

A Journal kept on board S. Charon

Friday June 17

This 24 hours calm cruising in sight of Present Island
 All hands busy employed in ship's duty nothing in sight

Saturday June 18

This 24 hours light breeze from E Present Island in
 sight. Boats come off to trade brought shell chicken &c

Sunday June 19

This 24 hours fresh breeze from N E by E steering
 by the wind two ships in sight Lat 17° S

Monday June 20

This 24 hours light breeze from E steering by the
 wind Present Island in sight

Tuesday June 21

This 24 hours pleasant breeze from E steering by the
 wind to the N E nothing in sight all hands
 busy employed in ship's duty stowing down Oil
 100 lbs of oil Lat 17° S

Wednesday June 22

This 24 hours pleasant breeze from E steering by
 the wind to the N nothing in sight

Thursday June 23

This 24 hours pleasant breeze from E cruising between
 Ocean and Present Island 2 ships in sight and 2
 signs in sight all hands busy employed in
 ship's duty started with cask of water at 4 P.M.

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Friday June 24

This 24 hours light breeze from E cruising near the
 line in sight of Present Island nothing in sight

Saturday June 25

This 24 hours fresh breeze from E cruising near the line
 in sight of Present Island in sight and 2 ships in sight

Sunday June 26

This 24 hours light breeze from N E by E cruising
 nothing in sight Lat 17° S Long 168° 15' E

Monday June 27

This 24 hours fresh breezes and squalls of rain from
 steering E nothing in sight Lat 21° S Long 168° 50'

Tuesday June 28

This 24 hours light breeze from E cruising nothing
 in sight Lat 21° S Long 169° 50' E

Wednesday June 29

This 24 hours fresh breeze from E steering West
 at 4 P.M. raised Whales loared 4 boats put
 off after them. Starboard Boat went on and fastened
 and the iron derrick came a board at dark Lat 21° S
 Long 169° 15' E

Thursday June 30

This 24 hours light breeze from E cruising at 8 P.M.
 raised the ~~starboard~~ bark. Lagrang of Fairhaven
 Capt. Utitsan 13 months out words of sperm oil
 had lost his second mate fell overboard and
 did not see him afterward