

Remarks on Board Barque

Wednesday 8th

Commences today with light airs and calms with fine weather vessel by the wind on different tacks crew employed on ships duty saw a turtle ^{caught} at sundown took in sail for the night Middle & Latter parts a light breeze from the Westward saw porpoises so ends this day

Thursday 9th

Commences today with a light breeze from the W. with pleasant weather vessel by the wind on different tacks crew employed on ships duty saw Blackfish but did not lower for them going quick Middle part wind & weather the same Latter part the same so ends this day

Friday 10th

Commences today with a moderate breeze from the West with pleasant weather vessel steering W. S. W. bound for another part of the whaling ground crew employed on ships duty at sundown took in sail for the night Middle part's till steering the same course with the wind from the N. E. W. Latter part kept her E. with very light airs & calms so ends this day

Saturday 11th

Commences today with light airs & calms with fine pleasant weather vessel by the wind crew employed on ships duty saw nothing but porpoises at sundown took in sail for the night Middle & Latter parts wind and weather the same one sail in sight so ends this day

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Sunday 12th

Commences today with a light breeze from the N. E. with fine pleasant weather vessel by the wind on different tacks crew employed on ships duty two sails in sight at 5 o'clock from signal light and boarded an American merchantman the James. S. Stone 17 days from New York bound to Melbourne Australia Middle & Latter parts variable winds so ends this day

Monday 13th

Commences today with a light breeze from the N. E. W. with fine pleasant weather vessel by the wind cruising for whales crew employed on ships duty saw nothing but one sail at sundown did not shorten sail for the night Middle & Latter parts light airs & calms from different quarters two sails in sight saw porpoises so ends this day

Tuesday 14th

Commences today with a very light but variable winds with pleasant weather vessel by the wind cruising on different tacks saw porpoises & one sail Middle part a calm Latter part a light breeze from the North so ends this day

Wednesday 15th

Commences today with a light breeze from the N. with pleasant weather vessel by the wind working to the N. E. for another part of the western grounds crew employed on ships duty saw grampusses, cowfish & a turtle Middle part wind & weather the same Latter part vessel steering N. E. so ends this day