

June 25<sup>th</sup>  
1857

The Journal

Monday

Remarks onboard Tuesday June 25<sup>th</sup> 1857  
First and middle part of these 24 hours  
gentle breeze from S W and fine at  
Sunset, Bermuda light bearing N N W  
6 miles distance latter part fresh breeze  
laying off on for recruits. So ends this day

June 30<sup>th</sup>  
1857

Tuesday

Remarks onboard Wednesday June 30<sup>th</sup>  
All of these 24 hours fresh breeze from  
S W and clear at 1 p.m. got our recruits  
on board then made all sail bound to  
the eastward so ends this day

July 1<sup>st</sup>  
1857

Wednesday

Remarks onboard Thursday July 1<sup>st</sup>  
First part of this day fresh breeze from  
S W middle and latter part tremendous  
squalls of rain with thunder and lightning  
running east under top reef foresail and  
jib and storm trysail so ends this day

July 2<sup>nd</sup>  
1857

Thursday

Remarks onboard Friday July 2<sup>nd</sup>  
First part of this day fresh gales from  
W S W & steering E by S middle and  
latter part more moderate Lat 33.41 Long 50.00

July 3<sup>rd</sup>  
1857

Friday

Remarks onboard Saturday July 3<sup>rd</sup>  
All of these 24 hours gentle breeze from  
S W with a heavy swell on saw 3 sperm  
Grampuses and dolphin Lat 33.38 Long 50.00

July 4<sup>th</sup>  
1857

Saturday

Remarks onboard Sunday July 4<sup>th</sup>  
All of these 24 hours gentle breeze from  
S W and fine weather saw Grampuses  
Saw 2 shoals of Porpoises and a number  
of pieces of squid all hands employed  
repairing the storm trysail so ends this day  
Lat 33.51 Long 50.14

July 5<sup>th</sup>  
1857

Sunday

Remarks onboard Monday July 5<sup>th</sup>  
First and middle part of this day gentle  
breeze from S W latter part Wind N by  
and fine weather Lat 34.05 Long 50.15

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July 6<sup>th</sup>  
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Remarks onboard Monday July 6<sup>th</sup> 1857  
All of these 24 hours gentle breeze  
from North and fine weather saw  
Grampuses saw 3 shoals of Porpoises  
struck 3 and saved 2 of them Benjamin  
North sick and off duty so ends this day  
Lat 33.44 Long 52.03

July 7<sup>th</sup>  
1857

Remarks onboard Tuesday July 7<sup>th</sup> 1857  
First and middle part of this day gentle  
breeze from N N E latter part light  
air from S E and fine weather saw 2  
dolphins Benjamin North no better so ends  
Lat 33.30 Long 52.02

July 8<sup>th</sup>  
1857

Remarks onboard Wednesday July 8<sup>th</sup>  
All of these 24 hours light baffling Wind  
saw 2 shoals of Porpoises saw Grampuses  
so ends this day Lat 33.32 Long 51.03

July 9<sup>th</sup>  
1857

Remarks onboard Thursday July 9<sup>th</sup>  
All of these 24 hours light baffling Winds  
and fine weather saw Grampuses and two  
shoals of Porpoises struck one and lost it.  
Saw a ship supposed to be a merchant  
fitted a new runner to the main boom top  
left so ends this day Lat 33.44 Long 50.33

July 10<sup>th</sup>  
1857

Remarks onboard Friday July 10<sup>th</sup> 1857  
All of these 24 hours light baffling Winds  
and cloudy saw Grampuses and two shoals  
of Porpoises so ends this day Lat 33.36 Long 49.31

July 11<sup>th</sup>  
1857

Remarks onboard Saturday July 11<sup>th</sup>  
First and middle part of this day gentle  
breeze from W by S and squalls of rain  
middle and latter part gentle breeze  
from S W and fine weather saw two  
shoals of Porpoises saw Grampuses  
so ends this day Lat 32.48 Long 48.28