

CRUISING AROUND

1836

Friday (Cont.) With Light Winds from the Eastward
 July 8 Pico in sight at 5 P. M. Spoke Ship
 John of N. Bedford no oil

Lat. N. Long W.

Saturday All this 24 hrs. trying to Beat to Windward
 July 9 Off Pico with a strong wind and a current
 Against us So ends this 24 hours

Lat. N. Long W.

Sunday Fresh winds from E. N. E. Still trying to get
 July 10 To Windward of Middle part Cloudy then sails
 in sight

Lat. N. Long W.

Monday (Cont.) With fresh winds from the Eastward
 July 11 Cloudy weather Sail the Island of St.
 Nicholas distant 30 miles So ends this

Lat. N. Long W.

Tuesday Begins with Cloudy weather Winds from the
 July 12 St. E. at 10 A. M. Came on Blowing fast
 In fore top sail and hauled till till a ship
 and a Portuguese Schooner in sight at 12 noon
 Saw 4 whales off our weather bow 4 miles
 off. Saw a ship with her boats down chasing them.
 Got close on and darted 3 times and missed we
 lowered but did not strike whales. gone to Wind-
 ward 3 P. M. total Calm

Lat. N. Long W.

Wednesday Begins with light winds two ships in sight
 July 13 And a Portuguese Schooner employed in sailing
 up rigging saw nothing worthy of note

Lat. N. Long W.

Thursday (Cont.) With light winds and pleasant weather
 July 14 The Island of St. Nicholas of the bar bear-
 ing E. by S. distant 30 miles Saw 4 Black fish &
 100 Chances employed in Ship duty and c.

Lat. N. Long W.

THE ISLANDS.

1836

Sunday (Cont.) Last 3 days light winds from the N. & E. Cloudy
 July 17 weather accompanied with rain the land in sight

Lat. N. Long W.

Monday (Cont.) With stiff breezes from the Eastward at 1/2
 July 18 Past A. P. M. Saw 3 whales off our bow
 lowered all 3 Boats and gave chase. but could
 not come up with them Ship John and George in
 sight at 1/2 past 2 P. M. Run ahead of
 Portuguese Schooner Carried away over board
 Cat Head till Martinique. Set a signal in
 the morning for the John to come down. and both
 Carpenters to work and repair damaged. and c.

Lat. N. Long W.

Wednesday (Cont.) Last days light winds on the 19th Saw
 July 20 two sails and school of Grampsey. Black fish &
 c.

Lat. N. No Long to day

Thursday Begins with light winds from N. & E.
 July 21 Saw a sail close into the E. end of St. Nicholas
 the stand close into the land Saw 100 miles in sight
 two sails in sight. Saw Black fish & Porpoises.

Lat. N. Long W.

Friday Light winds and pleasant weather nothing
 22. 420 occurred of any importance in Company with Ship
 John & George. Lacked and stood to S. & E. by S.

Lat. N. Long W.

Sunday (Cont.) With fresh winds from the N. in Company
 July 23 With Ship John Middle part separated Co.
 Gatten part took our departure from the Azores
 Islands for the Cape de Verde Islands. Strong
 winds. Course 4 P. M. S. E. by S. So ends this 24 hrs.

Lat. N. Long W.

Monday Begins with light winds from the E. Course
 July 24 S. W. at sunset spoke Ship Saphire of Salem
 no oil found in eye So ends this 24 hours

Lat. N. Long W.