

Ship - Isaac Howland & P. Swain Master.
 Wednesday Dec^r 23^d 1835
 First part of these 24 hours light South winds and hazy weather - steering to the north at 6 P.M. came to an anchor in Payta harbor and fired the sails ships Samuel Wright Pittman 1800 and Alpha of western 750. Latter part clear employed Boating off potatoes from the shore and collecting bands &c so ends this day.

Thursday Dec^r 24th 1835
 Southerly winds and pleasant weather throughout - 1 watch on shore the other variously employed so ends this day.

Friday Dec^r 25th 1835
 Winds and weather the same as yesterday - 1 watch on liberty the other employed boating off potatoes and pumpkins took in 125 bushels of sweet potatoes and 18 large pumpkins so ends this day. There can be obtained at Payta Fresh & sweet potatoes onions bananas plantains oranges coconuts water melons fresh beef &c at reasonable prices.

Saturday Dec^r 26th 1835
 Pleasant winds and fine weather throughout Liberty on shore for 1 watch the other employed boating off potatoes &c so ends this day.

Sunday Dec^r 27th 1835
 Southerly breezes and clear weather - Variously employed.

Monday Dec^r 28th 1835
 Winds and weather as yesterday employed boating off onions &c.

At anchor in Payta Harbor.
 Tuesday Dec^r 29th 1835
 These 24 hours agreeable winds and weather all hands laying on their oars the principal part of the day.

Wednesday Dec^r 30th 1835
 This day begins with fresh South winds and pleasant weather at 4 P.M. weighed anchor and stood out to sea in company with ship Alpha. Capt. Chase stood upon the deck wind to the SW through the night at 7 P.M. started W & N so ends this day.

Thursday Dec^r 31st 1835
 First part of this day moderate gales from the SE and clear weather - Latter part light breezes. Employed making nets for potatoes and onions so ends this day. Nothing in sight. Set by 3rd 50 South.

Friday January 1st 1836
 First part of these 24 hours calm weather and clear. Middle & Latter part fresh breezes. Courses from the 1st 11 to 11 SW employed variously. Nothing in sight. Set by 4th 15 South. Long by Watch 89th 45 West.

Saturday January 2nd 1836
 These 24 hours fresh SE trades and pleasant weather steering W & N at 5 P.M. raised a large sperm whale to the windward bow and 3 boats in chase gave up the chase at sun set. Tacked to Eastward at 7 at 11 tacked to the SW at 9 A.M. kept her W by S so ends this day. Set by 4th 20 South.

Sunday January 3rd 1836
 These 24 hours fresh SE trades and clear weather steering W by S at sun set. Hauled up the courses & took in L.G. Sails at 5 A.M. made sail carpenter employed making a work bench sailors plating snivel so ends this day. Set by 4th 38 South. Long 90th 50 West.