

St. John's Logbook of a Whaling Voyage to the Letter

Remarks on Tuesday 26th July 1830

Commenced with fine breezes from the N.W. and fair weather all sail set steering S.E. by E. Campass Ship Liverpool in sight Middle and latter part fine breezes from the N.W. and fair weather steering S.E. by E. at 10th made the Island of St. John's Spring S.E. at 12. Made the Island and Cape of St. John's so ended with two more shots off Ship Liverpool in sight

Obs. Lat. 32.5 N. Long. 60.30 W. under sick 20

20 days out

Remarks on Wednesday 27th July 1830

These 24 hours commenced with fine breezes from the N.W. and fair weather steering S.E. by E. Campass Ship Liverpool in sight Middle part the same at 10th made the Island at 12. Made the Island and Cape of St. John's so ended with two more shots off Ship Liverpool in sight

Western side of the Island

Remarks on Thursday 28th July 1830

Commenced with fine breezes from the Westward and fair at 10th and 12th and made the Island at 12. Made the Island and Cape of St. John's so ended with two more shots off Ship Liverpool in sight

Obs. Lat. 32.5 N. Long. 60.30 W.

20 days out

Remarks on Friday 29th July 1830

Light air from the Westward steering S.E. by E. Campass Ship Liverpool in sight Middle and latter part Bore light air from the Westward and fair weather all sail set steering S.E. by E. at 10th made the Island at 12. Made the Island and Cape of St. John's so ended with two more shots off Ship Liverpool in sight

Ocean, Charles Fisher Master C.D. 1830

Remarks on Saturday 30th July 1830

Commenced with heavy light air from the N.W. and pleasant steering S.E. by E. all sail set to the best advantage Ship Liverpool in sight Middle and latter part made the Island from the N.W. and fair weather all sail set steering S.E. by E. Campass all hands employed at Ship's duty Ship Liverpool in sight off St. John's Island

Obs. Lat. 32.5 N. Long. 60.30 W.

21 days out

Remarks on Sunday 31st July 1830

Plazant breezes from the N.E. all sail set steering S.E. by E. Campass Ship Liverpool in sight Middle and latter part fresh breezes from the Westward at 10th made the Island at 12. Made the Island and Cape of St. John's so ended with two more shots off Ship Liverpool in sight

Obs. Lat. 32.5 N. Long. 60.30 W.

22 days out

Remarks on Monday 1st August 1830

Fresh breezes from the N.E. and passing clouds steering S.E. by E. Campass Middle part squally latter part fine breezes and fair weather all hands employed at Ship's duty Ship Liverpool in sight off St. John's Island

Obs. Lat. 32.5 N. Long. 60.30 W.

23 days out

Remarks on Tuesday 2nd August 1830

Fine breezes from the Eastward steering S.E. by E. Campass with all necessary sail set Middle and latter part the same at 10th saw a Ship to the Northward cutting a Whale a Bark in sight steering to the Southward at 12. Made the Island at 12. Made the Island and Cape of St. John's so ended with two more shots off Ship Liverpool in sight

Obs. Lat. 32.5 N. Long. 60.30 W.