

On the Coast of Peru

Tuesday June 2nd 1840

First part fine tracks course to sea Timber trees both dead or alive Middle part fine here Latter part stiff tracks saw Blackfish & Porpoises &c Employed in mending sails
Latitude of Ch 4.36 Long of Ch 88.28

Wednesday June 3rd

First part tracks stiff course to Middle part the same Latter part hauled up & saw Blackfish & Porpoises
Latitude of Ch 2.45 Long of Ch 87.0

Thursday June 4th

First part fine tracks course to Employed in mending sails Middle part much the same Latter part fine here
Latitude of Ch 2.28 Long of Ch 88.27

Friday June 5th

First part fine tracks course to hauled up for Blackfish but got nothing. &c Long of Ch 47.4 & 87.29 Middle part much the same at 4 PM here too Latter part saw Chatham & Hood Islands at 11 AM saw a ship take a whale &c
Latitude of Ch 1.40 Long of Ch

Saturday June 6th

First part strong tracks towards Islands bearing N 44 W distant 20 miles spoke the ship Lady Amherst of London &c with the 800th Middle part strong to 4 PM Latter part saw Charles Islands bearing N 44 W left off N 44 W &c
Latitude of Ch 1.42 Long of Ch

Sunday June 7th

First part stiff tracks at 3 PM saw South Head of Alhambra bearing N 44 W at night here too saw a ship to the 38th of South Head distant 20 miles Middle part much the same Latter part mending down along shore saw a sail
Latitude of Ch South Head bearing S 10 miles

Monday June 8th

First part went in to get Terrapin at night came off with 8 Middle part lay off and on South Head with a fine here Latter part went in with 4 boats to get Porpoise
Latitude Long 10 miles from South Head

Board Ship Station of Nantucket

Sunday June 9th 1840

First part fine here at night the boats came off with 14 Terrapins Middle part lay too Latter part run off to the 14 saw a schooner &c L. Endeavour. Harbourside N 44 25 to 30 miles
Latitude of Ch 0.38 South Long of Ch 91.32

Wednesday June 10th

First part fine here steering to the S W Middle part fine tracks Latter part much the same Employed in picking rain
Latitude of Ch 1.40 Long of Ch 92.20

Thursday June 11th

First part moderate tracks course S W saw Porpoises &c Middle part much the same Latter part saw Timber trees & stiff tracks
Latitude of Ch 3.11 Long of Ch 94.30

Friday June 12th

First part stiff tracks course S W Employed in mending sails Middle part much the same Latter part saw a number of Timber trees & Porpoises L. Endeavour Employed in mending sails
Latitude of Ch 4.33 Long of Ch 95.31

Saturday June 13th

First part moderate tracks with a long pull Middle part course N 44 W Middle part much the same Latter part equally took in the top & sails with strong tracks &c saw Timber trees
Latitude of Ch 5.41 Long of Ch 98.30

Sunday June 14th

First part strong tracks weather equally better at night dark upon the topsails Middle part much the same Latter part strong winds L. Endeavour Employed in mending sails
Latitude of Ch 5.45 Long of Ch 101.30

Monday June 15th

First part blowing strong spoke the jaws of St Johns N 44 left Port 100th and the Sapphire of Salem left Cartwright 100th with 100th Middle part shortened sail Latter part blowing strong took with us in hope to see whale soon
Latitude of Ch 5.27 Long 103.

Tuesday June 16th

First part strong winds 2 ships in sight Middle & Latter the same
Latitude of Ch 5.21 Long of Ch 103.7