

1881

Remarks on board Cape Horn Pigeon

Monday Feb 28th

First part commences with fresh breeze and clear weather from SW at sundown wore ship and took in sail. Middle part fresh breeze latter part fresh breeze and cloudy

Tuesday Mar 1st

First part commences with fresh breeze and cloudy weather from NE heading N at sundown took in sail. Middle part fresh breeze. Latter part fresh breeze and clear from E at 6 A.M. raised sperm Whales, lowered all the boats and the Waist Boat struck one and got rolled over, we killed the Whale and went on chasing again, after awhile the Bow Boat struck one and got rolled over, the Starboard Boat went up to strike and got stove. Killed the Whale and took them alongside

Wednesday Mar 2nd

First part commences with moderate breeze and clear weather from E. took the Whales alongside and got ready for cutting, cut in one Whale and took in sail. Middle part light breeze, Latter part light breeze and cloudy, cut in the other Whale and started the works.

Thursday Mar 3rd

First part commences with fresh breeze and cloudy weather from E. boiling. Middle part fresh breeze Latter part fresh breeze and squally

Cruising off Massafuera

Friday Mar 5th

First part commences with fresh breeze and clear weather from SSE. Boiling Middle part fresh breeze. Latter part strong breeze and cloudy.

Saturday Mar 5th

First part commences with strong breeze and squally weather from SSE. Boiling Middle part fresh breeze finished boiling. Latter part fresh breeze made sail, land in sight

Sunday Mar 6th

First part commences with fresh breeze from SSE at sundown took in sail. Middle part blowing strong Latter part strong breeze from SSE.

Monday Mar 7th

First part commences with strong breeze and clear weather from SSE. Middle part strong breeze. Latter part the same employed in stowing down oil.

Tuesday Mar 8th

First part commences with strong breeze and squally weather from SSE employed in stowing down oil. Middle part strong breeze Latter part strong breeze and clear. stowing down oil

Wednesday Mar 9th

First part commences with fresh breeze and clear weather from SSE. finished stowing down oil and coopered some provisions. Middle part strong breeze Latter part fresh breeze employed in washing ship inside

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