

Bark Alfred Gibbs off Massafuera.

Remarks Friday Feb 3rd 1871

Begins with moderate breezes from the NW. The bark off and Massafuera, into boat in fishing. at 6 P.M. returned to the ship with a small mass of fish. Latter part strong winds from NW by W. heading by to the S to under double reef.

Lat 34-21

Remarks Saturday Feb 4th

Begins with strong winds from NW by W. heading by to the S to under double reef. Latter part strong winds. at 9 A.M. wind hauled to the S.E. Steered NW by W.

Lat 34-35 Long 82-07

Remarks Sunday Feb 5th

Begins with strong winds from S.E. and thick weather with a heavy swell. Latter part fresh breezes from Eastward, course W.

Lat 34-15 no obs.

Remarks Monday Feb 6th

Begins with strong winds from S.E. and thick weather. Course W. at 5 P.M. took in sail and huffed too under double reefed main top sail, head to the S.E. Latter part strong breezes from S.E. and rain.

no obs.

Remarks Tuesday Feb 7th

Begins with fresh breezes from S.E. and thick weather. Latter part fine, wind S.E. all sail set. Painted the W. Boat.

Lat 33-58 Long 83-13

Remarks Wednesday Feb 8th

Begins with pleasant breezes from S.E. and fine, all sail set. Latter part moderate from the S.W.

Lat 33-49 Long 82-18

Remarks Thursday Feb 9th

Begins with light breezes from NW and thick. at 8 P.M. wind hauled to the S and blew on a gale.

Lat 33-48 Long 82-1

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Remarks Friday Feb 10th 1871

Begins with a fresh gale from S.E. heading by to the S.W. under double reefed main top sail and fore sail. Make the bark Virginia Marks belonging to nowhere, Capt. No body. Latter part strong winds from the S.E. under double reef. Massafuera bearing S.E. Dist 15 miles.

Lat 33-46 Long 81-53

Remarks Saturday Feb 11th

Begins strong winds from S.E. heading to the S.W. under double reef. Latter part calm. two sails in sight.

Lat 34-01

Remarks Sunday Feb 12th

Begins with light air and calm. saw a hump back carcass. Make the bark Maggie Hill of Valparaiso. Death master. Latter part moderate breezes from NW. at 6 A.M. raised a large whale. at 7 A.M. hauled the boat. at 7 3/4 struck him to the L. Boat. at 9 1/2 took him along side. at 11 commenced cutting. two sails in sight. Massafuera bearing N.E. by N Dist 10 miles.

L.B.



Remarks Monday Feb 13th

Begins with moderate breezes from NW and fine weather. Employed cutting. at 7 1/2 P.M. finished. Latter part light breezes from S. at 8 A.M. commenced dailing. at noon Massafuera bearing N.N.E. Dist 50 miles.

Lat 34-29

Remarks Tuesday Feb 14th

Begins with light breezes from S.E. Employed dailing. Latter part moderate and fine. Employed dailing.

Lat 34-30 Long 82-01