

Prog' Ceres of Sandwich

Monday July 12th

Begins with light winds from the N.W. and and passing, large clouds middle part fine at day light, made all sail, headed N.E. cleared sail in light, Bounced, backward, latter part strong breeze from the North inclining Easterly.

Tuesday July 13th

Begins with light winds from the N.E. and foggy. Saw finbacks at large. Thick of timber at 4 P.M. Saw porpoises. Cal came at sunset. Took in the light. Sails finbacks in sight as far as the eye can reach. Windward and faster. Light winds from the N.E. and fine in the middle. Light winds at night. Lat 39 19 Long 35 35.

Wednesday July 14th

Begins with moderate gale from the South & East and fine weather. Steered E by S middle part strong breeze from the North West and passing. Cal came at sunset. Cal by sunset at 8 P.M. Steered East. Saw porpoises. Lat 39 19 Long 33 11.

Thursday July 15th

Begins with strong breeze from the N.W. and cloudy. Steered E by S passed a large thick of timber apparently a ship's deck beam. Saw porpoises middle part. Strong breeze inclining North at day light made Calve. Breeze at 5 leagues. Several sails in sight one ship receding at fore & back with strong breeze from the North running down East side of Flores about 4 leagues from shore.

Friday July 16th

Begins with strong breeze from N.E. and thick smoke rising at 4 P.M. Steered N.E. at 5 turned at the Reepes and set main sail and fore and top sail at sunset. Doubled Reepes the top sail, again part more moderate at day light made all sail. Saw several Boats. At dusk 10 leagues. Ends with strong breeze from the N.W. and passed several Boats in sight. Bounced to the North Eastward.

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Saturday July 17th

Begins with strong breeze from the N.W. inclining Westerly at 4 P.M. Run in between. Sail at and then got Bounced with a heavy swell towards. Two more rounded and stood out middle part. Strong gale from the N.W. with fog and fine rain. Took in the light. Sails and doubled Reepes the top sail at 2 P.M. Wind inclining North and thick within. Made N.E. at 5 P.M. Saw Graciosa. Breeze East at sunset. At 10 A.M. moderate with a heavy sea steered for the South part of the Island. Saw porpoises.

Sunday July 18th

Begins with light winds from the N.W. and fine weather. Steering in between Graciosa and the George at Gundown took in the light. Sails and doubled Reepes the top sails at 4 P.M. Headed. Breeze rounded the point before things to be seen made. Sail away. Worked to windward at 2 A.M. passed them again. They are then headed to the N.E. with the wind light from the N.W. at day light gale all sail. Nothing in sight. Breeze thick with foggy rain at 4 passed and stood in for St. George. Ends with light Breeze. Windy and Calves. Two sails in sight one to the East and the other West of us.

Monday July 19th

Begins with light Breeze and calm. Saw porpoises. Cal at 5 P.M. Spoke the Infranklin of West Port 200 sp. the 18th of November 5 weeks out. Clear middle part. Strong breeze from the N.W. and squally with rain at day light. Run up under the lee of St. George. Several sails in sight to the N.E. at 2 P.M. Strong breeze from the N.W. Steered N.E. Saw two Boats from the Michael round to foggy. Ends with strong Breeze from the N.W. and clear.