

Off the Galapagos Islands in 1840

Wednesday December the 1
 This 24 hours comes in with light breezes from S.W. and S.E. employed in ship's duty at night. At daybreak bearing S.W. distant 15 miles middle part light breezes at 8 A.M. set 2 boats on shore at Abingtons Island for tarpon one ship in sight & ends one man sick

Thursday December the 2
 This 24 hours comes in with light breezes laying and on at Abingtons Island at 4 P.M. the Parker of New Bedford 15 months and 1000 lb found for tombs middle part calm latter part made all sail sail with light breezes from S.E. standing in for the island at 8 A.M. the third boat went in and caught some fish and brought of and tarpon and went ashore for more & ends one man sick

Friday December the 3
 This 24 hours comes in with light breezes laying and on at Abingtons Island three boats on shore for tarpon at 4 P.M. one boat came with 23 tarpon at night the island bearing N.E. distant 2 miles middle part laying off on latter part the same
 second
 one man sick

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Saturday December the 4
 This 24 hours comes in with strong breezes from S.E. at one P.M. the boats came of bearing S.W. distant 15 miles middle part light breezes at 8 A.M. took up our boats and tacked the bay S.W. at night Abingtons Island bearing N.W. distant 15 miles middle part bay S.W. latter part the same 10 ends one man sick Latitude 48 miles N Longitude 83.40

Sunday December the 5
 This 24 hours comes in with strong breezes from S.E. at night took in the top gallant middle part bay S.W. latter part the same 2 men sick & ends Lat 30 miles N Longitude 84.15

Monday December the 6
 This 24 hours comes in with strong breezes bay East middle part the same latter part strong breezes bay East 10 ends 2 men sick Latitude 35 miles N Long 86.05

Tuesday December the 7
 This 24 hours comes in with strong breezes from S.E. bay S.W. middle part the same latter part bay S.W. South 10 ends one man sick Latitude 40 miles N Longitude 84.10

Wednesday December the 8
 This 24 hours comes in with strong breezes from South bay S.E. employed in ship's duty middle part thick weather latter part the same & ends Latitude 40 miles South Longitude 82.40