

Wednesday Nov. 11th 1868

Came in with a gale of wind from S.W. and rain - Ship by the wind lying to under storm sails - Flores and Pearro bearing S.E. per compass dist 25 miles but not in sight - at 11 A.M. more moderate kept ship off S.E. by E. at 2 raised larvo bearing S.E. winds strong from the W. at 7 P.M. passed larvo bound for Nagal. running all night

Thursday Nov. 12th

Came in with strong gales from the W. and squally weather. Ship steering S.E. per compass. Under close reefed topsails for most all 8 A.M. blowing heavy in squalls and a very heavy sea on hove to heading up S. by E. saw two sail today steering to the E. by N. going to all P.M. and night wind going down but still came heavy squalls and a very heavy swell setting in from the W. Lat. at Merid 40° 0'

Friday Nov. 13th 1868

Came in with light baffling airs from S.W. and squally weather - Ship by the wind heading S.E. with all sail out - Saw the Islands of Nagal - Pico St. George and Graciosa - West end Nagal bearing S.E. W. per compass dist by lead 45 miles - all day steering in by the wind towards St. George - at sunset tacked ship when 4 miles S.W. of the W. end of St. George heading S.W. per compass for the passage between Nagal and Pico - light baffling winds from S.E. all night working up through the passage.

Saturday Nov. 14th

Came in with light baffling airs from the S.W. and fine weather - Ship lying off and on at Nagal - at night steered out to the S.W.

Sunday Nov. 15th

Came in with strong breezes from the W. S.W. and fine weather - Ship cruising off to the S.W. of Nagal - for whales - nothing in sight all day but two sail