

Remarks on Board Bark Sun at Sea. C. Smith
Monday January 31st

21. This day begins with fine weather and fresh breeze from the N.E. Ship steering S.W. under all sail: watch engaged in making scrubbing. Boat sails and strapping blocks. 4 P.M. called the Landward watch washed off and got supper nothing in sight breeze continues fresh. Latitude 29° 20' S. Long. 10° 53' W.

Tuesday January 32nd
22 This day begins with fine weather and fresh breeze from the S.E. Ship steering by the wind S.W. by S. under all sail, watch engaged in making pennants. Scrubbing & rearing new Forestay sail. Ketch and one sail in sight 3 points on the weather bow: saw one Grampus watching this afternoon. 4 P.M. called the watch broke out the old rigging in the forehole, washed off and ends this day. Latitude 31° 18' S. Longitude 11° 17' W.

Wednesday January 33rd
23 This day begins with fine weather and moderate breeze from the S.E. Ship steering by the wind S.W. under all sail, watch employed at various jobs. About 3 P.M. wind hauled to the N.E. ship steering S.E. one sail in sight off the bow: saw one Grampus, brack off weather-ham this afternoon. 4 P.M. called the watch rode new left top sail out-hauler: washed off and went in bathing ends this day. Latitude 33° 15' S. Longitude 11° 00' W.

Thursday January 34th
24 This day begins with fine weather and a light breeze from the N.E. Ship steering S.E. by E. under all sail and lower Schooner Studdensails: two sails in sight off weather ham. About 11 1/2 O'clock lowered away the standard boat and got a turtle, watch engaged at various jobs nothing in sight this afternoon so ends this day. Latitude 33° 00' S. Longitude 10° 31' W.

Friday January 35th
25 This day begins with fine weather and a light breeze from the N.E. Ship steering S.E. by E. under all sail: watch at various jobs. About 11 1/2 O'clock we raised another shoal of Grampuses which caused some excitement. 4 P.M. called the watch washed off and got supper. Latitude 33° 21' S. Long 8° 31' W.

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Saturday January 36th

26 This day begins with fine weather and a moderate breeze from the N.E. Ship steering S.E. by E. under all sail as usual. watch engaged in washing thin cloth and such like jobs. About 10 A.M. wind braced up and continued strong all the latter part of the day. 4 P.M. called the watch scrubbed & washed off ship, nothing in sight to day: ends this crisp day. Latitude 33° 38' S. Longitude 5° 54' 45" W.

Sunday January 37th
27 This day begins with fine weather and moderate breeze from the N.E. Ship steering S.E. by E. as usual under all sail. watch engaged in mending and such like amusements. 4 P.M. called the watch reined mastshead: loosed about Decks for about an hour then got supper, nothing in sight to day. Latitude 34° 06' S. Longitude 2° 41' 15" W.

Monday January 38th
28 This day begins with fine weather and a fresh breeze from the N.E. Ship steering S.E. by E. under all sail as usual. watch engaged at various jobs. About 5 A.M. saw a cask floating past the Ship about 1/2 mile to the leeward: About 9 A.M. commenced clouding up, 10 A.M. squally with some rain: furled fore topgallant sail & hauled in the Studding-sails, wind hauled to the S.W. Ship steering S.E. by E. breeze continues fresh with squalls of wind & rain, nothing in sight to day. No Lat. or Long. to day on account of the weather.

Tuesday January 39th
29 This day begins with cloudy weather and strong breeze from the S.W. Ship steering S.E. by E. under all sail. watch engaged in various jobs. About noon raised a sail on the weather bow steering about S.E. by E. called to the men down from mastshead, sent out Studdensails and after time about 2 P.M. hauled in the Studdensails. 4 P.M. pumped ship to ends this day. Latitude 34° 54' S. Long. 4° 18' E.

Wednesday January 30th
30 This day begins with cloudy weather and strong breeze from the S.W. Ship steering S.E. by E. under all sail. watch at various jobs. About 7 A.M. took in fore & main S. Gallant sails furled the fore-mainsail. About 12 A.M. let all sail. one sail in sight about 1/4 mile to leeward, nothing in sight to day. Lat. 34° 38' Long.