

Ship Balaua of New Bedford Capt Dorman
Saturday March 10th

This day Employed Stowing away Water in the Main Hatchway got off a raft of 22 Casks. This evening Shear Willcutt was put in irons for getting drunk and being insolent refusing to go on board &c Sunday March 11th

This day one Watch ashore on liberty Mr. Willcutt ashore last night at sunset with permission to stop until nine and has not yet returned this morning Shearson was taken out of irons Charles Van Arder has deserted Carpenter Sick.

Monday March 12th
one Watch ashore on liberty the other to work Stowing Water getting off a raft &c. Mr. Willcutt Deserted

Tuesday March 13th
at 7 A.M. the liberty Men come on Board with the exception of John Doolan & John Davis who supposed to have deserted the Star board Water gone ashore on liberty Employed Stowing Water

Wednesday March 14th
This day Comes in with fine weather one watch ashore on liberty Employed taking off recruits &c received on Board 14 bls of Potatoes 25 lbs of Potatoes James Ray ashore without leave

Thursday March 15th
This day Employed Stowing away recruits &c at 10 A.M. Mr. Ward come on board having stayed 4 hours after his liberty Expired James Ray ashore without leave deserted

Friday March 16th
This day Comes in with fine weather all day Employed Stowing away recruits &c discharged two Boat Steers Davison & Shearson Willcutt. George Harrington. & Jackson Townsend and Jim had taken their places as Boat Steers &c Mr. Willcutt shipped and 4 come on Board

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This day Comes in with fine weather & light southerly Winds Employed painting Bending Sails & Sundries Lots 4 Men Shipped & come on Board Carpenter Sick

Sunday March 18th
This day Comes in with fine weather This day 4 Men come on Board who were shipped yesterday at 3 P.M. Mr. Smith come on board having shipped as 4th officer and that makes out our complement of Men and officers

Monday March 19th
This day Comes in with fine weather at daylight have shot and got all ready for getting under weigh the light from the Northward

Tuesday March 20th
This day Comes in with light Breeze from the Southward at 1 P.M. got under weigh and at 5 P.M. was outside of Greenland Stowed the Chain & Anchors latter part Steering by the wind to the N. by E. a Sail in sight Steering in shore Saw finbacks & Blackfish
Lat by obs 36.11

Wednesday March 21st
Comes in with fine weather and fresh southerly Winds the ship standing to the Westward by the Wind at sunset Shortened Sail Middle & Latter part fresh Breeze & squally Saw finbacks Carpenter off duty Sick
Lat by obs 36.07 Long by Chron 72.24

Thursday March 22^d
This day Comes in with fresh Breeze & Squally weather the ship standing to the Westward latter part Moderate at daylight Steered off S. by W.
Lat by obs 35.04 Long by Chron 72.19 W.