

Bark John A Robb Cruising for Whales

Friday June 8th 1860

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate Breeze from S.W. Steering N.E. hoisting. Saw a few finbacks. a ship in sight steering to the East
Lat 24.40 Long 111.30

Saturday June 9th

These twenty four hours fine Weather and moderate Breeze from South heading to the E.S. hoisting, finished about 11.30 A.M. Saw nothing. the Sick men about the same. Mr. Silvia is rather worse. Antonio is getting well.

Sunday June 10th

Comes in with fine Weather and moderate Breeze from S.W. heading to the Eastward Middle and latter part equally Saw nothing.
Lat 24.06 Long 109.20

Monday June 11th

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate Breeze from the E.S.E. Steering off W.N.W. Saw nothing. Employed repairing Leeward Boat, the Sick men improving some.
Lat 23.48 Long 109.20

Tuesday June 12th

Comes in with fine Weather and moderate Breeze from the S.E. Middle and latter part much the same. Saw a ship and a Bark heading to the S.E. latter part Employed Coopers and Stowing down oil in between decks. Capt Baker took with Bysentoy
Lat 23.43 Long 108.11

Wednesday June 13th

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate Breeze from N.W. heading to the N.E. Middle and latter part much the same Saw nothing. Antonio is improving fast. Mr. Silvia is no better.
Lat 24.00 Long 107.11

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Thursday June 14th 1860

These twenty four hours Northerly Winds and Squally the Bark heading to the N.E. at daylight tacked to the Westward saw nothing. Mr. Silvia is still quite Sick the other Sick men about the same.
Lat 23.30 Long 107.54

Friday June 15th

Comes in with fresh breeze from N.E. the Bark heading to the Westward under short sail middle and latter part wind from South heading to the S.W. Saw nothing.
Lat 22.55 S Long 107.11 E

Saturday June 16th

Comes in with fresh breeze from S.E. the Bark heading to the Westward Middle and latter part much the same Saw nothing. the Sick men about the same.
No obs.

Sunday June 17th

Comes in with fine Weather and moderate breeze from S.W. Middle and latter part much the same at 1 P.M. Saw Whales going to windward lowered for them without success. I started at one and struck him in the small; the iron drained; latter part Steering off. N.W.
No obs.

Monday June 18th

Comes in with fine Weather and moderate Breeze from S.W. Middle and latter part much the same. at 1 P.M. lowered for Whales and heard one missed by the Boatmen lasting too soon, before he was told, heard a new Man-of-war
Lat 22.00 Long 105.11

Tuesday June 19th

Comes in with fine weather and light breeze from S.E. Steering to the W.N.W. Saw a finback Joseph Padilla was allowed to go forward at his own request, in consequence of missing a whale, by starting too soon, and before he was told he, latter part Steering S.W. Saw porpoises
Lat 23.58 Long 104.40