

Bank Clarence On The African Coast. 1840

Sunday July 4th

First part light laid from S. steering S. E. W.
Middle & latter part calm.
Lat. $15^{\circ} 36'$ S. Long $7^{\circ} 11'$ E.

Monday July 5th

First part light breeze from the N. of the wind
on Starboard tack. Middle part more
calm. Latter part wind S. W. on Port tack.
Lat. $15^{\circ} 54'$ S. Long $6^{\circ} 48'$ E.

Tuesday July 6th

First part light breeze from the S. W. on Port tack.
Then down the side Middle part the same
latter part kept off S. E.
Lat. $15^{\circ} 55'$ Long $6^{\circ} 43'$ E.

Wednesday July 7th

First part fine breeze from the S. by
the wind on Starboard tack. Middle
part on Port tack. Latter part the same
passed a school of whales, about 10 o'clock
swimming a few ways to windward
A dark swell on and the whales,
all sail on working up.
Lat. $15^{\circ} 37'$ S. Long $7^{\circ} 0'$ E.



Thursday July 8th

First part fine breeze. The other ship covered
about 12 hrs and struck at one o'clock. By
wind from after, and part of the whale
milled to leeward so chased them (Lazbance
boat struck first) and got the whale to
the ship. Main boat struck a large whale
to leeward, got stove, then the Starboard
boat got stove. Lazbance boat went to
them from the ship and got stove so
as it was safe, and all the boats stove

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Thursday July 8th (continued)

Had to give him 400. Middle part getting
ready for culling. Latter part cut in the
middle, & repairing sail.
Lat. $15^{\circ} 20'$ S. Long $6^{\circ} 48'$ E.

Friday July 9th

First part fine breeze, on Port tack. Employed
in repairing sails. Spike 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, 151st, 152nd, 153rd, 154th, 155th, 156th, 157th, 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