

Ship *Plow* of New Bedford, towards.

Tuesday, July 2^d. 1861

All Sail. Land with a brisk wind from S. E. and good weather, steering N. by E. under all sail, middle & latter parts moderate, set up the S. G. Gages, & Ends. Lat 30.22. S. Long 62.44. E.

Wednesday, July 3^d. 1861

All Sail. Begins with moderate trade, steering N. by E. under all sail, middle & latter parts moderate, saw a sail, & Ends. Lat 30.13. S. Long 62.52. E.

Thursday, July 4th. 1861

All Sail. All these 24 hours fresh breeze from S. E. & to East under all sail, steering N. by E. & W. N. W. as the wind parted, saw a sail, & Ends. Lat 19.56. S. Long 63. E.

Friday, July 5th. 1861

M. J. S. Halliards Land with fresh trade and cloudy steering N. by E. under all sail, saw new Mizen top sail Halliards, middle part moderate shortened sail, at 10. A. M. saw the Isle of Rodriguez, bearing N. by E. 30 miles Dist. & Ends. Lat 19.40. S. Long 62.47. E.

Saturday, July 6th. 1861

Isle of Rodriguez. Begins with a moderate breeze from S. E. & E. remaining down the land, saw the town & saw two Barks, at anchor, at 4.30. shortened sail and stood by the wind to the N. E. by E. at 5. A. M. wore ship to the S. W. at daylight made sail and ran to the leeward of the Island, saw three sails, & Ends. Lat 19.41. S. Long 62.47. E.

Sunday, July 7th. 1861

Bk. America. All these 24 hours beating to windward under all sail, spoke the Barks, America, saw several sails, & Ends. Lat 19.59. S.

Rodriguez, Augustus, N. S. Perkins, Master.

Monday, July 8th. 1861

Bk. America. Land with a brisk wind from the S. E. and good weather, beating under all sail, saw the Island and three sails, at 4.30. A. M. spoke the Bk. America, middle part squally, at 9. A. M. spoke the America and let her, go on board of her she being going to Mauritius Put Thomas Mayzen in steward, & Ends, with rugged squally weather, Lat 19.56. S.

Tuesday, July 9th. 1861

Three watches. Begins with squally nasty weather, heading in shore under short sail, at 3. P. M. spoke the Ship Brewster of Mattapoiset, Beebe, but did not gain with her, at sunset wore ship off shore, at daylight made more sail & wore ship in shore, stood three watches, middle and latter part blowing strong, saw the Land, Hellas, and the Bk. Minerva, Smith, & Ends. Lat 19.56. S. Long 63.56. E.

Wednesday, July 10th. 1861

Squally. All these 24 hours strong gale and squally, under short sail working to the windward, saw a sail, & Ends. Lat 30.37. S. Long

Thursday, July 11th. 1861

Setting up the Main Rigging. Land with strong gale and fluky, heading E. N. E. under these reefs, and courses, middle part blowing strong, wore ship to the South, latter part set up the Main Rigging & M. T. M. B. Stays, saw the Minerva Smith & the land, & Ends. Latitude by Observation 30.10. S.

Friday, July 13th. 1861

Setting up the Main Rigging. All these 24 hours strong gale and squally, working to windward under these reefs & set up the M. T. M. B. Stays & Side, saw the M. Smith, the Teophyl, Brewster, & North west, saw the Land latter part better weather & Ends. Lat 20.02. South.