

Log of Vehr Nellie F Putnam of

Thursday January 15th

Comes in with light trades
& good weather. Scraped the
flyjib boom & foregaff & fore boom
& oiled them with Palm Oil.
Painted the whitework on them.
Mate & three men on shore repairing
sails

Friday 17th

Comes in with moderate trades and
pleasant weather. Painted starboard
boat inside under the ceiling
Scraped & oiled mainboom & gaff.
Scraped down fore & main gafftopmast
Mate & two men on shore repairing sails

Saturday 18th

There twentyfour hours strong
trades and specially weather
Middle & latter parts the same.
Most of the crew on shore on liberty

1888

Provincetown Eliska H Tillson Master

Sunday January 19th

235 days out
Comes in with strong trades
and specially weather latter part
moderate. Trades with pleasant weather.
Crew employed scraping spars on
come up with flyjib stay & served
it afresh & set it up
Mate & one man on shore repairing sails

Monday 20th

Comes in with moderate trades &
pleasant weather. finished the sails
& took them on board, secured on board
15 empty beer casks to stow for oil
casks. latter part pleasant weather
all hands employed stowing off the
hold &c &c

Tuesday 21st

Comes in with light trades and
pleasant weather. Mate & a boat crew
on board of Brig Eastern Star stowing
our oil