

To the coast of Chili AD 1857

" Friday Dec 12th "

For these 24 hours a fine breeze from the S steering NW under all sail, employed in small jobs setting up m^t rigging & breaking out Beef & Pork

" Saturday 13th "

For these 24 hours a fine breeze employed in Tarring down rigging nothing in sight

" Sunday 13th "

Commences with a fine breeze steering S by west employed in Tarring down breaking out water & Flour " Middle part a fine breeze Latter part the same nothing doing

" Monday 14th "

Commences with a fine light breeze steering S by W under all sail. Middle & Latter parts the same employed in darning & setting up. Fine stay nothing in sight

" Tuesday 15th "

For the first & middle part a fine breeze steering S by W employed in Tarring & rigging. Latter part squally at daylight sighted Carveys Island off weather beam employed in cleaning ship. Old man at painting

" Wednesday 16th "

For these 24 hours a fine breeze steering S by W employed in painting ship inside made the Island of Boratonga on the weather beam 30 miles distant a sail in sight

" Thursday 17th "

Commences with light winds attended with squalls of rain beating up to the island at 4 PM. Lacked ship. Middle & Latter parts squally standing in to the land 2 sail in sight at 10 A M lacked ship and stood off shore

Bark Louisa bound to Talcahuano M. R. Hathaway

Friday 18th December

Commences with a light breeze attended with rain standing in to the land at sunset hauled in the courses. For and off the lee beam a sail in sight Middle part dying off and on Latter part the same kept on shore boat bringing off wood. Fine apples Fowl & Banannas. At 12 O'Clock Old Man came on board and stood off shore. Ship stowed with wood so ends this 24 hours

" Saturday 19th "

Commences with a squally weather running along the land. Middle part squally Latter part the same. The old man gave me a barrel of limes to send home

" Sunday 20th "

Commences with a strong breeze standing on the wind to the S employed in breaking out molasses Middle & Latter parts fine nothing doing

" Monday 21st "

For these 24 hours a strong breeze standing on the wind nothing worthy of note

" Tuesday 22nd "

For these 24 hours a strong breeze standing on the wind to the SE a sail off the beam standing to the North & East

" Wednesday 23^d "

For these 24 hours a strong breeze standing on the wind to the Southward employed in small jobs a sail off weather beam saw breaches ahead

" Thursday 24th "

For these 24 hours a strong breeze standing on the wind to the SE a sail off the bow

" Friday 25th "

For these 24 hours a fine breeze employed in painting ship outside & breaking out water

" Saturday 26th "

For these 24 hours a strong breeze attended with squalls of rain

" Sunday 27th "

Commences with a strong breeze Middle part the same took in the light sail. Latter part the same took in main sail & put 2 reefs in the topmasts