

Bark Falcon, saw Whales some 15 times, & took 560 lbs. nearly all the whales was working West & gentle gale. Falcon saw most of her Whales in lat 35:20 to 36 & long from 36 to 39 W. no large Whales was seen after Oct 2, but small whales three times, once by Falcon, once by Clame, & once by Circe, latter part of Oct rugged weather, cruised there all the month of October.

Sat Oct 24<sup>th</sup> 1874  
Fresh N. Westly winds at daylight saw small Whales breaching, at eight lowered the boats, took two, one by L. boat & 1 by S. B. B. boat fastened but man came out, Whales going West, Lat 35:30 Long 39:30 West,

Oct 27<sup>th</sup> 1874  
Last of Oct, and first week in Nov strong N.E. gale. Lat 37:00 Long 30:00

(Fayal) Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1874  
at 7 A.M. anchored at Fayal and landed 4562 bbls S.O. to be shipped by Gudonia at \$1.25 pr bbl, took on board 140 bush Irish Potatoes, at 45 cents pr bush, 16 bush S. Potatoes, 25 cents pr bush, at sunset left for the Scutte,

(St. Yago) Sat Nov 28 1874  
At 12 P.M. anchored at St. Yago in 5 fathom water, 15 days from Fayal.

Sat Dec 5<sup>th</sup>  
At 6 A.M. left St. Yago, John Dougherty Boat Steerer, & Wm. Reed deserted by swimming ashore steering for Brava.

Dec 7<sup>th</sup>  
Lay off & on at Brava. Strong trades, took off 3 men & one boat (Steara), abundance of Green Hand ready to go, at sunset left away South,

Thursday Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1874  
This day baffling winds & rain, lost the N.E. Trades, Lat 10 South Long 22 W

Monday Dec 21<sup>st</sup> 1874  
At 6 A.M. saw small Whales lowered at 7. B. boat struck, by same means or other line got cut, or into a whale's mouth & chawed off, at any rate it came apart without any strain, lost the whale, Whales did not bring to, & went of to windward, (moderate S. wind?) Lat 4, N. Long 19, W.

Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 1874  
From Lat 10 N. to 3 N. variable winds & rain, Calms, & C. Current setting N. from lat 5; to 3. S. South winds and much rain, Calms & C. from 10 N. to 3 N. ship in long of about 20 W, took S.E. Trades in lat 3 N. wind at first S. crossed the line in long 24, wind gradually hauling to the S.E. and quite fresh.

(1867) 1875 Friday Jan 1<sup>st</sup>

At 10 A.M. saw small Whales & lowered, took 1 small whale by S. Boat, cut him in, & kept on our course. Saw 6 small whales heading S.E. Steering S.W. Lat. 9-10 S. Long 30-50 W.

Thursday Jan 12<sup>th</sup> 1875  
Moderate breeze from E by S. Steering S.W. near sunset saw Whales about of ship 4 miles S. between light & dark, Whales came up to windward of the ship, & heading to windward, fine large Whales, did not lower. Lat 28:30 S, Long 42:10 West