

Journal On Board of the ^{Wm} West Cruising

608 Remarks On Board Tuesday June 15th 1852

This day comes in with a light breeze from the West all hands employed in clearing a way the head and getting ready for byling at 7 P.M. started the work loved and chased in the mean time but got nothing middle part lying of and on the land with is called Cape Thadus latter part the Saine saw a number of bolheads loved and chased but got nothing saw a number ships & byling so ends this day

Lat none this day
Long the same

609 Remarks On Board Wednesday June 16th 1852

This day comes in with light wind from the S.W. lying of and on searching for whales at 2 P.M. saw 2 bolheads going fast to the East middle part strong breeze took in the fore and main top sail like wise the sail latter part more moderate got them a gain thick fog and rain saw the ice here ships heading S.W. employed in byling so ends this day

Lat none
Long the same

610 Remarks On Board Thursday June 17th 1852

This day comes in with a moderate breeze with thick fog with rain from the South middle part cleared up saw plenty of bolhead loved and chased them got fast and drew from him and grinded a mother saw thousands of whales but very wild got through byling cleaned up deck so ends this day with hard luck

Lat none
Long the same

Off Cape Thadus Captain Owen Fisher Master

611 Remarks On Board Friday June 18th 1852

This day comes in with calm saw a plenty of bolheads loved and struck one last the Saine it got in thick fog halled the main yard to back got the watch middle part the Saine at 8 A.M. commenced stowing down fog cleared up saw a ship running down to us spoke here it was the Venus of New Bedford soon after this saw some whails loved and chased but got nothing so ends this

Lat none this day
Long the same

612 Remarks On Board Saturday June 19th

This day comes in with thick weather fog yet employed in stowing down at 6 P.M. got through toiled down the sail and main yard to back middle part cleared up brist forward stowing of and on Cape Thadus saw one whail going fast latter part employed in cleaning bone saw a number of ships some a byling and some not so ends this day

613 Remarks On Board Sunday June 20th 1852

This day comes in with a fine breeze from the North went in shore under Cape Thadus with the boat saw nothing but a plenty of ships middle part run of to the S.E. spoke the Cherokee bark Smith with a whail likewise the Margestic yawsevil of New Bedford latter part some fog saw some finbacks and caribous some humpys back so ends this day

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Long none this day