

Remarks Friday March 5th 1859

Japan sea

first part of the 24 hours strong breeze from
N. W. with bold blowing weather at 6 A.M.
had some disputes with the captain being
rich bonded with his ordering the to my room
it seems as if I am bound to be unfortunate in
this sea 4 years ago I was off duty in the
same part of the world it is the captain's
usual resort when he gets the notion of an Argonne
with an effort to put him off duty
It seems to be a bound by way but often resorted to
the middle and latter part of the day wind and weather
the same

Latt by 10:30 AM 'it

Remarks Sunday March 6th 1859

first part strong breeze from N. W. with
bold blowing weather ship heading N. E. by
the wind under short sail

I have plenty of leisure time to read and write
Although a prisoner there is nothing to hinder
my being comfortable I have a good room
close to the cabin stove and have a good supply
of books but of rather a light nature
I think this is the stillest time I have been off
duty in 14 years since I have a bad temper
and have no control over it when vexed
but one kind word will do more to make me tractable
than all the confinement that can be imposed on me
so here is good night to pen and paper

middle and latter part of the day calm with
N. W. breeze employed breaking out water
except my unfortunate self I have had
nothing to do but read and think have used
part of my time perusing old letters from
home and taking all things together have had
a very pleasant day
So ends the Sabbath