

Ship Cyrus from Peru towards Cape Horn. Paul West Master

H	K	F	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Wednesday Jan 7 th 1856
2	3	4	SW	SE	Commences brisk breezes and heavy weather
4	4	-			At 3 PM discovered a strange sail
6	6	-	SW		bearing SW & continued our course, and soon
8	8	-	WSW	ESE	varied five others in company with her
10	8	4			at 4 could see them plain, they were four
12	9	-			ships (two of them appearing like Men of War)
2	9	-			and two brigs by their course, appearance and
4	8	4			manoeuvres, they were a Spanish Convo from
6	8	-			Lima bound to the Continent of Chile
8	5	-	SSW		altered my course a little to avoid them, till
10	5	-			7. It being dark kept off W & S W & set all sail
12	5	-			as Regatta, Ludding sail, &c. Fore & aft, above &
					below, run with brisk winds till 6 AM when
					nothing in sight hauled up with the wind abate
					took in light sail. Employed on Sundries as
					highly necessary as sail Ripping &c.

Course	Dist	X Lat	Dep	X Long	Lat Obs	Long
SW	150	70	152	133	18-31	87-58

H	K	F	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Thursday Jan 7 th 1856
2	4	4	SSW	ESE	Commences brisk winds & fair weather
4	4	4		SE	Middle part fresh winds - At 6 AM
6	5	-			strong breezes & squally, took in light sail
8	6	-			Fore & aft. Latter part more moderate
10	6	-			with SE sail again, sent down Fore &
12	6	4			Miz. T. G. Royal by 2. Master
2	7	-		ESE	Employed at fitting Rigger
4	7	-			repairing sails &c as necessary
6	6	4			Nothing to be seen round about us
8	6	4	SW		here we begin to meet a cross uneven sea
10	6	4			as is commonly found on Chile
12	6	-			

Course	Dist	X Lat	Dep	X Long	Lat Obs	Long
SW	150	121	64	69	20-32	89-07

Ship Cyrus from the Coast of Peru for Cape Horn. Paul West Master

H	K	F	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Friday Jan 7 th 1856
2	5	-	South	ESE	Commences brisk winds and heavy weather
4	5	-			Starting South with a shilly full sail against
6	5	4	SW	SE	a SE swell
8	5	4			Middle part light winds & some squalls of
10	6	-	South	ESE	wind & Rain set in, & set light sails occasionally
12	6	-			Latter part more moderate. Saw nothing.
2	3	-	SW	SE	Employed at repairing sails at Rigger.
4	3	-			at Spangarn, fitted a New Bobble and
6	3	-	South	ESE	many other necessary parts of ship's duty
8	5	4			So ends, all in health on board. Received daily
10	5	-			by serving a slice of raw Pumpkin every
12	4	-			Morning before breakfast.

Course	Dist	X Lat	Dep	X Long	Lat Obs	Long
SW	112	105	58	41	22-17	89-55

H	K	F	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Saturday Jan 7 th 1856
2	5	-	South	ESE	Commences gentle breezes with some squalls
4	4	4	SW	SE	of Mist
6	5	-			Middle part light winds & squally weather
8	4	4			continued my course to the South with speed
10	4	-	South	ESE	
12	3	-			Latter part brisk breezes & fair weather
2	2	4			set every sail that does any good by the wind
4	5	-			Employed on board at Sundries of Duty
6	7	4			finished a thorough repair of our second &
8	7	4			last Main-top-sail. Set up the Stays &c.
10	7	-			
12	6	4		EBS	

Course	Dist	X Lat	Dep	X Long	Lat Obs	Long
SW	124	112	52	57	24-09	90-45