

Ship Minerva towards Coast Chile
Saturday Sept 5th 1846.

This day commenced with strong breeze from the N.E. steering S by E first part heavy squalls wind and rain water employed in ship's duty.

Sunday Sept 6th 1846.

This day comes in with a strong wind from S.E. steering S by E latter part strong breeze ruffled topsails. so ends today.

Monday Sept 7th 1846.

This day commenced with strong wind from S.E. steering by the wind water employed in assuring potatoes.

Tuesday Sept 8th 1846.

This day comes in with fine breeze from N.E. steering by the wind water making rising stuff and painting boats so ends today.

Wednesday Sept 9th 1846.

This day commenced with strong wind from E steering S.E. water employed in ship's duty so ends today.

Thursday Sept 10th 1846.

This day commenced with strong wind from N.E. steering S by E first part heavy squalls so ends this day's work.

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Friday Sept 12th 1846.

To Saturday October 3rd 1846.
Employed in performing passage from Otahutia to the Coast Chile nothing of consequence occurred said no sails nor no whales water and water employed in fitting boats and getting things ready for whaling.

Sunday October 4th 1846.

Commenced with fine weather and cold the first part spoke the ship Pallao of Navarre 10 months out 250 bbls. Saw whales and chased without success latter part the same so ends today.

Monday October 5th 1846.

This day commenced with fine breeze from S.E. steering by the wind chased whales without success at 6 took in sail and stood boats so ends today.

Tuesday Oct 6th 1846.

This day commenced with fine weather lowered for a fair wind and the V.B. Boat fastened and the whale done the Boat at 6 took him alongside the Pallao in sight she fastened and drew latter part employed in cutting in the whale at 10 finished cutting said 6 parts