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Bark James Mearns Log Book
 Weds Oct 21st

Begins with light Airs
 from the Southward and pleasant
 Ship working to Windward under all Sail
 Middle part the same Watch employed
 in Ships Duties Latter part the same

Thurs Oct 22nd

Begins the same ship
 working the same Middle part baffling
 Winds Latter part the same

Fry Oct 23rd

Begins the same ship
 steering By the wind to the Eastward
 Latter part the same

Sat Oct 24th

Begins with light Winds
 from the Southward and pleasant
 Ship steering By the Wind to Eastward
 under all Sail Watch employed in
 Ships Duties Middle & Latter parts
 the same

Sund Oct 25th

Begins the same ship steering
 the same Middle part fresh Winds
 Latter part the same

Lat 1. 14 N

Long 12. 00 W

Mon Oct 26th

Begins with the same
 Winds and weather saw nothing Ship
 working to Southward as fast as
 possible

Lat 00. 30 N

Long 10. 28 W

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John A Smith Master

Tues Oct 27th

Begins with fresh Winds from
 the Southward and pleasant Ship still by
 the Wind to the Eastward under all Sail
 Middle part the same Latter part tackes
 ship and steers to the N E W

Wed Oct 28th

Begins the same ship steering
 the same Middle part fresh Winds
 Ship steering the same Latter part the
 same Watch employed in Ships Duties &c
 Drove out 487 Hds of Water

Thurs Oct 29th

Begins with light Winds
 from S and pleasant Ship steering By the
 Wind to the Westward Middle part the same
 Latter part the same Watch employed in
 Taring down the rigging

Lat 2. 07 S

Long 12. 14 W

Fry Oct 30th

Begins with fresh Winds from
 S and pleasant Ship steering By the wind
 to the S W under all Sail Middle and
 Latter parts the same

Lat 3. 35 S

Long 14. 46 W

Sat Oct 31st

Begins with fresh Winds from
 S and pleasant Ship steering the same
 Middle part light Winds Latter part the
 same Watch employed in Taring down Rigging

Lat 4. 12 S

Long 15. 31 W