

Ship Robert Camara Coast of Peru
at Santa

Wednesday 12 May 1859.

Three 24 hours light winds and calm
at 3 P.M. sent the boat in again to look for
the harbour at 8 P.M. the boat arrived to the ship
and reported having found Santa at last
made all sail and stood in for the anchor
age at 10 came to anchor about $\frac{3}{4}$ of a
mile from the beach and $\frac{1}{4}$ from the bluff
of the Island making west side of the Harbour

Friday 13

Light winds and pleasant with some
some small breeze round the bluff at 3 P.M.
the ship stretched a heavy surge broke the upper
minelay part and springing the minelay
employed at Sunday jobs

Saturday 14

Pleasant weather and plenty
of work. took off 60 bbls of water and a
few potatoes

Sunday 15

Fine clear weather took on
board the remainder of our Potatoes (being
but a small quantity) and prepared for
sea. At 8 A.M. weighed anchor and stood out
to sea cleared the decks &c. Santa bearing
E N E dist 10 miles

Monday 16

Fresh winds and pleasant steering
by the wind up to 8 P.M. several of the men
intoxicated James Williams being saucy
to capt. M. seized him up and gave him over
board with a cat

Camara McWhanna No. 2021 1859

Tuesday 17 of Dec 1859.

First part fresh breeze from S E
and pleasant steering by the wind up to
9 P.M. Middle and latter part strong wind
employed fitting the groundlass

Lat μ Obs 11 45 S

Long by Chron 81. 55 W

Wednesday 18.

Three 24 hours fresh winds from
S E and calm steering by the wind up to
9 P.M.

Lat μ Obs 11. 56 S

Long by Chron 80 25 W

Thursday 19.

Fresh winds and pleasant
steering by the wind saw nothing

Lat μ Obs 12. 36 S

Long by Chron 83 56

Friday 20.

Light winds and pleasant
spoke the Canton Gray of New Bedford 150
bbls likewise the Spanish Riacha of
Santa Cruz 27 tons out 14.00 S. M.

Lat μ Obs 12. 20

Long by Chron 80. 25

Saturday 21.

Light winds and pleasant spoke
the Brig Royal Nelson of Callao bound to
Machos latter part saw five flocks Black Fish
&c

Lat μ Obs 18. 59

Long by Chron 82. 19

Sunday 22

All these 24 hours light winds and
pleasant saw a ship called the Canton

Lat μ Obs 11. 40 S

Long by Chron 81. 40 W