

Continued Remarks on Board 1847

Wednesday July 7th

Commenced with fine weather all hands in sloped looking for whales At middle and latter part much the same At 11 A.M. saw land the East Coast of Africa of the weather from distance 15 miles of so end this day Cruising Lat by 40 South Long by 39.32 East

Thursday July 8th

Commenced with fine weather At 1 P.M. tack ship to the S.E. and stood out weather At middle At latter much the same sent in the fly, jib and other of 9 sent it again so end this day carrying all sail heading S.E. Lat by 41.15 South Long by 41.28 East

Friday July 9th

Commenced with fine weather saw several Finbacks the men are sick again At middle and latter part much the same heading to the S.E. weather all sail out so end this day repairing the S. jib

Saturday July 10th

Commenced with fine weather At 6 P.M. Tack ship to the S. with all sail out At middle and latter part much the same tack ship to the S.E. so end this day with all sail out Lat by 42.40 South Long by 42.40 East

Sunday July 11th

Commenced with Pleasant weather with all sail out At middle and latter part much the same at 7 A.M. tack ship to the S. so end this day Lat by 43.29 South Long by 43.13 East

Monday July 12th

Commenced with light breezes and Pleasant weather with all sail out At middle and latter part much the same saw several Finbacks so end this day with all sail out heading S.W. Lat by 45.53 South Long by 44 East

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Tuesday July 13th

Commenced with Squally weather prepared the gld. jib At 9 P.M. saw a sail 4 Points of the See both At middle and latter part much same At 9 A.M. tack ship to the S.E. saw a sail of the beam so end this day with all sail out heading to the Minward Lat by 46.30 South Long by 44.01 East

Wednesday July 14th

Commenced with Pleasant weather At 1 P.M. tack ship to the S.W. At middle part the same latter part light breezes from S.E. At 10 A.M. saw School of sperm whales heard all 3 boats for them going quick to the S.W. and not get fast so end this day no observation

Thursday July 15th

Commenced with fine weather all hands in sloped being at catch a whales At middle and latter part much the same At 1 A.M. tack ship to the East At 3 P.M. tack ship to the S. so end this day Cruising Lat by 46.33 South Long by 43.53 East

Friday July 16th

Commenced with fine weather At middle part much the same At 6 A.M. saw the Island of Ramakar having West 7 miles of tack ship to the S. At 11 A.M. spoke the Barque Woodford Capt Green with 3 sperm oil so end this day no observation

Saturday July 17th

Commenced with Squally weather in company with the midship At middle part strong breezes from S.E. heading S.E. Latter part the same and double reef the topsails the barque in sight so end this day Lat by 47.36 South Long by 44 East

Sunday July 18th

Commenced with strong breezes from S. S.W. heading S.E. At middle part much the same latter part more transient with reef out the topsails saw ship so end this day Lat by 48.53 South Long by 42.16 East