

Remarks on board Ship John from the Western Islands

Remarks on board Tuesday August 30

All these 24 hours light winds from East and clear weather steering South by Compass for the Isle of Trinidad. Employed in beaching out between Decks and stowing off again the Cow Rags in light astern.

Latitude by Obs $19^{\circ} 20'$

Longitude by Chron. $29^{\circ} 13'$

Remarks on board Wednesday August 31

These 24 hours light winds from East and clear pleasant weather steering S by W for Trinidad. At 7 P.M. spoke the Cow Rodgers took in topgallant sails at 12 P.M. by the main topsail to the mast at 4 leaves forward at 6 saw the Island of Trinidad being S.W. distant 16 miles. Saw an Chimamute to be correct &c.

Latitude by Obs $20^{\circ} 55'$

Longitude by Chron. $29^{\circ} 00'$

Remarks on board Thursday September 1

These 24 hours strong winds from East and squally steering by the wind to the South. Saw a Barque ship standing to the South employed in getting up cutting away beaching down sails &c.

Latitude by Obs $23^{\circ} 15'$

Longitude by Chron. $28^{\circ} 30'$

South Atlantic for Whaley Thomas Howland Master

Remarks on board Thursday Sep 8. a

These 24 hours commenced with light winds from the west all sail set steering to the South. Middle strong winds at sunset took in sail to double reef Topsails at 2 A.M. took in Fore and Mizzen Topsails latter part a Gale with squalls of rain at 10 P.M. the Fore and Main reefed the main Topsail &c.

Latitude by Obs $32^{\circ} 18'$

Longitude by Chron. $23^{\circ} 43'$

Remarks on board Friday Sept 9th 1855

These 24 hours commenced with a Gale from S.W. and heavy sea Middle and latter more moderate at 8 A.M. set the Topsails close reefed gills and mainsail by the wind to the E.S.E. saw no fish. Spoke great many birds.

Latitude by Obs $32^{\circ} 24'$

Longitude by Chron. $22^{\circ} 15'$

Remarks on board Saturday Sept 10. 1855

These 24 hours commenced with strong winds from South and a heavy sea by the wind under close reef Topsails gills and mainsail latter part more moderate let one reef from the Topsails at 10 A.M. let another reef from the Topsails and set Fore and Main topsails sails heading E.S.E. by Compass by the wind saw one Sperm Whale.

Latitude by Obs $32^{\circ} 39'$

Longitude by Chron. $21^{\circ} 10'$