

Barque Pacific Cruising In The North

Saturday Aug. 7th Comes in with fresh breezes from the N. and quite fine weather - Ship steering N. by E with all sail out for Flores for the purpose of obtaining recruits - Water blue and clear all day with some shallow drops - saw a large spar and two or three sunfish but no other signs of sperm whales

Lat. Long.

Sunday Aug. 8th Comes in with moderate weather with the winds from the S.W. - Ship steering to the S. by E per compass with all sail out - One sail in sight steering to the W. with all sail out - saw one or two school of porpoises and one or two schools of porpoises at 4 P.M. saw Flores & Carvo bearing S.E. Lat. 40.28 Long. 32.30 Dist 20 miles

Monday Aug. 9th Comes in with strong gales from the P.W. and showers of rain - Ship all night lying off and on at Flores - on the west side at 7 A.M. kept ship off for Sta. Cruz. at 9 went on shore for the purpose of getting water and recruits but being so rough could get none off - In the P.M. kept ship off for Sagal for the purpose of shipping oil per the Azor.

Tuesday Aug. 10th All day strong breeze from the N.W. and quite clear weather - at 12 came to and anchored in the harbor of Sagal in 19 fathoms of water with starboard anchor - furlled sail and washed ship on the outside -

Saturday Aug. 14th Comes in with strong gales and squally weather from the S.W. We have shipped 352 Bbls of Sperm Oil per Bk Azor and for Boston at the rate of 71 Gold per Bbl - got off some recruits and about 140 Bbls of water - Took our anchor in the A.M. used at 12 Capt came on board and then kept off for Flores for potatoes - Arrived Portuguese School Ship 10 days from Lisbon

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Sunday Aug. 15th Comes in with strong breezes from the N.W. and squally weather - Ship steering or working to the N.W. for Flores at 12 M. wind changed to the N. we ship to the W. raining moderately all day - saw one finback and two schools of Grampuses - water blue and clear all day - saw one sail steering to the N.E.

Lat 39.22

Monday Aug. 16th Comes in with moderate breezes from the W. and quite clear weather - Ship by the wind on opposite tack working up for Flores - saw three sail all steering to the E. - saw porpoises & Grampuses - Water blue and clear with the exception of some jellies

Tuesday Aug. 17th All day moderate breeze from the S.E. and Calms - all A.M. ship makes but little progress - In the P.M. steering N.W. by N. saw the Island of Carvo in the A.M. in the P.M. thick weather - at night hove to blowing heavy at 10 P.M. split main topsail - Bent another judging ourselves near Flores.

Lat 39.22

Wednesday Aug. 18th Comes in with thick fog with a gale of wind from the E. - Ship lying to under easy sail - at 10 A.M. fog lights up a little put on sail - Nothing in sight all the A.M. at 12 kept ship W.N.W. per compass - winds very unsteady - water very blue - at 6 P.M. saw the land

Thursday Aug. 19th All day strong gales and rain from the E. and thick weather - Ship lying to the E. of Flores - stood in but found the weather too rough to land - then stood off to the S.E. and in the P.M. stood to the N.W. per compass and took off John Lawrence he having landed at Sta Cruz a week or Monday last - the wind blowing heavy from the E.