

Remarks On Board Ship

Thursday May 26 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with light winds and fine weather ship heading west at sunset in sail middle wind from the S steering W at daylight made all sail later look out for water saw finbacks and grampuses end fine and pleasant in Lat N 10 Long E

Friday May 27 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with fine wind & weather from the S steering W at sunset in sail at daylight made all sail later fine and pleasant in place doing nothing this 2 months in Lat N 10 Long East

Wednesday May 28 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with fine winds and pleasant weather at sunset in sail wind S ship heading WSW at daylight made sail and stood W saw finbacks and porpoises so end this day in Lat N 10 Long E

Sunday May 29 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with fine winds and weather from the E at sunset in sail at daylight made sail a ship in sight we spoke her the Francis of New Bedford 24 months out 800 hls saw finbacks so end this 24 hours in Lat N 10 Long E

Monday May 30 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with fine winds and pleasant weather at sunset in sail at daylight made sail a ship in sight to the S & saw finback so end this 24 hours in Lat N 10 Long East

Tuesday May 31 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with strong winds and overcast weather at sunset in to the S & a ship in sight at daylight in sail to the N East saw finbacks and fine and pleasant Jacob & Parker in the latitude N 10 Long E

Gratitude In The Pacific Ocean

Wednesday June 1 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with fine weather and light winds at sunset in mainsail and top of sails as ship in sight at daylight made all sail middle and later made sail so end in Latitude N 10 Long East

Thursday June 2 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with light winds and pleasant weather at sunset in with the light sails as ship in sight broke out for water wind ESE ship heading S at daylight made all sail at 10 AM saw a ship to the windward so end in Lat N 10 Long East

Friday June 3 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with light winds from the S & ship heading ESE at sunset in sail a ship in sight to the windward at daylight made sail a ship in sight to the S standing to the E this day ends fine and pleasant ship Gratitude in Lat N 10 Long E

Saturday June 4 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with light winds and pleasant weather from the S steering to the E at sunset in sail saw a ship to the windward at daylight made sail and stood to the E saw a sail to the S at 10 AM spoke her it was an English Barge the Henry of London she had a Fifoon and head her decks sweep and lost miseramus fore top mast and all the Boats she was a complete wreck she was bound to the Sandwich Islands we sold her a Boat so end this 24 hours ship wreck Japan in Lat N 10 Long East

Sunday June 5 day 1842

this 24 hours begins with light winds and pleasant weather at sunset in sail at daylight made sail a ship in sight to the East this 24 hours ends fine and pleasant in Lat N 10 Long East