

Journal Bark Mary & Susan at Juan Fernandez
Tuesday August 20th 1848

This day begins with moderate winds from S by E and on at four o'clock boats brought two boats loaded of wood stand off shore at sun down moderate winds from S by E continued middle part increased at day light strong winds from E by N land close and all so names Allen and Malinda were latter part strong gale from E by N

Wednesday 21st

This day begins with strong gale from E by N Bark on the starboard tack at three o'clock kept her up and run round of the island at six o'clock horse her to on the port tack middle moderated at day light and latter part strong wind and equally two sails and land in sight Lat 33 58 S Lon 78 36 W

Thursday 22

This day begins with strong breeze from W Bark on the starboard tack two sails in sight and land in sight at sun down wind shore in to S by E Bark on the port tack under close reefed top sail middle part moderated at four o'clock wind hauled for S by E steering E by W at day light land two miles off at night E by W two boats went shore to get wood could not get shore they went fishing two other sails lying off and on

Friday 23rd

This day begins with moderate winds from S by E lying off and on Juan Fernandez at three o'clock boats came on board at sun down standing off shore on the starboard tack middle part lying off and on at day light moderate winds from S by E land two miles three boats shore for wood latter part the same

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This day begins with calm three sails in sight at 3 o'clock took three sperm whales landed boats and drove them away at sun down boats return on board an whales middle part calm at day light and latter part the same watch employed in the ships duty Lat 29 35

Sunday July 28th

This day begins with calm four sails in sight at sun down took in sails middle part light breeze from E at day light and latter part the same steering S by E three sails in sight Lat 29 54 S Lon 84 21 W

Monday 29th

This day begins with light winds from S steering S by E three sails in sight at sun down took in light sails middle part light winds at day light and latter part the same steering S by E saw several fin back and two sail Lat 30 57 S Lon 88 24 W

Tuesday 30th

This day begins with light winds from E steering S by E one sail in sight at sun down took in sails pleasant breeze continued middle part the same at day light and latter part pleasant breeze from E steering S by E with haze weather saw one sail watch employed in the ships duty Lat 32 35 S Lon 83 11 W

Wednesday July 31st

This day begins with pleasant breeze from E by N Bark on the starboard tack at four o'clock we are ship on the port tack at sun down took in sails strong winds continued middle part the same at day light and latter part the wind hauled from W and moderated watch employed in the ships duty Lat 32 24 S