

Wednesday June 18 1836

This day commences with a fine breeze from the N. steering S. & E. with all sail out that would serve, saw one fair heading to the N. & E. & on board.

Thursday 18

Wind N. steering S. & E. saw drift stuff & some dead fish saw some fish and several all signs of whales, all hands employed in ship duty.

Friday 19

Left wind from the N. steering S. & E. all sail out that would serve at 2 P.M. saw a boat on the water but did not hear for it, saw some sail to the Eastward running off to right a spirit sail.

Saturday 20

Fine weather light winds from the N. steering S. & E. & rigged & sailed. Hauled on the main. Latter part wind hauled to the N. & E. & on board.

steering by the wind at 6 A.M. saw

two boats but got none.

Sunday 21

Wind and weather as usual at 1 saw black fish but did not hear they went down and we saw nothing more of the fish at night as usual.

Monday 22

This day a fine bold sail breeze and a clear sky, saw some whales

from the N. & E. & on board. Latter part of the day breeze from the N. steering S. & E. the wind started to the N. & E. and fore &c.

Tuesday June 19 1836

This day commences with fine weather wind N. steering by the wind still took on board, at 2 P.M. took ship to the N. and W. saw finbacks & porpoises and one sail.

Wednesday 20

Commences with a strong breeze from the N. & E. steering on the wind started took on board, saw finbacks & porpoises and one sail heading to the N. on the wind at night to the N. & E. as usual.

at 3 P.M. saw 5 or 6

Thursday 21

These 24 hours commences with a strong breeze from the N. & E. steering on the wind. saw nothing in sight until night then saw the hull of a vessel lying on her beam ends did not hear her she looked as if she had been wrecked some time.

Friday 22

Strong breeze from the N. & E. steering to the N. & W. on the wind. I got up the rigging my son & I got up our the studding to the N. & E. saw some porpoises and some other kind of fish at 9 A.M. saw a ship off our the steering N. & E.

Saturday 23

First part strong breeze from the N. & E. steering on the wind started took on board at 6 P.M. took to the Eastward saw one sail steering nothing more of day commences for the times.