

Bark Franklin Off Coast California  
Remarks On Board Thursday May 19<sup>th</sup> 1839

First part this day fresh breeze from N.W. heading to N.E. and  
O.P. weather clear middle and latter parts to N.E. saw  
nothing of remark (Employees repairing sails weather heavy for  
Cruce then 24 hours) Lat of Obs 25. 10 North  
Long of Chem 113. 10 West

Remarks On Board Friday May 20<sup>th</sup> 1839

First part this day fresh breeze from N.W. heading N.E. at  
sail in parts spoke Bark Sagunge Nothing this seasons  
middle parts heading to N. latter parts to N.E. saw  
nothing for Cruce this day Lat of Obs 23. 03 North  
Long of Chem 113. 21 West

Remarks On Board Saturday May 21<sup>st</sup> 1839

First part this day fresh breeze from N.W. heading to N.E.  
of the wind middle and latter parts the same at sail in parts  
for Cruce this day Lat of Obs 23. 39 North  
Long of Chem 114. 34 West

Remarks On Board Sunday May 22<sup>nd</sup>

First part this day fresh breeze from N.W. heading N.E. saw  
A dead blackbacked Noddy for anything middle  
parts heading to S.W. latter parts to N.E. saw  
black feet for Cruce Lat of Obs 23. 30 North  
Long of Chem 114. 22 West

Remarks On Board Monday May 23<sup>rd</sup>

First part this day strong breeze from N.W. heading N.E.  
at 6 P.M. weather to N.W. by N. middle parts the same latter  
parts to N.E. for Cruce Lat of Obs 23. 24 North  
Long of Chem 114. 26 West

Remarks On Board Tuesday May 24<sup>th</sup> 1839

First part this day moderate gales of the wind to N.E.  
at 2 P.M. saw sperm whales going to windward lowly  
the boat in chase struck one and killed him and took  
him along side at 6. at day cont cutting and finished  
weather pugges heading N.E. by N. for Cruce this day

John Q. Wilsons Master 1839  
Remarks On Board Wednesday May 25<sup>th</sup>

First part this day moderate gales from N.W. heading to  
the wind to N.E. Employes clearing up the decks middle  
parts to N.E. latter parts Employes in Boiling saw  
Nothing for Cruce this day Lat of Obs 23. 16 North  
Long of Chem 114. 41 West

Remarks On Board Thursday May 26<sup>th</sup>

this day strong breeze from N.W. heading N.E. Employ  
Boiling middle parts finished Boiling latter parts to  
N.E. of the wind saw Nothing of remark for Cruce  
then 24 hours Lat of Obs 25. 34 North  
Long of Chem 114. 41 West

Remarks On Board Friday May 27<sup>th</sup> 1839

First part this day light breeze from N.W. heading N.E. at 6 P.M.  
no wind to N.W. middle and latter parts the same saw Nothing  
for Cruce then 24 hours Lat of Obs 23. 43 North

Remarks On Board Saturday May 28<sup>th</sup> 1839

First part this day light and calm saw (black feet) at 6 P.M. saw  
sperm whales lowly the boat struck one killed him and took  
him along side the ship at 8. middle parts by the whale  
latter parts Employes cutting and finished the  
work weather moderate saw A. sails to N. merchant ship  
Cruce then 24 hours Lat of Obs 23. 23 North  
Long of Chem 114. 02 West

Remarks On Board Sunday May 29<sup>th</sup> 1839

First part this day light air from O.E. heading to N. weather foggy  
Employes Boiling middle parts finished latter parts light breeze  
from N.W. heading N.E. saw Nothing Lat of Obs 23. 32 North  
Long of Chem 114. 46 West

Remarks On Board Monday May 30<sup>th</sup> 1839

First part this day fresh breeze from S.W. ship by the wind to the  
N.E. middle parts to N.E. latter parts the same  
saw Nothing of remark weather pugges with strong breeze  
for Cruce then 24 hours Lat of Obs 23. 13 North  
Long of Chem 114. 08 West