

Ship *Phoenix* of New Bedford 1839
 Tuesday 10th At 1 P.M. came to in 15 fathoms of water one
 cable light off shore Batter's Hook having per compass
 N.E. by N. & N.E. Latter part of the day a party on shore
 wooding and so end
 Wednesday 11th Shell of this day light sea and land became
 clear weather took one barrel of boat loads of wood so end
 Thursday 12th Commenced with light sea breezes took an
 barrel of traps Latter part of the day a party on shore
 cutting wood to burn Coals and so end
 Friday 13th first part of the day strong sea breezes middle
 and Latter parts light sea and land breezes hands on
 shore burning a coal pit Larboard watch on liberty
 Saturday 14th Shell of this day light sea and land breezes
 employed burning a coal pit getting off recruits &c.
 Sunday 15th Commenced with fresh sea breezes at 5 P.M.
 got off 2 casks of coal at 12 o'clock have short at 2 got
 underway Sub men deserted John D. Smith and Larry Copany
 the natives have gone in pursuit of them Latter part
 of the day sanding off and on a chop-boat and so end
 Monday 16th A fresh sea breeze standing off and on
 chop-boat at sunset boat returned from the shore land
 hat found the deserted men stood off shore till 11 P.M.
 tucked to the Eastward Latter of the day standing in fore
 chop-boat so end this day
 Tuesday 17th At 2 P.M. a boat left for the village at 4
 returned with the deserted men paid the natives
 11 bottles of Rum for catching them At 5 made all sail
 standing to the N.W. at 10 tacked to the S.E. so end 18th
 Wednesday 18th A strong sea breeze standing to the South
 at 3 P.M. took to the N.W. Sernao in site having S.S.W.
 15 miles distance the ship 5 miles of shore middle part
 at 10 P.M. took ship very light airs at 3 o'clock a light
 air from S.E. standing to the S.W. Latter part the same
 Sernao in site Long by Chron 122.50 E Lat 10.00 S
 Thursday 19th high breezes from S.W. steering to the S.E. Middle
 part a light breeze from S.E. steering to the S.W. Latter part
 very light air from S.W. and S.E. in site so end
 Long by Chron 122.20 E Lat 10.31 S

Ship *Phoenix* Indian Ocean
 Remarks on Board Friday September 20th 1839
 These twenty four hours light breezes from South standing
 to the S.E. at 6 P.M. took ship to the West Middle part
 at 11 tacked to the S.E. at 1 o'clock tacked to the South again
 headed up N.W. Latter part the same so end Lat 10.57 S Long 121.57 E
 Saturday 21st Commenced with light breezes from South steering
 to the West Middle part very light at 1 P.M. circum Island
 in site took ship to S.E. Latter got a light breeze from West
 headed up South so end Lat 11.11 S Long by Chron 121.26 E
 Sunday 22nd First part a fine from S.W. steering by the
 wind to the S.E. Middle part at 9 P.M. took ship to the
 West Latter part at 4 o'clock tacked ship to the S.E. so end
 this 24 hours Lat 11.44 S Long by Chron 121.27 E
 Monday 23rd Commenced with a fresh breeze from S.W.
 steering S.E. at 6 P.M. took ship to the West Middle part
 the same Latter tacking standing to the S.E. so end
 this twenty four hours Lat 12.14 S Long by Chron 121.12 E
 Tuesday 24th Commenced with fresh breezes from South
 standing to the S.E. at 6 o'clock tacked ship to the West
 Middle part the same Latter tacked ship to the S.E.
 so end Lat 12.44 S Long by Chron 121.9 E
 Wednesday 25th Commenced with fresh breezes from
 S.W. steering to the S.E. at 5 P.M. took ship to
 the West Middle and Latter part the same so
 end this twenty four hours Lat 12.15 S Long 119.39 E
 Thursday 26th First part moderate breezes from S.W.
 steering N.W. saw nothing Middle part very light airs
 Latter the same so end Lat 12.19 S Long 118.12 E
 Friday 27th Commenced with light airs from South
 standing to the N.W. Middle part steering came
 up N.W. Latter part the same Lat 13.1 S Long 116.27 E
 Saturday 28th Moderate breezes from S.E.
 steering S.W. Middle took topgallant sail at 7 o'clock
 saw a school of whales at 8 o'clock the boat went along
 side of one and miss her they took to seaward at
 11 o'clock took up the boat whales governing quick to
 the S.E. all sail out standing to the S.W. so end
 Lat 13.56 S Long by Chron 115.49 E