

Barque Cape Horn Pigeon.

Friday March 2^d 1855.

Calm and clear, saw Blackfish, lowered the boats the S.B. caught one, the W.B. two, the S.B. two, in all 5. at night the Islands and Peakmoor still in sight.

Saturday March 3^d 1855.

Calm and clear, boiling out the Blackfish saw Porpoises and Finbacks, at night Richmond in sight. South Head bearing E 10 miles. (I would like to be at home to night.)

Sunday March 4th 1855.

Calm and clear, saw Porpoises South Head bearing E. N. E. about 10 miles.

Monday March 5th 1855.

Calm and clear, saw Blackfish, Starborough in sight.

Tuesday March 6th 1855.

Light winds and clear, saw Blackfish lowered, but did not take any, at night land in sight.

Wednesday March 7th 1855.

Chief part calm, saw Blackfish, lowered, but without success, at night the st point of Starborough bearing N. E.

Thursday March 8th 1855.

Light winds from the W and clear, saw Blackfish lowered, the S.B. took one, the W.B. two, and the S.B. one, came on board to dinner, at 1 saw 4 Whales low on the boats, the W.B. took one and the S.B. one; took them along side, S Head bearing S. E. distant 10 miles. Henry took the Bounty.

Friday March 9th 1855.

Calm, the men employed in cutting in the Whales latter part commenced boiling, saw Blackfish, at night the land in sight.

Off the Galapagos Islands.

Saturday March 10th 1855.

Commenced with light winds and pleasant weather, the men employed in boiling, at 3 P.M. saw Whales lowered the boats, and at 5 the S.B. struck, came along side, nearly sunset, the W.B. came to the ship, the sail of the S.B. when had seen was under Starborough, came on dark, no sign of the boat, set a light in the rigging, now watching for the boat with anxiety, at half past 7 arrived, had been fast, got up, whole went off with two iron and the lines

MAN DROWNED.

They righted the boat, hauled her out, but one man was gone, James Timberlick, of Virginia, aged 21 years, he could not swim and soon went down to rise no more.

Sunday March 11th 1855.

Light winds and pleasant weather, the men cutting in the whales, saw Blackfish, at night land in sight commenced boiling.

Monday March 12th 1855.

Light winds and fine weather, still boiling, saw almost every thing but up whales, at night land in sight.

Tuesday March 13th 1855.

Light winds from the S and clear weather, at 10 A.M. Mr. Gibson went below, middle part finished boiling latter part employed in washing off. Visited the Bark Catchlot of St. Bodipo Capt Lee & Mrs. 22 sps. just out of Bay where he had been laying 3 whs, on account of the small pox on board, taken at Takuanat. Capt L. came on board and took tea; cut the last loaf of Oakes he brought us a few sweet potatoes and onions, and a late Shipping list, at 12 o'clock went on board.

Wednesday March 14th 1855.

Light winds and clear, saw Blackfish, at night the land in sight and the Catchlot.