

June 1853
Ship Mary hunting the ocean for sperm Whales
Courses Wind Friday June the 17th
SE ENE A strong breeze & cloudy under close reefed top sails
and spencers Ross sulpher bottom's Middle & latter
E SE NE parts blowing a fresh gale & some squalls of rain
sent down the main top gallant yard to the land
& brase blocks leak 850 S Lat by orls

Saturday June the 18th
E SE NE A fresh gale & cloudy under short sail saw
number of water spouts the watch employed fitying
SE ENE new main brace blocks & other jobs Middle part
squally & rain stowed the fore & main top
E NE sails latter part moderate gale & ranged the
watch employed at ships duty leak 1000 strokes
Lat by orls
Long by chron

Sunday June the 19th
E NE the fore part blowing heavy six squalls &
E SE NE rainy under short sail Middle & latter parts
fresh gale & squalls of rain saw fin back
under close reefed main top sail spencers
ships leak 1200 S
Lat by orls

Monday June the 20th
E NE Begins with a strong breeze & raining at 2
PM ceased of & set double reefed top sails
W Middle & latter parts moderate breeze & hazy saw
number of sulpher bottom's the watch employed at
ships duty leak 700 S Lat by orls
Long by chron

Tuesday June the 21st
East SW A light breeze & cloudy under hole top sails and
courses the watch employed at small jobs
NE Middle & latter parts strong breeze & cloudy saw
sulpher bottom's the watch employed copping the
mizen Rigging leak 650 strokes 50 Ends
Lat by orls 26-05
Long by chron

Ship Mary Looking for sperm Whales June 1853
Courses Wind Wednesday June the 22nd
E NE A strong breeze & cloudy under double reefed top sails
E by N finished copping the mizen Rigging Middle & latter
NE E SE parts fresh breeze & cloudy sent up the main top
gallant yard sail & all Leak 600 strokes

Thursday June the 23rd
NE E verable winds & squalls of rain all hands
took ship Employed bracheing out the after hole & stowing
SE ENE down cask & filling them with salt water
Middle & latter parts moderate breeze & rain squalls
E SE NE saw hump backs the watch employed at ships
duty Leak as before Lat by orls
Long by chron

Friday June the 24th
E SE NE A light breeze & attended with squall soft rain
under hole top sails & courses all hands emp
loyed stowing cask in the after hole & filling
E NE them with salt water to trim ship
Middle & latter parts moderate gale & cloudy under
close reefed top sails & spencers Leak 800 S
Lat by orls

Saturday June the 25th Long by chron
E NE A strong breeze & hazy under close reefed top
sails & courses Middle & latter parts strong
breeze & hazy saw number of sulpher bottom's
Leak 1000 S 50 Ends Lat by orls 25-09 S
Long by chron

Sunday June the 26th
E NE A strong breeze & hazy under close reefed
top sails & courses saw hump backs
E NE NE Middle & latter parts strong wind & squalls of
rain saw fin backs Leak the same
Lat by orls