

Thursday February 15th 1849

This day we have had pleasant weather and a light breeze - a Ship is in sight
Lat 18°37' South, Long 74°26' West

Friday Feb 16th

The first part of the day pleasant and calm
Later part a moderate breeze
Lat 18°56' South, Long 74°10' West

Saturday Feb 17th

Commenced with pleasant weather and a moderate breeze, latter part of the day a fine wind, a Ship is in sight
Lat 16°58' South, Long 74°50' West

Sunday Feb 18th

This day has been pleasant, with a fine breeze we saw a number of Finback whales in the afternoon
Lat 16°37' South, Long 75°59' West

Monday Feb 19th

The day has been pleasant, nothing of interest has occurred worthy of note -
Lat 14°35' South, Long 77°02' West

Tuesday Feb 20th

I can only write the same old story - pleasant weather to day
Lat 13°17' South, Long 78°27' West

Wednesday Feb 21st

This day has been pleasant with a fine wind
Lat 11°55' South, Long 80°01' West

Thursday Feb 22d

This day has been pleasant likewise. Ship with all sail set steering NW by W
Lat 10°47' South, Long 81°09' West

Friday February 23d 1849

This day has been pleasant with a fresh breeze
Lat 9°23' South, Long 82°36' West

Saturday Feb 24th

To day we have had a fresh breeze and pleasant weather, in the afternoon we saw a school of Black fish, the boats were lowered to chase them but without success
Lat 8°40' South, Long 83°51' West

Sunday Feb 25th

This day has been pleasant with a moderate wind
Lat 7°21' South, Long 84°35' West

Monday Feb 26th

Commenced pleasant with a light ^{wind}, saw breaches
Lat 6°18' South, Long 85°20' West

Tuesday Feb 27th

Commenced with pleasant weather and a moderate breeze, at 1 PM saw sperm whales, the boats were lowered and got 5 of them, at 8 o'clock got them alongside of the ship
Lat 6°05' South, Long 85°14' West

Wednesday Feb 28th

The day has been pleasant, the whales are all cut in, in the afternoon saw more sperm whales to the windward, all sail was made on the ship, and we gave chase for them but lost sight of them,
Lat 5°09' South, Long 85°08' West

Thursday March 1st

Commenced with light wind and fine weather, latter part the same
Lat 5°56' South, Long 85°03' West

Friday March 2d

First and last part of the day pleasant, middle Raining -
Lat 4°48' South, Long 85°20' West