

Ship Young Phoenix of New Bedford 1837

Remarks on Board Monday November 13th

Commences with fine weather with the regular Land & sea breeze all hands employed wooding Middle & Latter parts fine no alteration all hands a shore wooding

Remarks on Board Tuesday Nov 14th

Attends with a fresh sea breeze at 5 P.M. the boats return with small loads of wood Middle part calms Latter part took 2 Boats loads of wood 2 boats crews ashore cutting & the rest cutting up one deck & stow away so goes this day

Remarks on Board Wednesday Nov 15th

Commences with a fresh breeze from the N & fine weather employed wooding at 5 P.M. 2 Boats loads of wood Middle part calms Latter part a light breeze of shore took of 2 Boats loads with wood & got a raft of cask ashore & fill it with water so ends

Remarks on Board Thursday 16th

Commences with a light sea breeze & fine weather at 2 P.M. took a raft of cask ashore & filled & anchored them in the river for the night & left 4 men to look out for the raft Middle part calms Latter part took 200 lbs of water & commence stowing so goes this day

Remarks on Board Friday Nov 17th

First part fine weather with a fresh sea breeze Breeze at 5 P.M. finish stowing the water Middle part a light breeze of shore Latter took on Board 2 Bullhark a live & one dead so ends this 24 hours

Ship Young Phoenix Indian Ocean 1837

Remarks on Board Saturday Nov 18th

First part of this twenty four hours commenced with a sea breeze & fine weather employed stowing the starboard anchor & taking in the spare boats & getting ready for sea Middle part a light breeze of shore at daylight call'd all hands & hove in the chain at 6 A.M. took over anchor & steered down the Bay at meridian sandy Island bearing South Lat 23.42.5 Long by Chron 3.33.2

Remarks on Board Sunday Nov 19th

This day commences with a light breeze from N.W. steering S.W. with all sail set employed getting the boats ready for lawning at 4 P.M. wind haul'd in at 5 P.M. took ship the Land in site Middle part light & hoisting at 3 A.M. a light breeze from N. steered S.W. saw Black fish fin back & porpoises so ends Lat 24.40 South Long by Chron 4.05 East

Remarks on Board Monday Nov 20th

Commences with light breezes from N. & fine weather Steering S.W. by compass at 5 P.M. haul'd in to S.W. by W. Braced up sharp Middle part light breezes & calms at 4 A.M. got a breeze from West steered South at 6 A.M. saw whales at 7 A.M. lowered 3 boats at meridian came on Board without success whales in site moving the ship for them so ends Lat 25.02 Long by Chron 4.30

Remarks on Board Tuesday Nov 21st

First part commences with a fine breeze West moving for the whale at 2 P.M. lowered 3 Boats at 3 P.M. fasten & got one 30 lbs whale at 4 P.M. took him to the ship at 4 P.M. & commence cutting at 9 finish & moved ship to the S.W. double reef'd the top sails strong breeze from S.E. at 8 A.M. moved ship headed East so ends Lat 25.05 Long 4.31.00