

Brig Hopeton on Whaling Voyage in

Remarks on Board Thursday oct 14

this 24 hours fine pleasant weather with strong breeze from S.W. at 7 am anchored at Anna bon in 6 fathoms of water at 2 pm lowered three boats for humpbacks struck one at sunset took him along side

Friday oct 15

this day clear and pleasant with calm all hands employed in cutting in and getting ready for boiling

Saturday oct 16

this day clear and pleasant with light moderate weather boiling at 3 pm lowered two boats for whales

Sunday oct 17

this day fine pleasant weather with wind from S.S.W. at 3 pm lowered three boats for whales

Monday oct 18

this day fine pleasant weather with wind at S.S.W. at 7 am lowered three boats for whales struck one and drew in at 9 am came a board stowed down oil at 5 pm lowered for whales

Tuesday oct 19

all this day clear pleasant weather a light breeze from S.W. at 6 am lowered three boats to look for whales saw nothing at noon came on board

Wednesday oct 20

all this day fine pleasant weather with light breeze from S.W. at 6 am lowered three boats down for whales at 10 am struck at 4 pm got the whale to the brig

Thursday oct 21

this day clear and pleasant with strong breeze at S.W. all hands employed cutting in getting ready for boiling

Friday oct 22

all this day fine and pleasant with light moderate breezes from S.W. boiling saw nothing to day

Atlantic ocean aboard delano Com 1858

Saturday oct 23

all this 24 hours light moderate breezes from S.W. with pleasant weather at noon finished boiling at 4 pm took our anchor stood out to the S.E. on a wind with all sail set at 4 pm the island of Anna bon bore W.S.W. distant 12 miles at 7 pm Smith and the cook got to ~~the~~ and was parted

Remarks on Board Sunday oct 24

all this 24 hours light moderate breeze from S.W. with pleasant weather the brig on a wind with all sail set heading S.S.E. at noon lowered three boats for blackfish got one so ends this day

Remarks on Board Monday oct 25

this 24 hours fine pleasant weather with light breeze at W.S.W. the brig by the wind with all sail set heading S by E and S.S.E. employed in stowing down oil saw nothing this day Lat 2 = 12 south

Remarks on Board Tuesday oct 26

all this 24 hours fine pleasant weather with light breeze from W.S.W. the brig by the wind with all sail set steering S by E S.S.E. saw nothing to day Lat 3 = 3 south

Remarks on Board Wednesday oct 27

all this 24 hours light moderate breeze from S.W. to W.S.W. the brig by the wind heading S by E to S.S.E. with all sail set most heads mended saw nothing this day so ends this day Lat 3 = 5 4 south

Remarks on Board Thursday oct 28

first part of this 24 hours light breezes and calm with pleasant weather middle and latter parts moderate breeze W.S.W. the brig on a wind steering S by E to S.S.E. with all sail set saw nothing to day Lat 4 = 38 south