

Journal of a voyage to the Atlantic

Friday Sept. 28th 1855

Strong breeze from S. S. W. and cloudy. Handed M. J. G. sail by the wind
Lat. 2. 58 N.
Lon. 7. 23 W.

Saturday Sept. 29th

Commenced with strong breeze from S. S. W. latter part moderate and fine weather
By the wind
Lat. 2. 25 N.
Lon. 5. 12 W.

Sunday Sept. 30th

Moderate breeze from S. S. W. and fair weather. Saw Humphreys by the wind
Lat. 1. 58 N.
Lon. 3. 33 W.

Monday Oct. 1st

First part strong breeze from S. W. latter part moderate breeze by the wind
Course S. by E.
Lat. 1. 58 N.
Lon. 1. 59 W.

Tuesday Oct. 2nd

Moderate breeze from S. W. by N. and fair weather. Course S. by E.
Lat. 1. 31 N.
Lon. 1. 12 W.

Wednesday Oct. 3rd

Light breeze from S. W. and fine weather. Course S. E.
Lat. 0. 03 N.
Lon. 0. 14 E.

Thursday Oct. 4th

Fine breeze from S. W. by N. and pleasant weather. Course S. E.
Lat. 1. 37 S.
Lon. 1. 50 E.

Friday Oct. 5th

Fine breeze from S. W. and hazy. Course S. and at 12 M. S. E.
Lat. 1. 29 S.
Lon. 3. 58 W.

Ocean on board bark Tropic Bird of New Bedford

Saturday Oct. 6th

Fine breeze from S. S. W. and hazy. At 8 P. M. made the island of Anno Bon bearing E. by S. dist. 40 miles. Heeded off part of the night. At 11 P. M. came to anchor in 12 fathoms

Sunday Oct. 7th

Moderate breeze from S. W. crew ashore on liberty

Monday Oct. 8th

Weather the same. Painted one side, Got off some recruits

Tuesday Oct. 9th

Shower through the night, and fine, Getting recruits. At 4 P. M. took our anchor and stood to sea with a fine breeze from S. W. Bark Ceola S. leaving at the same time.

Wednesday Oct. 10th

First part fine breeze from S. W. and cloudy, latter part light wind from S. E. W. By the wind to the S. E.
Lat. 2. 21 S.
Lon. 3. 27 E.

Thursday Oct. 11th

Light breeze from S. W. and cloudy, latter part fair. Painted Starboard boat and iron work on Starboard side. Steering by the wind S. E.

Friday Oct. 12th

Lat. 3. 13 S.
Lon. 7. 12 E.