

Remarks on Board Barque Sappho

Tuesday June 6-1854

This 24 hours strong gales heading to the Westward saw Fini Rocks and Black fish

Lat by Obs 00-27.5 Long by Chr 85-54 W

Wednesday June 7-1854

First part strong gales from S heading W by S let 4 Ce were ship to S E by E saw Black fish

Middle part light gales heading S E by E latter part light gales from S heading E & a sail in sight

Lat by Obs 00-24.5 Long by Chr 84-50 W

Thursday June 8-1854

First part light gales from S S W heading S E. Saw a Turtle

At 4 Ce spoke Barque

Mary Frances who done

Nothing since we saw her

Last Middle part heading E, S E

Latter part hoop of S W

Saw Black fish



Lat by Obs 00-24.5 Long by Chr 84-57 W

Friday June 9-1854

First part light gales from S E steering S W saw Black fish & porpoises on a Turtle & 2 sails in sight Middle part heading W latter part saw the Mary Frances boats down after a while gain quick to windward lanced 2 boats and gave chase without success came on board working the ship to windward

Lat by Obs 00-17.5 Long by Chr 84-45 W

Cruising for Sp. Whales

Saturday June 10-1854

First part light gales from S heading E, S E. Bent the main top gallant staysail & Mizzen staysail

Saw Black fish Middle part heading E, S E till 12 Ce and were ship to S W by W latter part steering S W

Lat by Obs 00-06.5 Long by Chr 85-02 W

Sunday June 11-1854

First part light gales from S, S E steering S Middle part by the wind heading W, S W equally latter part fine weather fresh gales

from S steering E saw porpoises

Lat by Obs 00-15.5 Long by Chr 84-43 W

Monday June 12-1854

First part light gales from S

steering E At sun down hauled

by the wind Middle part Under

easy sail heading S E by E latter

part at day light made sail

At 8 Ce tack ship to W, S W

Caught a Dolphin



Lat by Obs 00-04 S Long by Chr 83-52 W

Tuesday June 13-1854

First part light gales from S heading W, S W At 2 Ce hoop of S E

Middle part At 10 Ce hauled by

the wind to W, S W latter part

heading W, S W a sail in sight

Saw a dead Black fish

Lat by Obs 00-05.5 Long by Chr 84-45 W