

1894 Journal of the Whaling Bark President

227 Thursday Nov 29

This day comes in with squalls and heavy rain with thunder and lightning wind from the E. N.E. took in the light sails and mainsail nothing in sight. Middle part the same. Latter part good weather made all sail

228 Friday Nov 30

This day comes in with a moderate breeze from the N.E. and rain squalls took in some of the light sails. Nothing in sight. Middle part still raining. Latter part made all sail heading along by the wind

229 Saturday Dec 1

This day comes in with a moderate breeze from the S.W. steared N.E. a while then it died out a calm. At 5 P.M. saw black fish lowered all three boats and starboard boat got one still raining some. Middle part a light breeze from the East latter part good weather

230 Sunday Dec 2

This day comes in with a light breeze from the N.E. heading along by the wind to the N.W. and East. Nothing in sight. Middle part the same. Latter part good weather still heading along by the wind bound for the Island of St. Antone

John P. Bravo Master

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Monday Dec 3

This day comes in with a moderate breeze from the N.E. heading along by the wind with all sail set. saw Pteropores. Middle part the same. Latter part good weather. Water broke out water

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Tuesday Dec 4

This day comes in with a good breeze from the N.E. heading along by the wind to the N.W. and East with all sail set. Water boiled out the black fish that we got the other day. Saw the Island of St. George and also saw black fish. Middle part saw a large steamer. Latter part good weather still heading along by the wind

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Wednesday Dec 5

This day comes in with strong N.E. trades took in the light sails. Saw Pteropores and the Island of Sol. the Cape de Verde Islands. Middle part the same. Latter part good weather made all sail heading along by the wind

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Thursday Dec 6

This day comes in with a good breeze heading along by the wind to the N.W. and East saw Pteropores. Took in some of the light sails. Middle part the same. Latter part quite a strong breeze saw several merchant vessels