

off Isl de la Plata

Remarks on 14 May 13th 1831

First part strong breezes at 8 AM
cleared S.E. low to brig
at 3 P.M. saw sperm whales put
off with three boats fastened
twice & drewed the Tross
Isl de la Plata bearing East the
Breakers in sight from Mast head
Middle part strong trades at South
Latter part more moderate - spoke
ship Logan Fisher of New Bedford
300 barrels sperm oil
So Ends this day Lat 1-11 Long 81-40

Remarks on Sat May 14th 1831

First part strong breezes at 8 AM
& fine weather stood in shore
with all sail at 1/2 past 3 PM saw
Isl de la Plata - Middle part by off Bon
Latter part cleared S.E. S.W.
saw Blackfish - Light on Isl de la Plata
So Ends this day Lat 1-14 the breakers in

Remarks on Sun May 15th 1831

First part brisk breezes at S.W. and
fine weather cleared North at 4
hauled off shore by the wind
at 8 P.M. spoke ship Ontario of Nantucket
Capt John G Coffin 30 months out 1850
barrels sperm oil
Middle part stood off shore under short
sail - Latter part stood in shore with
all sail - So Ends this day
Lat 4-5 Miles South Long 82-34

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Remarks on Monday May 16th 1831
First part brisk breezes at S.W.
and fine weather by S.E. 6-8 miles
all sail - at 3 P.M. saw the land
at 6 tacked off shore of la Plata bearing
S.E. 15 miles - Middle & latter part
wind & weather the same stood to the
westward - saw blackfish
So Ends this day Lat 5-4 miles South
Chrotr. PM. 32-04 Long 83-22
82-46

Remarks on Tue May 17th 1831

First part brisk breezes at S.W. & cloudy
weather stood to the westward with all
sail at 8 P.M. spoke ship Chetory of
New Bedford 20 months out 1400 barrels oil
Middle & latter part light winds stood
to the westward - So Ends this day
Lat 6-3 miles South Long 84-00

Remarks on W May 18th 1831

First part light winds at S.W. & fine
weather - by W.N. & S.W. by S. Middle
& Latter part fine breezes & good weather
by W.S.W. with all sail
So Ends this day saw one Humpback
Lat 3-1 miles South Long 85-40

Remarks on Th May 19th 1831

First part brisk breezes at S.E. & fine
weather - cleared W. with all sail
Middle & Latter part cleared W.S.W.
saw porpoises
So Ends this day Lat 6-1 miles South Long 87-20