

Remarks on board Bark Escota Capt. C. B. Hamblin

Monday Nov 12<sup>th</sup> 1860

This day continues fine weather. This afternoon we had another bag game with the Dartmouth, Sacramento, Mary Ann, and Edw. Cary, the game commenced at one P.M. and ended about 1/2 past 11.

Tuesday Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1860

Clear weather with a strong breeze, at 4 P.M. Capt. Hamblin went on board the Wasp and at 9 he returned.

Wednesday Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 1860

This day clear weather and light breeze another general game with the Chic. E. Cary, Dartmouth, Mary Ann, Wasp, the game ended about 11. Capt. Wray lost the run of his ship and came on board but did not stop long, as we came off with her.

Thursday Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1860

This day fine weather, had the foremast on deck to mend, after dinner the mate went off duty sick, at 6 P.M. the captain went on board the Wasp, the Mary Ann and schooner Monterey in company.

Friday Nov 16<sup>th</sup> 1860

This day as usual had the foremast on deck, this afternoon the captain and mate had some hard words, the captain intended to put the mate ashore if he could not do just as he wanted him to. The mate said that was what he wished him to do, and there it ended for the present, at 3 P.M. the captain went on board the Mary Ann, the Wasp and schooner in company, at 9 the game ended.

Saturday Nov 17<sup>th</sup> 1860

This day strong breeze and clear weather, this forenoon had the flying jib in to mend, at 1/2 past 11 the captain went on board the Mary Ann and at 9 he returned, the mate and captain at words private yet.

Sunday Nov 18<sup>th</sup> 1860

This day fine weather and light breeze, this afternoon had a general game with the Mary Ann, Wasp and schooner at 10 the game ended.

Monday Nov 25<sup>th</sup> 1860

This day fine weather and light breeze with a lee current, about 1/2 past 4 squared in for Tombs, the Mary Ann, Wasp and schooner in light astern.

Tuesday Nov 26<sup>th</sup> 1860

This day strong breeze and haze weather, this afternoon spoke the bark Soloncha Captain Gurne, the captain went on board, and at 5 P.M. he returned.

Wednesday Nov 27<sup>th</sup> 1860

This day light winds at 10 A.M. made the Isle de la Plate sight 10 days from the Islands.

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| Dec 25, 1860.         | Sailed from Tombs  |
| Jan 1, 1861           | Arrived at Porto   |
| " 17 "                | " again at Porto   |
| " " "                 | The Captain's wife came on board; and sailed for America |
| " 25 <sup>th</sup> "  | Spoke the Bark Joseph Ginnell.                           |
| " 27 "                | Made Chatham Island                                      |
| " 31 "                | Spoke the bark Joseph Ginnell                            |
| Feb 1 <sup>st</sup> " | " " Mary Ann and J. Ginnell                              |
| " 6 <sup>th</sup> "   | " " Cape Horn Pigeon.                                    |
| " 9 <sup>th</sup> "   | " " Mary Ann   |
| " 11 <sup>th</sup> "  | " " " " " "  |
| " 14 <sup>th</sup> "  | " " " " " " Edw. and Edw. Cary                           |
| " 16 <sup>th</sup> "  | " " " " " " " "  |
| " 17 <sup>th</sup> "  | Came to, at anchor in the weather bay for wood           |

Wednesday Feb 20<sup>th</sup> 1861

This afternoon while making out the bay, about one P.M. 20<sup>th</sup> 1861 spoke whales; the mate turned one up and chased and dark

Thursday Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> 1861

Spoke whales again about 3 P.M. missed all the boats but did not strike as they were going quick and very calm

