

Bark Draco of New-Mexico

Tuesday Jan 26th 1847

Begins with light breezes from SSE and cloudy steering N by W saw a sail this and latter part the same Sat 1909 S Long 1:00 W

Wednesday Jan 27th 1847

Begins with gentle trades and cloudy steering N by W at night shortened and headed E aback saw nothing latter steered N by W

No Lat Long 1:30 W

Thursday Jan 28th 1847

Begins with gentle breezes and cloudy steering N by W saw nothing this first day aback latter steered N by W saw five backs

Lat 17 46 S Long 2 40 W

Friday Jan 29th 1847

Begins with strong trades and clear steered N by W at night hauled aback headed SW latter steered N by W employed in fittiny at Lat 17 09 S Long 3 30 W

Saturday Jan 30th 1847

Begins with gentle trades steering N by W at night lay aback saw five backs surprises no whales this and latter same steered N by W Lat 16 46 S Long 4 30 W

Sunday Jan 31st 1847

Begins with gentle breezes from the SE steering N by W find we must go and land Antonio de Vazquez here no better and I am sick to go grant us health let day light saw St Helena N by W Dist 20 miles at 11 am came to anchor in 25 fathoms

Tuesday Feb 2^d 1847

Begins with fine weather at 2 PM took an anchor and stood to the East at 3 PM took to the N at 10 to the East St Helena 5 miles Dist saw a number of ships

off St Helena

Wednesday Feb 3^d 1847

Begins with gentle breezes heading 2 1/2 N at 2 am took to the SW latter saw jumpers saw the Island

Thursday Feb 4th 1847

Begins with gentle trades and clear heading SW at 6 PM St Helena bore N by W Dist 15 miles at 3 am took to the N at 6 to the SW saw the Island to the N 20 miles Dist saw 1 sail

Friday Feb 5th 1847

Begins with fine weather heading SW at 6 PM took to the E saw nothing this and latter the same saw the Island to the N by W

Saturday Feb 6th 1847

Begins with fresh trades heading SSE saw one sail at 6 PM St Helena bore N by W Dist 40 miles at 6 am took to the SW Lat 15 47 S

Sunday Feb 7th 1847

Begins with gentle trades and cloudy heading E saw nothing at 11 mid to the SW latter the same saw the Island to the N by W 50 miles Lat 15 55 S

Monday Feb 8th 1847

Begins with gentle trades and clear heading SW saw 1 ship Don I send us some oil and grant us a safe return home at day light took to the E saw a ship steering N by W saw St Helena to the N by W