

Friday March 12th 1838,

Strong breeze from E by S, all sail set
steering W by N, at 6 P.M. took in main
sail,

Middle and Latter parts strong breeze and
mugged with frequent squalls, from N.E. course
W by N, thus ends,

Latitude $19^{\circ} 40'$ North,
Longitude $151^{\circ} 45'$ West,

Saturday March 13th

Strong breeze and mugged from E by S, all sail
set steering W by N, N.W. Middle and Latter parts much the same,
the top mast stuck sail halcyons parted
the consequence was broke the boom, sent
up another and set the sail again, saw
Onyx bearing South, and now our troubles
will begin, if Sunday's job to get into that
bay, last of all places called Lakona shows
when you anchor along shore and lay about
as easy as when at sea, but it will not better
it any by my getting about it

Latitude $20^{\circ} 28'$ North,
Longitude $153^{\circ} 23'$ West,

Sunday March 14th

Strong breeze and mugged from East all sail
set steering West, at 6 P.M. saw the East end
of Moore bearing W by S, at dark took in studd
sails, and fore and main top gallant sails.
Middle part the same, at 11 P.M. lifted two
off shore.
Latter part at day light heave off for the
passage, thus ends, now for the beginning,

Monday March 15th 1838

Wind light and backing, at 2 P.M. came to
anchor in the beautiful harbor of Lakona
in 13 fathoms water, 60 fathoms chain,
continues the same throughout the day,
got a raft of cash on shore washed the ship
and done other work, the young ^{man} ~~man~~ of
Nantucket was set on fire last night
and is still burning, and in all probability
it will wind up a bad voyage,

Tuesday March 16th

Weather good employed in ship's duties,
Middle and Latter parts much the same,
got off a raft of water, and stowed it
away, thus ends, I wish that our work
was done, and we was well clear of this place,

Wednesday March 17th

Weather variable sent a raft of cash on shore,
Middle and Latter parts pleasant weather
got off a raft of water, and stowed part
of it away, painted the lens, thus ends.

Thursday March 18th

Wind light from the West, some swell heaving
in, are water on deck, painted the L side
of the ship, two ships came to anchor to day

Friday March 19th

Weather good though the day broke up our
ail and put it on board of a schooner
to go to Woonah, and had rather a bad
time away to a strong tide,