

Brig Hopeton on Whaling Voyage in Atlantic

Remarks on Board Thursday Dec 2nd
this 24 hours strong SE trades blowing with clear pleasant weather the brig running free with all sail set course N by E mastheads man saw nothing to day
Lat 6 = 51 south

Remarks on Board Friday Dec 3rd
this 24 hours strong SE trades blowing with smooth sea clear and pleasant the brig running free with all sail set course N by E saw nothing to day so ends the day

Remarks on Board Saturday Dec 4th
this 24 hours strong SE trades blowing with rough sea the brig going free with all sail set course N by E at 4 pm saw a shoal of blackfish toward two boats so ends this day
Lat 2 = 40 south
Long 10 = 30 West

Remarks on Board Sunday Dec 5th
all this 24 hours light SE trades with fine pleasant weather the brig going free with all sail set course N by E mastheads man saw nothing to day
so ends this day
Lat 3 = miles south

Remarks on Board Monday Dec 6

all this 24 hours light SE trades with fine pleasant weather the brig steering N by E with all sail set saw nothing from mastheads to day
Lat 1 = 32 North
Long 11 = 45 West

Remarks on Board Tuesday Dec 7th
this 24 hours comes in with light SE trades and pleasant middle the same ends with baffling winds and calms the brig with all sail set steering N by E one man sick of duty saw nothing from mastheads to day
so ends this day
Lat 3 North

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Remarks on Board Wednesday Dec 8
all this 24 hours light baffling winds with heavy rains thunder and lightning course N by W with cross heavy sea saw nothing to day
No observations

Remarks on Board Thursday Dec 9
first part of this 24 hours light breeze from SSW and pleasant weather middle strong breeze and rainy latter part calm and clear course N by W saw nothing from mastheads to day so ends this day
No observations

Remarks on Board Friday Dec 10
this 24 hours light breezes from SW to WSW clear pleasant the brig with all sail set steering N by W saw three sails steering to N by E
Lat 5 North Long 12 = 30 West

Remarks on Board Saturday Dec 11

comes in with light Westerly winds and pleasant weather middle and latter part the same the brig by the wind steering N by W with all sail set at 4 am spoke german steamer none man sick of duty
No observations

Remarks on Board Sunday Dec 12th
all this 24 hours light baffling winds and calms with pleasant weather saw a brig steering to SE so ends this day
Lat 6 = 6 North Long 12 = 52 West

Remarks on Board Monday Dec 13
this 24 hours comes in with light baffling winds and calms clear and pleasant ends with rain squalls and thunder lightning course N by W

No observations
Remarks on Board Tuesday Dec 14

first part of this 24 hours thick rainy weather with light wind from SSW middle light baffling and pleasant latter part strong from SSE course N by W the brig with all sail set saw nothing this day so ends this day
Lat 6 = 30 North Long 14 = 15 West

Remarks on Board Wednesday Dec 15
this 24 comes in with light southerly winds and pleasant weather middle the same ends with thick rainy weather brig with all sail set course N by W saw nothing to day
Lat 7 = 25 North

Remarks on Board Thursday Dec 16
first part of this 24 hours light southerly winds and pleasant middle same ends with rain course W by N
Lat 7 = 33 North
Long 15 = 38 West