

1868

Bark James Maury's Log Book
Dec 25th

Begins with strong winds from N.E. and day with Robin Ship laying two Middle part pleasant weather part the same Ship cruising off shore from the Island

Wednes Dec 30th

Begins the same Ship working to Westward on opposite sides Middle part the same Latter part the same

Thurs Dec 31st

Begins with fresh winds from N.W. and pleasant Ship under all present sail cruising at 4 P.M. took in sail Middle part the same at day light kept off S.E. and made sail Latter part the same Brooke cut 500 Bals of Water

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Fry Jan 1st

Begins the same Ship steering the same at 4 P.M. spoke Ship being Phoenix and saw group at sun set took in sail Middle part the same Latter part made all sail and cruised off to the Westward of the Island

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John C Smith Master
Sat Jan 2nd

Begins with fresh winds from N and cloudy Ship cruising about 10 miles off shore at sun set took in sail Middle part the same Latter part Ship cruising under all sail

Sund Jan 3rd

Begins with fresh winds from N and cloudy at 6 P.M. saw Island Bore & by compass Dist 10 miles Middle part Wind freshened Ship laying two under Close Reef Main Top Sail at 12 P.M. Blowed heavy from N.W. Latter part the same Wind hauling to Westward

Mon Jan 4th

Begins the same Ship laying the same Middle part more moderate at day light strong winds from N.W. were Ship and stood to N.W. under Double Reef Top Sails Latter part the same

Lat 16.30 S

Long 50.00 W

Tues Jan 5th

Begins the same Ship working to Windward under Double Reef Top Sails Middle and Latter parts the same Ship cruising to Northward of the Island

Wed Jan 6th

Begins the same Ship cruising the same Middle part strong winds from the Northward Ship working towards the Island saw nothing