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Saturday Nov 29th All this day fresh breezes from the Eastward at 3 P.M. saw 8 whales killed up for them at 6 saw them again did not make out what they were looked like while saw 2 sails nothing more worthy of note but in sail

Lat 17.54° Long 33.54°

Sunday Nov 30th All this day gentle breezes from the N.E. with fine weather nothing in sight

Lat 17.36° Long 34.53°

December

Monday Dec 1st All this day gentle breezes from the N.E. fine weather saw finbacks one sail nothing more worthy of note so ends this day

Lat 17.33° Long 35.10°

Tuesday Dec 2nd All this day light breezes from the N.E. got Potatoes on deck picked them over they were keeping nicely nothing in sight worthy of note at sunset took in mainsail & flying jib

Lat 17.04° Long 35.55°

Wednesday Dec 3rd All this day fresh breezes from the N.E. saw 2 whales saw a Str. breasted W. nothing more worthy of note running to the Westward all day

Lat 17.46° Long 35.50°

Thursday Dec 4th All this day light breezes from the N.E. raining all day saw one sail nothing more worthy of note

No Obs

Friday Dec 5th All this day light air from all points raining all day nothing in sight heavy swell

No Obs

Saturday Dec 6th First part of this day light breezes from E.N.E. saw 8 sails nothing more worthy of note middle & latter part wind from N.N.E. steering E.S.E. with all sail set

Lat 18.53° Long 35.30°

Sunday Dec 7th All this day gentle breezes from the N.E. (bes out weather 8 sails in sight) nothing more worthy of note at night 6 Str. all sail set

Lat 19.23° Long 33.11°

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Monday Dec 8th All this day gentle breezes from the N.E. saw 2 sails nothing in sight saw 1 whale at 8 P.M. took in mainsail & flying jib

Lat 22.20° Long 31.06°

Tuesday Dec 9th All this day gentle breezes from the N.E. at 9 P.M. made the Isle of Grenadail being by Genoa light dist. 25 miles saw 2 sails broad South nothing more worthy of note Lat by obs 20.31° Long 31.47°

Wednesday Dec 10th All this day gentle breezes from the N.E. cruising off 1/2 off Trinidad nothing in sight worthy of note 6 saw 20 miles to westward

Thursday 11th First part of this day gentle breezes from the Westward saw 2 sails middle & latter part fresh breezes from N.E. nothing in sight fresh sails took on deck list off duty at 6 P.M. took in mainsail steering N by W 1/2 N. so ends this day

Lat 19.38° Long 31.48°

Friday Dec 12th All this day fresh breezes from the N.N.E. cloudy saw one sail nothing more worthy of note steering by the wind heading N.W. so ends this day

Lat 18.23° Long 33.00°

Saturday Dec 13th All this day light air from N.E. in the A.M. boarded the German brig "Brooklyn" 49 days from Liverpool for J.F. Gathens in the P.M. boarded the American ship Centennial of Boston 36 days from N York for Yokohama all got letters papers repaired the foresail one other sail

Lat 17.57° Long 33.43°

Sunday Dec 14th First part of the day light air from N.E. middle part calm boarded the bark Gray Eagle Leucas 39 days from Baltimore for Rio de Janeiro got papers and other sail in light latter part squally nothing more worthy of note

Lat 17.57° Long 34.00°

Monday Dec 15th All this day gentle breezes from the Eastward saw 6 sails saw leucfish nothing more worthy of note took in foresail

Lat 17.11° Long 34.67°