

24th May 1864 Friday
another fine day, if anything
rather more close than yesterday
at day break we were ~~again~~
within ^{several} distances of
the Dutch look ^{the Dutch} ~~Dutch~~. Howel and
Wick had a swim over board
this morning, but having no wish
to tempt the sharks. I contented
myself with the tub. Morley
moved his hammock out under
one of the boats - and gave up
his cabin to Mrs East who is
expecting her confinement.

28th May 1864 Saturday.
Bealved again today.
Saw a shark about 4 P.M. but did
not succeed in catching it.
Mac & I were playing Luvoits
with Luvoits made out of rope -
In the evening made pea shooters
out of a cane shaver of Wyatts, and
got a rowing up from the Capt
for trusting some of the second
class.