

Tuesday Sept 10th



Commenced with light trades and fine weather, at 2 P.M. saw a shoal of sperm whales bound to the north, at 3.40 P.M. hoard and struck one and got him at sundown got the whale in and steered by the wind to the N.E., at daylight wore ship and steered by the wind to the south so ends these 24 hours latitude by Obs, 1.13 South 121.10

Wednesday 11th

Commenced with light airs and pleasant weather, employed in boiling out the whale, middle and latter part the same, at 6 P.M. sailed to the North at daylight finished boiling out the whale, so ends these 24 hours latitude by Obs, 47 miles South Long 121.11

Friday 12th



Commenced with light trades and pleasant weather, at 11.20 P.M. saw a ship off the weather bow, soon after saw a shoal of sperm whales going quick to the S.W. hoard his boat after them, the whales altered their course and went off to windward, saw the ship off the weather bow a whale alongside, and different courses in hopes of seeing whales again, but did not, so ends these 24 hours latitude by Obs, 3 miles South longitude 120.44

Saturday Sept 13th

Commenced with light trades and fine weather, at 4 P.M. spoke ship Peruvian of San Francisco 11.2 months out 400 bbls stood to the south in company with us so ends these 24 hours latitude by Obs, 25 miles South

Sunday 14th

Commenced with moderate trades and fine weather, middle and latter part the same, saw nothing, so ends these 24 hours latitude by Obs, 12 miles S. longitude 120.55

Monday 15th

Commenced with light trades and fine weather, at 5 P.M. sailed to the South, middle and latter part fine weather, at noon a ship standing to the North, so ends these 24 hours latitude by Observation, 7 miles South

Tuesday 16th

Commenced with light trades and fine weather, at 6 A.M. wore ship to the North, so ends these 24 hours latitude by Obs, 34 miles South

Wednesday 17th

Commenced with fresh trades and clear weather, middle and latter part light breezes, at 6 A.M. part the Peruvian, so ends these 24 hours latitude by Observation 1.9 S. Long 120.44

Thursday 18th

Commenced with moderate trades and fine weather, middle and latter part fresh breezes, so ends these 24 hours latitude by Obs, 2.48 North longitude 119.23