

February -
Monday 2. 18. day I dreamed of Ever... and she looked
very pale but very pleasant she would not
come to me but I went to her.
Begins with a gale lying to cutting at.
3 p.m. saw man-of-war, lowered and
got 2 on to L. B. the other to W. B.
at sun set got them along side and laid
by them all night. made rather rugged
impulsed rigging Boats, too rugged to cut

Lat. 34° 25' Long = 83° 54'

February 18th. Fine & moderate some sperm whales
lowered and struck a large whale
to W. Boat at 5 p.m. got him along
side W.

Lat. 34° 40' Long = 84° 02'

February 18. Fine & moderate stowing down W.

Lat 34° 34' Long =

Feb 27. Off and on of the Island of Juan Fernandez
2 boats off fishing, one landed and got
few peaches but not ripe, would be ripe
in about 15 days. at night steered in for
Talcuano. I don't expect to get letters
but dream and think of my near & dear
friends. Ever... how you do. I wish I
was near you, and our little one.

March 1. Fine W. wind from S.W. heading S.E.
sighted the land, and several sails W.

Lat. 35° 45' Long = 73° 35'

March 5. Talcuano.

Wind from S.W. heading up to Cap. Wien
at 12 p.m. low S.E. 29 miles off at

Friday 6. At 1 p.m. dropped anchor in Talcuano
harbor in 6 f. water, and there I hear
of having letters in shore and felt so
want to peruse them and hear from
my dear little family.

Saturday 7. Today I received a letter from Mr. Sam
which pleased me very much W.

Letters from Home

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I received a letter from Mr. Sam
which pleased me very much W.
I hope it will tell for
good news
and am
home in
good and de-
votion.

Thursday 12th. I received letters from home and went over
for me to hear from my near & dear friends.
I perused the letter from Co. 3 times in night
and so ended expecting now. I made up
my mind to write any more before I received
a letter, but now I will write write every
opportunity Mrs. Haskaway brought them to
me. she was very kind. many thanks to her.

Saturday 21. Today I receive a letter by the morning
light. No not old but was perused with great
pleasure for the good particulars of my little fa-
mily W.

Thursday 26. We left Talcuano for to cruise
ath well, and in good spirits. W.
the Lord give us a share of oil, and
spare us that we all may get home
to our dear friends.