

Off the Galapagos Islands 1840

Tuesday November the 14

This 24 hours comes in with light breezes and calm at night saw the Three Brothers middle part light breeze Rodondo back bearing S 80 distant 20 miles latter part employed in Ship duty so ends Sat 28 miles Monday 20

Wednesday November the 15

This 24 hours comes in with light breeze from N standing in for the Rock at 4 PM spoke the Three Brothers at night back bearing S 80 distant 20 miles middle lay in S 80 latter part saw the Three Brothers in chase of Whale one kept off for her but she saw the Whale so we stood in shore so ends 1 man sick

Thursday November the 16

This 24 hours comes in with light breezes and pleasant standing in shore employed in ship duty at night sent a boat in to the Rock and caught some fish at night the Rock bearing West 4 miles dis North head bearing S 80 distant 20 miles middle part calm latter part light breeze saw the Young Boats N Bedford 500 & Mary & Nathaniel all in chase of Whale so ends between the Boat and Dwarmond 1 man sick

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Friday November the 20

This 24 hours comes in with light breeze from South in chase of Whale at 2 PM the bow boat struck me and at 4 PM brought the Whale along side and commenced cutting at night got the side of more Ship S 80 back bearing N 80 distant 4 miles middle part lay by the Whale latter part at daylight the Rock bearing N 80 commenced cutting again at noon got the body and put in use ends saw three Ships all of them with Whales 2 men sick



Saturday November the 21 1840

This 24 hours comes in with light breeze and pleasant finished bailing the case made sail at night spoke the Henry and George after middle part bailing latter part the same North head bearing E 80 distant 20 miles so ends 2 men sick

Sunday November the 22

This 24 hours comes in with fine breeze and pleasant employed in bailing at 5 PM spoke the Three Brothers with 2000 of oil middle part lay by N latter part middle of North head bearing S 80 distant 10 miles so ends 1 man sick