

Remarks on board Ship Station

Wednesday December 18th 1838

First part fine trade winds from E & S running down the West side of St. Nicholas towards St.ago's at night the harbour of St. Nicholas here E & S 20 miles Middle part strong S.W. for St.ago's latter part strong trades saw the Islands of Vega having W & W. wind St.ago having S.E. saw on ship the
Latitude by Obs 8.46 North Long by Obs 20.40

Thursday December 19th 1838

First part calm under the South side of St.ago's Middle part becalmed the ship passed of and from Falk River kept Her Woods 3 days out latter part at Port Praya Portick captain went ashore with the Boat. See strong trades

Friday December 20th 1838

First part strong trades going off and on at the Port traded for fowls & at night spoke Ship Benjamin Tucker of and from N Bedford thus North Master on a whaling voyage at night captain came off the Middle part going off and on latter part at 8 AM part Tom Johnson in the rigging and reached him down for and on account of rum shrinking and inclined at 8 AM captain went ashore again

Saturday December 21st

First part going off and on at 3 PM the captain came off with Joes Backer & Domingo Santos - as Seamen & Henry Armstrong as Cook Steward on Seamen to be discharged at the last Port before sailing for home. See transferred the Bristow from Cook to Seamen at 3 1/2 PM kept off S.W. and made all sail Middle part and latter moderate trades from E & S course I saw a Timberack and set Steel Sails
Latitude by Obs 12.38 Long by Obs 22.0

Sunday December 22nd

First part fine trades course I with all sail set going short & kept by Observations Middle and latter much the same
Latitude by Obs 10.34 Long by Obs 21.30

From Northwich

Monday December 23rd 1838

First part fine weather with a moderate breeze from N.E. course I set the lower Steel Sails & Middle & latter part winds light saw Timberack
Latitude by Obs 8.46 North Long by Obs 20.40

Tuesday December 24th 1838

First part winds light from N.E. course South Middle part light air at sunset lowered for Blackfish but got nothing latter part light air from N.E. course South saw Porpoises
Latitude by Obs 7.27 North Long by Obs 20.45

Wednesday December 25th

First part light air from N.E. course South saw a great many Porpoises & Middle part light air latter part the same at 10 lowered for Black
Latitude by Obs 6.9 Long by Obs 20.50

Thursday December 26th

First part struck 2 blackfish and took them & the ship with a light air from S.E. course S.W. Middle part calm latter part rainy weather with a moderate breeze from S.E. course S.W. saw a sail
Latitude by Obs 5.30 Long by Obs 21.0

Friday December 27th 1838

First part rainy weather with a light breeze from the S.E. course S.W. saw a sail Middle part much the same latter part saw a sail weather squally with moderate trades from S.W. by S. course S.W.
Latitude by Obs 4.27 Long by Obs 22.10

Saturday December 28th

First part fine trades weather cloudy Middle the same latter much the same saw a Timberack to end these 24 hours employed in fitting rigging
Latitude by Obs 3.7 N Long by Obs 23.50

Sunday December 29th

First part moderate trades from S.W. by S course S.W. Middle part much the same latter part fine trades from S.W. & good weather Long by Obs 24.12
Latitude by Obs 1.32 Long by Obs 24.8