and cushions for one, and covered the sofas, and cut out a lining for quilts.

Tues 14th Gave Mr. G. 1/2 lb

Have had a pleasant day with little wind the sky has been overcast & have taken no observations. I have been making over the Shadboat sail since finishing that have mended a pair of pants for Geo. and commenced putting new lining on a coat.

Wed 16th Finished quilting coat this morn since then have put a new lining to a quilt. Ship company at work setting up fore rigging. Knight here put out the Las Boat and taken in the masts for painting and repairs, covered W.

Thurs 16th Intended to wash but the weather did not look good so concluded to put it off. Have had a showery day. This morn washed some old clothes. Then cut out 15.48 for calico shirts for the Capt. and have commenced making one, covered W.

Fri 17th Have finished the shirt. have had a pleasant day. with quite a heavy swell. Nothing in the air. Hope we may feel something soon.

Sat 18th Have had a pleasant day. brought out a little squall and it still looks

Sat 19th 4th squally I have mended the 2 Corals.

Sun 19th 5th mended three charts, and saved some red and another calico shirt for Geo. tonight the launch boat has been put on the pump and the Bow Boat taken in for repairs.

Mon 20th Spent Sabbath day passed away. I have spent the hours sewing. We still feel pleasant weather are getting along quite well.

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Mon 20th Have had a pleasant day. I have mended a lot of clothes and feel very tired. have a nervous headache. Croft's last night gave me a large jar of Lammings, he is putting on the new boat. The officers have all been at work on their boats and sails, have now nearly finished them. have carried some lines and the boats are now ready for whales and I sincerely hope we will soon get some.

Tues 21st Have spent the day ironing and mending this afternoon. There was a number of Dolphins around the ship. Mr. Howard and Intine 21. 36th each caught one Mr. G. hooked another but lost it. off just before he got in in 25. 22 1/2 on deck. caught have taken the Shad Boat in and put out the new. saw a seal this

Thurs 22nd I spent the forenoon mending this afternoon have been at work on a calico shirt 22. 21st for Geo. the day has been quite pleasant but brought it looks squally. and Capt 26. 56 has put the boats taken in on the

Fri 23rd Miller comes. Saw another seal this morn. today have had a very squally day. a great deal of rain. has fallen. the weather looks a little better tonight I have finished one shirt and commenced another.

Sat 24th I have felt quite sick all day with cold yesterday being up in the house while it was raining. the weather has been some better today yet it is still very squally. I have mended a little on a shirt.

Sat 25th Have had a little weather but there is still a heavy swell so the ship rolls badly.

Sun 26th I have finished another shirt for Geo. Mon 26th Have had another squally day. I have spent

the forenoon reading Christmas Tracts that Capt. Pettis gave me while in St. Helena. Saw another seal this morn. better north. the third since leaving Port. saw jumpers yesterday.