

Friday June 11th 1824

These 24 hours commenced with fine weather saw several schools of porpoises at 2 P.M. saw a patch of timber at 3 P.M. in fore to sail single reef chain to sail. At 4 P.M. plain sail, steering to the N. at 6 P.M. made all sail and commenced making 20 miles these 24 hours

Saturday 12th

These 24 hours commenced boiling at 2 P.M. cooled down turned up 2 P.M. 50, saw a school of grampuses at night took in sail as usual all hands employed in ships duty at 6 P.M. made all sail steering to by N. 30 miles these 24 hours

Sunday 13th

All these 24 hours light winds from the off steering to by N. nothing in sight of any sea serpents so ended these 24 hours

Monday 14th

Thick light breeze and a light shower of rain saw several flying fish the water quiet thick middle and last part raining so ended these 24 hours

Tuesday 15th

These 24 hours light winds apt rain at 2 P.M. picked up a small log of wood and caught several dolphins at 7 P.M. saw a large breach but it being so dark that we could not tell what they were supposed they were whales at 10 P.M. saw black fish hoars and got 2 so ended these 24 hours

Wednesday 16th

First part in bit wind, fine weather then a fish in sight hoars, the boats put without success striped the blubber off the fish we took her down before, and injured it, one sail in sight nothing more in sight for these 24 hours

Thursday June 13th 1824

This day begins with a fine breeze from the off steering by the wind at 1 P.M. saw humpbacks and saw a school of porpoises one sail in sight, the water quiet thick with a plenty of flying squid, last part squally with rain so ended these 24 hours

Friday 14th

First part squally with rain middle part fine weather made sail and stood to the off with the wind to the westward last when five weeks to dig since we got sail and we have caught one small whale so ended these 24 hours

Saturday 15th

These 24 hours commenced with winds at 1/2 P.M. came in contact with a right mast took it in on deck the greatest part of it got about 20 lbs of iron and caught 3 dolphins at night took in sail as usual middle and last part strong breeze from the off steering at 10 miles these 24 hours

Sunday 16th

This day begins with a strong wind from the off first part steering at 10 P.M. saw two water closets, quiet off sail, Gaspencer P.M. mast staysail foreboard took on board head and to the off at 8 P.M. sent down the G.P. G.P. mast staysail twisted up the boats on the upper end took in G.P. mast staysail barrel course saw the hatches prepared for a gale at 9 P.M. sent down the G.P. G.P. yard, last part wind abated so ended these 24 hours