

Tuesday Dec 5th Begins with squally weather employed variously fitted wheel house scuttle and the light boards middle and latter part fine weather saw 4 ships

Lat 2.10 N Long 17.30 W

Wednesday Dec 6th Begins with fine weather wind S E ship on the port tack heading S W all sail set employed variously middle and latter part fine weather employed fitting a Jacob's ladder for main top gallant mast

Lat 16 miles N Long 18.30

Thursday Dec 7th Begins with fine weather wind S E ship on the port tack all sail set middle and latter part fine weather ship heading S W by S 1/2 S broke out all of beef

Lat 1.10 S Long 30.00 W

Friday Dec 8th Begins with light breezes from S E & S ship heading S W by S 1/2 S employed on the rigging middle part fine weather heading S S W at 9 A M saw a school of sperm whales got a foul of them with the ship moved without success whales going to windward at noon took up the boats

Lat 2.22 S Long 30.40 W

Sat Dec 9th at noon was on starboard tack took up boats and tacked to the Southward employed setting up mizzen head stays middle and latter part fine weather light trades ship heading S S W saw 12 ships

Lat 4.00 S Long 31.43 W

Sunday Dec 10th Begins with fine weather light trades ship heading S by N W employed variously repaired combings of after & main battens and shroul main mast and pumps middle and latter part fine weather saw several ships

Lat 5.45 S Long 31.51 W

Monday Dec 11th Begins with fine weather light trades ship heading South exchanged signals with a large ship steering N W middle and latter part fine weather painted the larboard boat saw a breach to windward

Lat 7.45 S Long 31.49 W

Tuesday Dec 12th Begins with fine weather at 12.30 tacked for the breach but did not see it again at 1.45 tacked to the southward heading South all sail set middle and latter part fine weather

Lat 9.55 S Long 31.43 W