

1869

Journal of June Continued
June 7th

This twenty four hours commences with fine S.E. winds, steering S by N had seen porpoises. Through the night good breeze steered S by N. all day light winds most errating. Employed in getting out fly jib boom & bustling up the fore main rigging & rattle up forward. So ends quite moderate.

Lat 7° 47' South Long 2° 05'

Tuesday 8th

This twenty four hours commences with light airs. Employed in turning up the fore main rigging & rattle up fore main & heaving out fly jib boom at night. In evening one porpoise. Through the night had light wind from S.E. At 7 P.M. went to work on the Spar. Watch employed in rattle finished within the fore. So ends.

Lat 7° 00' S
Long 2° 27' E

Wednesday 9th

This twenty four hours commences with light airs from S.E. steered S by N at 3 P.M. kept her off S.E. At sundown pulled the topsail & mainsail. Set the jagsail. Saw porpoises. Light winds through the night steering the same. Watch finished turning forward. Starboard rattle the same. Employed in getting out the jib boom. So ends. Lat 5° 28' South

Long 2° 30' East

Thursday 10th This twenty four hours light winds steering N.E. saw porpoises & a small piece of squid. Through the night winds light at day light. Set the mainsail & topsail. finished rattle at the main. Employed in picking shales & spar making. So ends.

Lat 4° 30' S
Long 2° 24' E

Bound to "Arribona" June of 1869
Friday 11th

This twenty four hours commences with very light winds from S.E. steering N.E. At 3 P.M. kept her off S.E. Through the night - more wind steered the same with all sail. Employed on the fly jib boom. Watch employed in picking shales. So ends. Lat 3° 00' S Long 5° 27'

Saturday 12th

This twenty four hours commences with light airs. B & make weather. Saw for lack & 1 Albino. Through the night had steady breeze steered N.E. by E. At three A.M. heaved by the wind with jib shut to the windward. At five A.M. kept her off on her course. Made all sail. At seven rounded the land bearing N by W kept her off for the land. So ends with land 12 miles distant.

Sunday the 13th

This twenty four hours commences with very light winds steering North for the Island. At five P.M. let go the anchor in four fathom water. gave her 35 fathom. Spoke. Through the night and weather. At 7 P.M. sent the Starboard watch on shore for a run. At 12 P.M. the Herald of Mission came at anchor here. So ends.

Monday 14th

This day weather good the Starboard watch went on shore for a run. came on board at sundown. Good weather. This morning broke out the hold for wood & rigged out the new fly jib boom. So ends.

Tuesday 15th This day opened with good weather. Employed in working short off the board. & water part employed in getting off water & pumping salt water & filling with water.