

James Townsend Master; lying in California

Remarks Tuesday 28th January

Begins with light winds from the sea and fine weather, middle & latter part mostly calm.

Employed in getting water & stowing it and various other jobs.

Let a part of the crew go on shore on liberty.

Wednesday 29th

Begins with light and backing winds, about 2 P.M. the sea breeze came in, moderate & fine weather.

Employed in getting off & stowing water, vegetables, flour, beans &c. &c.

Mr. Sandy who went on shore on liberty did not return. Let the remainder of the crew go on liberty.

Thursday 30th January.

Begins with light winds from the sea and clear weather, middle calm & some haze, latter light airs from the northward; Employed in stowing oil & water barrels, decks, securing the decks, getting off vegetation &c. latter part unmoored & got ready for sea. London Crew, - Washington, Frederic Hatch, - Haskell, seaman & Francis Taylor, (say) who went on liberty did not return & in the evening Peaty Hoffman, Cook, deserted the ship. Simon Cook, Carpenter, also one of the liberty men did not return.

Shipped John Sutton, Charles Pease Thompson, George Boyer, Peter Matter, Matthew, Seaman & John Williams Cook.

Remarks Friday 31st January.

Begins with calm and clear weather, at 2 P.M. commenced getting underway at 3 with anchor and stood out to sea under easy sail, stowed the anchors and chains, & clearing up the decks; started at 4 P.M. with a pleasant breeze through the night, latter part fine weather, all hands employed in getting up vegetables, and various jobs about rigging.

Capt. Townsend unwell, but able to come on deck the most of the forenoon.

Lat. 31° 50'

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