

Ship Mechanic bound on a Whaling Voyage

H	R	H R	Course	Winds	L W	Remarks on board Tuesday Jan 5 th 1862
2	6		SW	SE		These 24 hours commences with fresh SE
4	6					Trade wind heading SW by S under
6	6					all sail. hands employed in trimming
8	6					ship at 5 P.M. exchanged signals
10	7					with a whaling ship we supposed
12	7					to be the Trident of Mr Bedford
2	7					Middle and latter fresh Trades and
4	7					pleasant hands employed in ship
6	7					duty sounds this day
8	7					
10	7					
12	7					

Course	Dist	Diff Lat	Lat by	Lat by	Diff Long	D R	Longitude in by
			Obs	Obs			Chron
SW by W	158	146-0	60-5	5-28	5-30	1-00	29-28 No Obs 29-32

H	R	H R	Course	Winds	L W	Remarks on board Wednesday Jan 6 th
2	7		SW	SE		These 24 hours commences with fresh SE
4	7					Trades and pleasant weather one sail
6	7					in sight employed in making a close
8	7					Mizen Middle and latter part fine breeze
10	7					and pleasant employed in taring the
12	7					Rigging 4 sail in sight So Ends
2	6					Var 1/2 point Westerly
4	6					
6	6					
8	6					
10	6					
12	6					

Course	Dist	Diff Lat	Lat by	Lat by	Diff Long	D R	Longitude in by
			Obs	Obs			Chron
SW by W	156	149-3	45-3	7-57	7-59	10-45	30-43 No Obs 30-12

H	R	H R	Course	Winds	L W	Remarks on board Thursday Jan 7 th
2	7		SW	SE		These 24 hours commences with fresh
4	7					Trades and pleasant weather at 4 P.M.
6	7					set the fore top mast standing sail
8	7					Middle and latter part fine breeze
10	7					and pleasant hands employed in
12	7					fitting Rigging and Taring down
2	7					2 sails in sight So Ends
4	7					Var 1/2 point Westerly
6	7					
8	7					
10	6					
12	6					

Course	Dist	Diff Lat	Lat by	Lat by	Diff Long	D R	Longitude in by
			Obs	Obs			Chron
SW by W	160	153-0	46-4	10-30	10-31	00-47	31-00 No Obs 31-02

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H	R	H R	Course	Winds	L W	Remarks on board Friday Jan 8 th
2	6		SW	SE		These 24 hours commences with fine
4	6					Trades and pleasant at 4 P.M. set
6	7					Lower and Top gallant standing
8	7					sails at 7 P.M. set up the main Royal yard
10	8					and set the main Royal Middle and latter
12	8					part fresh Trades and pleasant employed
2	8					in making a main stay sail out of the
4	8					old main sail 2 sails in sight So Ends
6	8					Var 1/2 point Westerly
8	8					
10	8					
12	8					

Course	Dist	Diff Lat	Lat by	Lat by	Diff Long	D R	Longitude in by
			Obs	Obs			Chron
SW by W	180	172-2	52-3	13-22	13-21	00-54	31-54 No Obs No Obs

H	R	H R	Course	Winds	L W	Remarks on board Saturday Jan 9 th
2	8		SW	SE		These 24 hours commences with fresh Trades
4	8					and pleasant Middle and latter part fine
6	8					breeze from the Eastward and pleasant hands
8	8					employed in ship duty one sail in sight
10	7					So Ends these 24 hours
12	7					Var 1/2 point Westerly
2	7					
4	7					
6	7					
8	7					
10	7					
12	7					

Course	Dist	Diff Lat	Lat by	Lat by	Diff Long	D R	Longitude in by
			Obs	Obs			Chron
SW by W	180	166-3	66-9	16-03	16-03	1-11	33-05 No Obs 32-55

H	R	H R	Course	Winds	L W	Remarks on board Sunday Jan 10 th 1862
2	7		SW	SE		These 24 hours commences with a fine
4	7					breeze from the Eastward and pleasant
6	6					weather one sail in sight at 6 P.M.
8	6					wind NE set Top mast and Lower standing
10	6					on the Starboard side Middle and latter
12	6					part the same one sail in sight
2	6					So Ends this day
4	5					Var 1/2 point Westerly
6	5					
8	5					
10	6					
12	6					

Course	Dist	Diff Lat	Lat by	Lat by	Diff Long	D R	Longitude in by
			Obs	Obs			Chron
SW by W	141	130-3	54-0	13-13	13-18	00-57	34-02 33-48 33-57