

Bark Draco, of New Bedford.

Saturday June 16<sup>th</sup>/51

22, Begins with light breeze from N.W. heading S. The watch employed in fitting new flying jib Yards one ship & one schooner in sight. Flores & Larro at sun set tacked to the S.W. & took on sail, latter part light breeze from N.W. Made sail heading N.W. land in sight the watch employed in ship's duty, saw five birds  
Lat. 39. 08. N  
Long. 90. 35. W

Sunday, June 17<sup>th</sup>/51

23, Begins with light breeze from N.W. heading N.W. In shore Flores & Larro in sight at 4 P.M. tacked off shore two schooners in sight at sun set shortened sail, Middle part the same latter part made sail heading N.W. in land, saw two pieces of timber  
Lat. 39. 18. N  
Long. 90. 40. W

Monday, June 18<sup>th</sup>/51

24, Begins with light breeze & variable heading N.W. at 3 P.M. tacked to the S.W. two sail in sight. Flores & Larro, in sight. Middle part calm latter part light breeze from the S.W. Made sail steering S.W. one sail in sight saw five birds  
Lat. 38. 46. N  
Long. 90. 55. W

Tuesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>/51

25, Begins with moderate breeze from the S. steering N.W. at sun set shortened sail steering S.W. by N. Flores, & one sail in sight to the S.W. latter part made sail Flores & Larro in sight saw the bottom of a small vessel, two ships in sight at 9 spoke the South Carolina 50 days one small whale

Cruising off the Western Islands, June, 1851.

Wednesday, June 18<sup>th</sup>/51

26, Begins with moderate breeze from the S. steering S.W. four sail in sight at sun set swung ship to the S.W. & took on sail. Middle part the same latter part made sail courses variable the watch employed in setting up the main top mast-rigging building a potatoe patch.  
Lat. 40. 00. N  
Long. 92. 35. W

Thursday, June 19<sup>th</sup>/51

27, Begins with light breeze & variable, at sun set shortened sail heading S.W. Middle part the same, latter moderate breeze from the N. Made sail courses variable several vessels in sight saw Flores, the watch employed in setting up the main top mast-rigging.  
Lat. 39. 40. N  
Long. 92. 10. W

Friday, June 20<sup>th</sup>/51

28, Begins with moderate breeze from the N. steering S.W. Flores & Larro in sight at sun set shortened sail heading S.W. Middle part the same latter part fresh breeze from the S.W. courses variable at 10 A.M. spoke the ship Jefferson of New London, 18 days out clean several vessels in sight.  
Lat. 39. 08. N  
Long. 91. 35. W

Rose sun dimmed forward, Saturday, June 21<sup>st</sup>/51

29, Begins with moderate breeze from the N. Little courses variable Flores in sight steering N.E. Dist 38. 50. 15 miles at 5 P.M. saw sperm the Jeffersons Day, took on chase at 6 lowered the boats at 8. 59, sun set gone up the chase, took up boats & shortened sail heading S.W. latter part all hands employed in setting up the fore & main rigging.