

1863 Bark Hattla off Brazil
Saturday 4 April 1863

4th Fine, cleared with a trigger vessel
Dressed Bundled & stored in the sun
52 Bundles. Bone at 4 tacked to the E
Middle post fine. Latter do fitting ship
Long 32.47 Sunday 5th Set 19.21

5th Fine wind E heading 16/6 E all sail
fitting ship. Wet hold. Fe. Middle post
fine Latter do Set 18.00

Monday 6th Long 32.40
5th Fine wind E heading 16/6 E all sail
Set. a sail in sight. Middle post fine
Latter do. Making packing stuff

Long 32.34 Tuesday 7th Set 16.27
7th Fine wind E to ESE all sail set fitting
digging Fe. Middle post fine. Latter do
fitting digging Fe. passed British ship
John Buchanan at Annan Set 14.32

Wednesday 8th Long 32.30
8th Fine wind E heading 16/6 E all sail set
Several sails in sight. fitting ship Fe
Middle post fine con 16/6 E Latter do fitting
digging Thursday 9th Set 13.20 Long 32.22

9th Fine wind E SE con 16/6 E all sail set
fitting digging Fe. Middle post fine Latter
do doing odd jobs fitting ship

Long 32.17 Friday 10th Set 11.45
10th Fine wind SE con 16/6 E all sail set
fitting digging Fe. Middle post fine Latter do
Boys pack cargo 9 nos 240 Bbs all sold
Bark Lafayette 400 spr
fitting digging Fe Set 10.06

Saturday 11th Long 32.22
11th Fine wind SE con 16/6 E all sail set fitting
ship Fe. Middle post fine Latter post saving
& squally wind E to ESE 1 ship with us

Marks

Bark Hattla found 16 Bedford
Sunday 12th April 1863

12th Fine light air & Calms some small rain
con 16/6 E all sail set. slowly gaining towards
home. Want to see my wife & babies. Latter one
Middle post fine & squally. Latter do plenty
of small rain 4 sails in sight

Monday 13th Noobs
13th Noobs Light air & Calms plenty of small
rain con 16/6 E all sail set 3 sails in sight
Middle post fine calm fine cleared close
Latter post light air & Calms fitting ship
Long 32.05 Tuesday 14th Set 7.05

14th Fine light & calm very warm 3 sails in sight
at 3 a rain squall from the S light breeze
Middle post fine at 2 wind 16 heading 16/6 E
at 7 more latter E 16 E at 10 wind 16 con 16/6 E

Wednesday 15th Noobs
15th Fine wind SE con 16/6 E all sail set 2 sails
fitting ship Fe. digging. Middle post fine
Latter do wind 16 E all sail fitting ship Fe

Thursday 16th Set 5.10 Long 32.05
16th Fine wind SE heading 16/6 E all sail set
fitting digging Fe. Middle post fine Latter do
Latter do fitting up Set 4.36

Friday 17th Long 33.36
17th Fine. Light air 16 E & Calms, all sail set
fitting digging Fe. Middle post fine Latter
do at 9 make the Rocas shoal 8 miles dist

Ship 25 to 30 miles East. Saturday 18th Set 4.00 Long 32.05
18th Fine light winds at SE con 16/6 E all sail
set at 2 Rocas shoal bore E 5 miles distant
fitting ship Fe. Middle post fine Latter do
at 8 wind SE thick big rain

Sunday 19th
19th Noobs wind SE to SE con 16/6 E all sail set.
caught about 35 Bbs water, Middle post
Clams. Latter post more Clams, Clams,
all sail: Clams from S Clams from 16 E all kinds
Clams Long 33.00 Set 2.10 South