

Saturday June 26th 1869

all these 24 hours moderate winds from the S. E. and fine pleasant weather ship steering various courses but working to the S. W. cruising - saw two sail both working to the E. - saw porpoises several times and caught one - saw finbacks and Sulfur Bottoms.

Lat. at Merd. 48.09 N
Long by Chron. 22 47 W.

Sunday June 27th 1869

Comes in with light air from the S. E. and fine pleasant weather ship working to S. W. and S. E. per compass. cruising - saw porpoises, finbacks and Sulfur Bottoms. Water pale and clear and nothing in it.

Lat. at Merd. 48.24
Long by Chron. 23.46

Monday June 28th 1869

Comes in with light winds from the E. and fine weather. Ship by the wind cruising to the E. S. E. - saw finbacks and several schools of porpoises and one sail at 12 m. Tackled ship standing to the S. E. W. - saw plenty of porpoises in the P. M. one Humpback one or two finbacks and a school of Grampuses.

Lat. 49.18 Long 23.10

Tuesday June 29th 1869

Comes in with fresh breezes from the E. S. E. and S. E. with fine pleasant weather - Ship by the wind to the S and S. S. W. with all prudent sail out - several sail in sight steering to the E. - saw plenty of porpoises - Water of a dark blue with some small toad stools - some Yellow Drops &c.

Lat. at Merd. 49.16
Long by Chron. 22.51

Wednesday June 30th 1869

Comes in with strong breezes from the S. E. and cloudy weather - Ship by the wind with all prudent sail out. To the S W and S. S. W. with the view of going to the Texas Kirk - Ords Spring - Water rather green all day - saw one school of porpoises and Grampuses - at night wind backing to the South with rain - saw one sail steering to the W. - nothing more in sight all day.

Lat. at Merd. 47.25
Long by Chron. 24.07

In the P. M. saw Yellow Drops and a school of Small Chud chud.