

Ship Cyrus on a passage to the Coast of Chile was

HKE	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Wednesday Dec ^r 21
2 4 4	NNE	NW	Commences strong Gale and Rainy dirty W th
4 4 4			with a high crop Sea on At 2 P.M.
6 4 -	North	WNW	double reef to fore & aft At 5 in M.S.
8 3 4			and lose reef to S-S- and took in M ^g -
10 3 -	NNE	West	Topmast. The water of a Greenish Color
12 4 -	NNE	WNW	Middle part more moderate made
2 5 -			Sail occasionally. At 8 A.M. had single
4 6 -			reefs set fore & aft.
6 7 4	NNE	SW	Latter part brisk winds & thickish W th
8 8 4			Employed at finishing the W th boat
10 8 -			and getting the boats in order
12 8 -		WSW	saw many albatrosses No Birds
			brisk winds & an ugly Sea on

OBS Lat 46-45

Course	Dist.	Wind	Dep.	Long	Lat OBS	Long in
NNE	135	135	12	18	46-45	82-42

HKE	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Thursday Dec ^r 22
2 6 -	North	West	Commences strong breezes and thick W th
4 6 -			At 4 A.M. got the West boat in her
6 6 4			place
8 7 4	NNE	SW	Middle part more wind with rain
10 6 -	NNE	WNW	which by 11 P.M. brought us to double
12 5 4	NNE	West	Reef & staysails fore & aft
2 4 -			Latter part continues strong wind
4 4 -			with a high swell from the SW
6 7 -		WSW	took the fourth (or spare) boat upon
8 8 -		WSW	the 2-deck and began to repair her
10 8 -			where she got stove by a Sea, in lat 57.
12 8 -			

OBS Lat 44-25

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NNE	143	143	30	62	44-25	81-38

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HKE	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Friday Dec ^r 23
2 8 -	North	WSW	Brisk winds and thick weather throughout
4 8 -			then 24 hours running two points on shore
6 8 -			whilst daylight and making a shore-
8 9 -	NNE		course during the Night.
10 8 -			At 6 P.M. finished the spare boat
12 8 -			and got her up aft
2 8 -		SW	Latter part put the spare M ^g up
4 8 -			and Topmast out at the bottom and got
6 8 -	North		our spare boat upon them, together with
8 8 4			some of our spare spars, & Employed
10 7 4			every one of us preparing for preparing
12 6 -			to take whales

OBS Lat 41-25

Course	Dist.	Wind	Dep.	Long	Lat OBS	Long in
NNE	178	180	58	73	41-25	80-17

HKE	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Saturday Dec ^r 24
2 6 -	NNE	SW	Commences gentle Gale and thick W th
4 5 4			Employed at making boats wash
6 5 -			and caulking round about the try works
8 5 -			&c Middle part thick W th
10 5 -	North	SW	made a shore course under easy sail
12 5 -			Latter part fresh winds and broken
2 5 4			Clouds of mist & fog stood in for the
4 6 -	NNE	South	Land all of the remaining part of
6 7 -			these 24 hours, saw nothing but a
8 8 -			few porpoises. Employed at Seal
10 9 -			Rove out winding table falls lashed
12 9 4			the blocks aloft, and placed guns
			all at hand in the Storage &c

OBS Lat 40-14

Course	Dist.	Wind	Dep.	Long	Lat OBS	Long in
NNE	163	71	124	165	40-14	79-24