

Ship Robt Edwards Journal in Shou

Thurs May 31. At 8 AM 1837

Thurs 24 hours light air from
commence with strong wind, began at 11 AM
at 1 PM to call ship at 3 PM turned out on
out of the topsails set the fore top
Gall sail middle part more moderate latter
part minding main top sail a heavy wind
at

Lat 27.12

Long 88.28

Friday 9 AM 1 PM This 24 hours commenced with
light air and calm middle part the same wind from
the Northward and westward latter part the same
thus ending all well Lat 26.40 Long 82.12

Saturday 10 Commenced with clear weather and light
breeze from the SW at 6 PM wind changed to the NW
strongly at

Saturday 10 PM This 24 hours commenced
with fresh Gale from the North West and was
weather middle and latter part the same

at 7 AM made 50 miles Lat 24.12 Long 74.12

Sunday 3 Commenced with light air from the
West and overcast weather running for the Islands
at 6 PM past the Islands bearing ESE and 6 miles
to the N. a fishing Smaller part commenced strong
Boats crew watched ship under all sail standing below
and aloft latter part strong at 10 AM North with a
fine breeze from the West so ending this day

Lat 25.26 Long 77.24

Monday 3 PM 9 AM This 24 hours commenced with
light Gale from the North West and clear weather at
morning at 10 AM at 11 AM and 12 PM and 1 PM
at 2 PM latter part strong fresh wind by up to 10 PM
at 4 PM double topsails so ending all well

Lat 23.21 South Long 74.12

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Commenced with strong Gale from
the SW and cloudy at 2 PM turned on up out of the topsails
strong at 6 PM middle part blowing fresh at 8 PM and
hauled to Southward strong at 10 PM latter part the same
so ending all well Lat 21.17 Long 75.53

Tuesday 9 AM 1 PM This 24 hours commenced with heavy
wind from the SW by West strong at 10 PM the ship under
double up to topsails middle and latter part the same

Lat 14.26 Long 75.28

Thursday 7 First part of this 24 hours commenced with strong
Gale from the SE and light overcast weather at 12 midnight
luffed to the wind with the main top sail to the mast at day
light hauled forward strong to the Northward latter part light
wind and thick so ending this day Lat 18.44 Long 76.16

Friday 8 First part of this 24 hours light wind from the South East
and overcast weather at 10 minutes PM saw Black Fish round
and observed the 13.40 and was at 12 PM shorted in
for the night strong North by East at 10 PM came
to the wind with the main top sail black at daylight hauled
forward strong at 6 PM so ending this day of travel

Lat 10.22 Long 75.54

Saturday 9 This 24 hours light breeze and pleasant
running by the wind under easy sail saw nothing the
land bearing East Lat 15.10 Long 75.47

Sunday 11 This 24 hours strong Gale from the ESE
and clear saw Hump Back standing off and on
in 12 PM Lat 15.10 Long 76.04

Monday 11 Moderate Breeze and pleasant wind
from the SE saw a number of Hump Back

Tuesday 12 This 24 hours strong trading and thick
weather strong by the wind on different parts of the
saw Black Fish Lat 15.10 Long 76.04

Wednesday 13 This first part of this 24 hours light
breeze from the ESE and cloudy at 8 PM saw a
shout of sperm whales round and fastened the
waist board slightly the ship saw at 11 PM and
saw a young whale to be a young whale