

Trust in God and so

Sat January 8th 1853 Com. with
a light land breeze at Day Light
took our anchors and proceeded
to sea 12 M steering S by West
all sail set wind West later
part squally with thunder and
lightning then End this day

Sund Jan 9th com. with light breeze
from all quarters saw a humming
bird & Lat the same as the first
Lat 24 25 South Long 150 15

Mon 10th Com. with light and from various
points Middle & latter part
the same Lat 26 04

W. B. B. 1853
Tuesday Jan 11th com. with light
wind and plenty of thunder & lightning
and rain I have been sick with
the dysentery and a cold
on my Loins and the capt has not
asked me how I was nor if I wanted
any thing to take since I have
been sick the Mate give me a
portion of castor oil 6 days ago
and that is all I have had I have
not eat any thing but a little tea and
bread the whole time I had rather
sail with capt Smith and get no
oil than this man and get
thousands although he professes to
be a christian and I hope he is
for his own sake It would
him some good and me to
to know that I had been mis-
led in my thoughts about him