

Whip Cambria While Cruising off the Coast of Asia

Wednesday Jan. 7th 1846 Commences with a brisk wind from the North steering S. E. in forenoon Sunday Feb. at 3. I sent a boat in to fish on the N. E. part of the island at 4 spoke the Bark America of New Bedford 12 months out 550 Bls of Whale 500 Spum at 4 P.M. the boat returned with a few fish mid. part moderate steady to the South latter part calm the America in company let her have 100 Broad 430 lbs of Tallow and 12 Harpoons employed boating at 10 her 10 ends

Thursday Jan. 8th 1846 Commences with a calm mid. part a light air from the N. N. E. steering S. W. under 3 top sails at daylight made all sail latter part had a moderate breeze from the S. E. until about 10 P.M. it then left us had it the E. with sun rain the remainder part of the forenoon about calm Macaulay's Island in sight bearing S. W. by N. 20 ends No Observation.

Friday Jan. 9th 1846 Commences with a light air from the North steering S. W. by N. mid. part very light air at 8 A.M. sent 2 boats on shore to see what they could get the Bark at a signal in distress saved the boats to tow her off from the Isles the boats stopped about an hour and towed her off then proceeded on shore light air from the Eastward and pleasant 10 ends.

Lat by Obs. 30.09

Saturday Jan. 10th 1846 Commences with moderate breeze from the S. E. with fair weather standing off and on at Macaulay Island waiting for the boats at 4 P.M. they returned with 7 Hogs and Pigs 4 Boats lot of Fish and Birds at 7 P.M. took in the light sails and main sail at 10 called all hands put 2 reefs in the top sails took in the jib & spanker mid. part thick and rainy latter part moderate breeze and pleasant all hands employed breaking out and Coopering our Whale Oil between Decks again 10 ends.

Lat by Obs. 29.59 South

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Sunday Jan. 11th 1846 Commences with a brisk wind from the North steering S. E. in forenoon Sunday Feb. at 6 P.M. sent a boat in to fish on the N. E. part of the island at 8 spoke the Bark America of New Bedford 12 months out 550 Bls of Whale 500 Spum at 4 P.M. the boat returned with a few fish mid. part moderate steady to the South latter part calm the America in company let her have 100 Broad 430 lbs of Tallow and 12 Harpoons employed boating at 10 her 10 ends

No Observation

Monday Jan. 12th 1846 Commences with a light air from the North at 8 A.M. it fell calm at 1 P.M. finished Coopering mid. part calm at daylight took a light air from the S. E. made sail latter part moderate breeze and pleasant washed off the ship repaired the fore top deck under the other and bent that 10 ends Lat by Obs. 29.53 South.

Tuesday January 13th 1846 Commences with moderate breeze from the S. E. with cloudy weather steering S. E. at 8 P.M. took in the light sails jib & spanker mid. part wind shifted round more to the Eastward and breeze down at daylight put 2 reefs in the top sails latter part moderate gale with thick weather took in the top sail and fore sail 10 ends No Observation.

Wednesday January 14th 1846 Commences with a moderate gale from the S. E. with fair weather at 3 P.M. weased ship at 5 sent the main sail jib and spanker at 6 let a reef out of the main top sail mid. part more moderate at 5 A.M. made all sail latter part brisk winds with a head sea 10 ends.

Lat by Obs. 30.02 S Long by Obs. 177. 21 West.

Thursday January 15th 1846 Commences with brisk winds from the S. E. with pleasant weather steering by the wind with the starboard tacks aboard at 1 P.M. took in the top 5 sails & jib & spanker mid. part more moderate at 3 A.M. made all sail latter part a fine breeze from the S. E. with fair weather 10 ends.

Lat by Obs. 29.57 S Long by Obs. 175.25 West.