

VOYAGE  
TO THE  
NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN,

AND  
ROUND THE WORLD.

BOOK THE FIFTH,

THIRD VISIT TO THE SANDWICH ISLANDS—CONCLUSION OF THE SURVEY, OF THE COAST OF NORTH-WEST AMERICA.

CHAPTER I.

*Leave the Coast of New Albion—Arrive off the East Point of Owhyhee—Examine Whyeatea Bay—Visited by Tamaahmaah—Proceed to Karakakooa Bay—Transactions there—Departure of the Dædalus for New South Wales.*

OUR progress from the coast of New Albion, still attended with light variable winds, was so slow, that at noon of Sunday the 15th of December, the shores were yet in sight, bearing from N. 17 E. to S. 69 E.; the former, being the nearest, was distant seven leagues; the observed latitude was  $30^{\circ} 14'$ , longitude  $243^{\circ} 57\frac{1}{2}'$ .

In the afternoon, the wind blew a moderate