

Remarks On Board Bark Roscoe of  
Friday January 22<sup>nd</sup> 1847

First part fine breezes from SSW to South Middle  
from SW to N.W. later from West fine weather  
All Drawing Sail Let Course ENE watch Emp  
in various jobs of Ships Duty First part fresh  
blacksmiths Forge later started a fire in it & C

Lat Obs 35 05 Long. # Merid 51.12  
Saturday 23 At 3 P.M. Lunar 57.49

All these 24 hours Moderate Breezes from N.W.  
to S.W. fine Pleasant Weather Watch Employed  
in Ships Duty later sent down the 3<sup>rd</sup> Mast Spunk  
gaff & C Blacksmith fitting the gaff. Coopers Carpenter  
Splicing Spunk gaff & the best Pitt Rigin & Boil  
out the Blackpink & C Lat Obs 33.19

Long At 4.40 P.M. Chro 51.58.30 Lunar 52.31

Sunday 24

First part light breezes from S.W. to South  
Middle from S.E. later from E.S.E. Course NE  
first part Employed in fitting Spunk Rigin found  
the head of Mizzenmast to be rotting dug out  
the rot to the depth of 2 inches of the cavity  
At the top 3 by 4 inch fitted a piece of Pitt  
Prid in a hat of hot tar drove in the stick  
& hooped the Mast sent up the 3<sup>rd</sup> Mast

but the, Lat 31 38 Long 52.10

Monday 25<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours Strong breezes from ESE to East  
& some squally started by the wind to NE & NNE  
later watch emp getting up the 3<sup>rd</sup> Mast rigging & back  
Carpenter fitting Spunk gaff B Smith on the  
iron work & C Lat Obs 29.34 Long Merid 52.14

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours Strong breezes from ESE & some  
squally first part sent up Spunk boom bent  
the Sail let it & gaff. 5<sup>th</sup> Sail first & Middle started  
by the wind to NE & NNE S.W. #6. At 11.5 E Lat 27 40

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> Long 52.16

All these 24 hours Strong winds from SE squally  
& Showery Calved 5<sup>th</sup> Sail At 7 P.M. started North watch  
Employed in Ships Duty Latitude Obs 25.04

Long At Merid 51.30

New Bedford off East Coast of Madagascar  
Thursday January 28<sup>th</sup> 1847

All these 24 hours Strong breezes from SE first part  
squally started N.W. At 6.30 took in Sail to Double  
reef At 9 Sail & 5 sail At 9 left to the wind to E.S.E  
later Strong winds flying Clouds started S.W. with  
N.S.E. Sail out & high swell from East watch Emp in Ships  
Duty 3 on the Doctors list Latitude Obs 23.52

Long At Merid 49.48

Friday 29<sup>th</sup>

First part fresh breezes from SE started N.W. & West  
saw a fin back At sunset took in Sail later Moderate  
& hawling from S.E. & some light Showers started  
to SW At 9 Spoke Barke Bruce Van Haven Cockrin  
26 Months out 550 Bound home in about 15 Days

Latitude Obs 23.40 Long At Merid 49.10

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours lively breezes from SE  
fine weather started to SW Middle under Double  
reefs later saw a Barke ahead but did not  
ascertain what she was To Ends & No whales except  
finbacks Lat 24.17 Long At Merid 48.38

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup>

All these 24 hours lively breezes from SE fine weather  
started on Diff ~~tacks~~ Courses to the leeward but  
No whales Latitude Obs 23 52 Long At Merid 48

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> of February

First Part lively breezes from SE started N.W. & S.W.  
At 5 N.W. At 7 Spoke Ship Rosalie Warren Mosier  
15 months out 300 Sperm Saw Bark Tromo De Grinnell  
11 months 550 & 300 At the Bark Pilgrim was also in Sight  
4 months 208 Middle under Double reefs to ESE later light  
& Pleasant weather started in N.W. at 9.30 halted to the  
wind off shore the Land 15 miles off by estimation. High  
swell from East wind South

Note Chro 20 Miles to West Lat 24.8 Long At Merid 25 miles from Land

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup>

First Part fresh breezes from South squally started  
By the wind to ESE Middle & later Strong & mostley  
Cloudy under Double reefs & fell in Sail field Spoke  
head from ESE to East Lat Obs 23 54 Long Merid 49.00