

Remarks On board Bark Matilda Lewis

Monday Sept 23rd Lat 33° 48' S Lon 74° 38' W

Commenced with fresh breeze from S & East heading S by E the Capt. ordered the boats helping to cut the whale employed in getting ready to take the head reef the main top sail & flying with it to the mast middle carrying aback after fresh breeze from South heading N by E at 8 the Capt. went on board the Nautilus with a boat crew to help get the head off at 2 1/2 got it off at 10 took it along side of us and took the junk & in and got dinner and other suit & finish to our

Tuesday Sept 24th Lat 33° 48' S Lon 74° 38' W
Commenced with fresh breeze from South got the coast in & sailed at 9, started the works & commenced cutting up the fresh breeze forward ship heading N by E the Nautilus in sight ahead heading N by E latter strong breeze from S & East. Two ship at 11 heading E & employed in boiling the Nautilus in sight in boiling one other suit in sight

Wednesday Sept 25th Lat 33° 00' S Lon 74° 40' W
Commenced with strong breeze from S & East to South heading from East to E & East at 2 finished boiling the Nautilus in sight Boiling at 4 we were at heading N by E fresh the forecast middle heading E & East latter fresh breeze from South heading N by E were ship at 10 heading E & S & E Stowed down the head oil 30 lbs just at 9 Gallons of Oil from the Nautilus were they divided being our share nothing more in sight

Cruising Off Chile

Thursday Sept 26th Lat 34° 42' S Lon 74° 54' W
Commenced with fresh breeze from South heading E & E & broke out in rain hold for another the Nautilus in sight with us ship at 1 1/2 heading N by E latter light wind from South were ship at 2 heading E & S at 2 wind hauled to N by E steering S by W the stowed down the remainder of the oil the Nautilus in sight

Friday Sept 27th Lat 35° 01' S Lon 74° 25' W
Commenced with light breeze from S & East steering from S by W to S by South at sun down dipped to the wind & shortened sail heading N by E the Nautilus in sight since we sailing from N by E to N by E latter fresh breeze from N by E steering E & East employed in making of puny on the Nautilus in sight

Saturday Sept 28th Lat 35° 30' S Lon 74° 04' W
Commenced with fresh breeze from South steering to east at 3 were ship heading N by E at 6 wind hauled to N by E heading N by E shortened sail at sundown the Nautilus in sight middle heading N by E latter strong breeze from N by E heading N by E with fresh 10 lbs of oil on board for the Nautilus in sight

Sunday Sept 29th Lat 36° 03' S Lon 75° 06' W
Commenced with strong winds from N by E to N by heading from S by E to S by West at sundown took in the fore sail & were ship heading N by E the Nautilus in sight middle wind hauled to S by E heading N by E latter fresh breeze from S by E to South at 6 were ship steering S by South with all oil on the Nautilus in sight