

Tuesday 22

No 22

This day commenced with light winds from the N.W. steering 6 2 sail in sight ahead the Watch employed in ships duty at sundown took in sail working along slow looking for Whales at 8 PM made all sail the Island of Floresance in sight bearing E.S.E. at 9 PM saw a shoal of sperm Whales lowered down the mast and descent mast struck at 11 PM got one of them along side so ends these 24 hours

No observations

Wednesday 23

No 23

This day commenced with light winds from the West S.W. at 8 PM got the other Whail along side when we struck the Cow she took the line so kept in chase and struck again got a long side and got ready for cutting and sent the Watch below at 8 PM commenced cutting at 9 PM finished it blowing fresh from the N.W. so ends these 24 hours

Lat 39.44° N

Long 31.55° W

Thursday 24

No 24

This day commenced with strong winds and fine weather at 8 PM commenced boiling the Wind much the same the middle and latter part it blowing strong and a heavy sea saw 3 ships steering off E.S.E.

so ends these 24 hours

Lat 40.17° N

Long 30.55° W

16 Friday 25

Friday 25

No 25

This day commenced with strong winds from the N.W. standing on different tacks the Watch employed in trying out oil at 6 PM finished boiling the middle and latter part the Wind and weather much the same standing on different tacks so ends these 24 hours

No observations

Saturday 26

No 26

This day commenced with strong winds from the N.W. standing on different tacks under short sail 2 ships in sight the Island of Corvo in sight on our weather beam distant 20 miles the middle and latter part the Wind and weather much the same so ends these 24 hours

Lat 39.49° N

Long 31.54° W

Sunday 27

No 27

This day commenced with light winds from the N.W. steering to the Westward one ship in sight it being Sunday and fine weather the men laying about decks nothing to do the middle and latter part light winds so ends these 24 hours

Lat 39.36° N

Long 31.59° W