

Remarks on board *Beagle* 1878

Tuesday Aug 27th

Came with fine weather & good breeze W.N.W. lying off & on the E side of *Terceira* Capt an shore also Sch. *Sarah E. Lewis* in company at 4 P.M. Capt came on board. pumped ship seventyfive strokes. at sunset shortened sail for the heading off shore Mid part Mod. Lat part Strong breeze & equally with rain Sch. *Sarah E. Lewis* in sight Wind N.E. the *Whale Rock* bearing N.W. dist twentyfive miles saw porpoises & Grampuses & small fish so ends

Wednesday Aug 28th

Came with weather equally & Wind N.E. at sunset *Graciosa* bearing N.W. dist 25 miles Mid & Lat part equally cruising off the N.E. of *Terceira* so ends

Thursday Aug 29th

Came equally weather & Wind N.E. at 4 P.M. pumped ship fifty strokes at sunset sail twenty miles S.S.E. of *St George* Wind N. Mid & Lat part Moderate at 12 M. *Pico* S.E. point five miles dist. saw Blackfish at 4 A.M. & lowered for them without success so ends

Friday Aug 30th

Came with light breezes W.N.W. saw a sail to the N.W. pumps attended to at P.M. *Pico* S.E. point dist ~~four~~ miles Mid part Light breeze Lat part do. & Light Wind S.S.W. so ends

Saturday Aug 31st

Came with fine weather & light breeze S.S.W. at 4 P.M. pumped ship No Water Mid & Lat part cruising of E. side of *St George* so ends

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Sunday Sept 1st

Came with good weather & Light breeze S.W. pumps attended to mid & Lat part do.

Monday Sept 2^d

Came with a light breeze S.S.W. & fine weather pumps attended to Mid part good breeze Lat part strong breeze at 4 A.M. blowing a gail so ends

Tuesday Sept 3^d

Begins with clear weather & blowing a gail from the westward ship lying close in under the East side of *St. George* at 2 P.M. saw a Sch. pass going N.W. Mid part same Lat the same with rain so ends

Wednesday 4th

Begins with good weather Cruising between *Pico* & *St George* Wind N.E. a Sch. in sight pumps attended to. Mid part good weather Lat part cruising of S.E. point of *St George* with strong breeze N.E. so ends

Thursday Sept 5th

Came with fine weather & good breeze N.E. Cruising of S point of *St. George* pumps attended to at sunset S. point bearing N. dist ten miles Mid part Calm Lat part same so ends

Friday Sept 6th

Came with Calms & Light breeze S. saw a Sch. between *Graciosa* & *Terceira* also saw grampuses pumps attended to at sunset S point of *St George* bearing N.E. by N. dist fifteen miles Mid. & Lat part Moderate so ends this day