

## Barge Cape Horn Pigeon from

Tuesday October 3<sup>d</sup> 1854.

Strong winds from the S.E. steering to the S.W. saw porpoises, and one sail in sight. crossed the line to day, old Neptune was not invited to come on board, did not wish for his company. roast turkey to day.

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup>

Strong winds from the S.E. steering S.W. one sail in sight. lost the last of the young rabbits.

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>

Trade winds from the S.E. and clear weather steering S.W.

Friday 6<sup>th</sup>

Strong trades, and clear weather, saw finbacks.

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup>

Strong trades from the S.E. steering S.W. fine weather.

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup>

Strong trades from the S.E. and squally. saw a very large shoal of porpoises. caught one.

Monday 9<sup>th</sup>

Strong trades from the E. & S.E. and cloudy, steering S.W. by W. the officers employed in making over the speaker, Jaceo wanted to help her, so he threw her into overboard.

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>

Strong winds and cloudy. saw porpoises and one sail.

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>

Light winds from the N. and E. beautiful weather, wash day. William helped wash, two sails in sight.

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup>

Light winds from the E. and cloudy, saw finbacks. William missed his ring, supposed he lost it washing yesterday. two sails in sight.

Friday 13<sup>th</sup>

Light winds from the E. and clear weather, off Abrolhos Banks. saw finbacks, roast turkey for dinner, the last we shall have this season.

## the Line towards Cape Horn.

Saturday October 14<sup>th</sup> 1854.

Strong breezes from the E. saw finbacks, and one sail. at 8 AM opened the stores, and selected clothing for Cape Horn. Jacy was as pleased as if she had been to at Bedford and purchased some things.

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup>

Strong winds and cloudy. saw Grampuses and two sails. I & the while William & myself were below, poor Jaceo, jumped from the house on to the rail, fell overboard, and was drowned.

Monday 16<sup>th</sup>

Strong winds and cloudy weather, saw nothing.

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>

Buffling winds, thick and rainy weather growing cool.

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>

Light breezes from the S.E. and cloudy. opened the ships stores, and furnished the men with clothing for C.H.

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>

Light winds, and cloudy weather two birds in sight.

Friday 20<sup>th</sup>

Moderate breezes and pleasant weather, saw finbacks, Mother Carey's Chickens, and speckled Hagslets.

Saturday 21<sup>th</sup>

Light winds from the S.W. and pleasant weather. caught a turtle. one sail in sight. saw finbacks & Killars.

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup>

Strong winds from the E. rugged weather. at 2 P.M. I Smith at the mast-head, raised sperm whales, the first time on the voyage; they lowered all three boats and chased them untill dark, came back rather disappointed, the whales were going quick, could not overtake them, 4 sails standing to the north. Lat 33. 21. S. Long 50. —

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup>

Light winds from the S.W. and clear, steering by the wind to the W. 3 sails standing to the north in sight saw finbacks. at night shortened sail.