

Bark Mary & Susan On the western ground.

Remarks Sunday Sept. 9th 1877

Begins with fresh breezes from W. & S.W. and squally. Course E.S.E. by Campas. at Sun double reefed the top sails jerked the main sail. Latter part fresh breezes from W. Course S.E. at 11^{1/4} A.M. spoke the Bark Peru Capt. Earl 29 months out 830 A.M. Lat 34=42 Long 35=30

Remarks Monday Sept 10th

Begins with fresh breezes from W. Course S.E. a squall following us up from the N.W. at 6 P.M. squall caught us. Double reefed. at sundown heaved to head to the westward. Latter part fresh breezes from eastward and raining. Under double reef. Lat 34=35 Long 35=34

Remarks Tuesday Sept 11th

Begins with fresh breezes from Eastward. heading N.N.E. under double reef. Latter part pleasant breezes from S.E. and fine. A heavy swell from the N. saw a Brig. Lat 35=38 Long 35=16

Remarks Wednesday Sept 12th

Begins with pleasant breezes from S. heading E.S.E. a heavy swell from the N. saw junks in the morning. Latter part strong winds from S.W. heading S.E. under double reef. Lat 35=33 Long 34=24.

Remarks Thursday Sept 13th

Begins with strong winds from S.W. heading S.E. under double reef. Latter part squally with thunder and lightning. Wind W.S.W. Lat 35=18 Long 33=58

Remarks Friday Sept 14th

Begins with rainy and squally weather, wind W. heading to the S. Under double reef. Latter part moderate breezes from N.N.E. heading N.W. saw the English Steamer John Dickerson steering to the W.N.W.

Lat 34=53 Long 34=18

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Remarks Saturday Sept 15th 1877

Begins with light breezes from S.E. heading by to the Northward. at Sundown shortened sail. One month out to sea. A long month it has been. I should like to know how they are at home to night. do they miss me at home, do they miss me.

Latter part light breezes from S.E. heading by to the East at 9 A.M. raised a school of small whales. at 10^{1/2} lowered the boats. at 11^{1/2} the W. Boat struck. at Ocean the other boats chasing. Lat 35=10 Long 34=19

Remarks Sunday Sept 16th

Begins with fresh breezes from S.W. One boat fast to a whale. two boats chasing. at 1 P.M. the L. Boat struck. at 2^{1/4} took the whale along side. at 4 took the L. Boat whale along side at 5 P.M. commenced cutting. at 8^{1/4} finished. got supper and set the watch. Latter part strong winds. at 10 A.M. commenced dailing. Lat 34=59 Long 33=36

Remarks Monday Sept 17th

Begins with a fresh gale from S.W. employed dailing. at 6 P.M. took in the fore top sail, layed close reefed the main. heading to the Southward. Under part dailing quite hard. at 3. took a heavy squall from the westward. took in the fore sail. Latter part more more moderate. at 6^{1/2} started the fires again. at 10 finished dailing. Lat 34=34 Long 33=14

Remarks Tuesday Sept 18th

Begins with strong winds from W.N.W. heading by to the S.W. under a double reefed main top sail and fore sail. Latter part moderate from N.N.W. steering S.W. by S. took off the fore can. made over a barrel.

Lat 33=53 Long 32=24.