

Saturday 6th Capt Jones Master
Sea Breeze of New Bedford

This day comes with light airs and variable standing by the wind on different tacks at 7 Bell the wind light from the S.E. the ship heading S.W. the middle and latter part the wind light from the N.W. by W steering round S by E saw the Island of Vischers bearing distant 35 miles so ends this day

Lat 2.02 S
Long 152.40 E

Sunday 7th

This day comes with light winds from the N.W. kept off S.E. the weather squally at 5 Bell the Island of Vischers bearing N.W. distant 25 miles the ship under all sail with topmast sheeting sail set William Johnson still in irons the middle part strong winds and rain the wind from S.W. at daylight the wind from N.W. steering S.E. at 6 Bell hauled to the S.E. the wind to the S.W. and variable the Island of Vischers in sight bearing S by E distant 25 miles at 10 Bell saw the island of Vischers the S.E. Island so ends this day

No observations

Monday 8th

This day comes with thick rainy weather the wind from S.W. steering S.E. at 3 Bell the wind hauled to the S.W. standing by the wind S by S at 5 Bell double reefed the fore topsail and back in the light sails the weather thick and rainy at 7 hauled up the mainsail at 8 Bell double reefed the main topsail the weather thick and rainy the latter part the wind from the S.W. steering S.E. so ends this day

Lat 3.18 S
Long 154.00 E

Tuesday 9th

This day comes with strong winds from the S.W. standing by the wind S.E. at 1 Bell saw a shoal of sperm whales on our weather bow at 2 lowered 3 Baiting the whale going quick gave up the chase at 4.30 returned on board without success tacked ship to the N.W. the weather thick and squally took in the light sails and double reefed the fore topsail and furled the mainsail the wind from South the middle and latter part light winds and rain squalls standing on different tacks so ends

Lat 3.20 S
Long 152.40 E

Wednesday 10th

This day comes with light winds from the South standing by the wind on different tacks at sundown took in the light sails and hauled up the mainsail the Island of Vischers still in sight bearing S by E distant 25 miles the weather thick and squally at 7 Bell Edward Johnson punished for mutinous conduct towards the capt the middle and latter part standing on different tacks the wind from the S and squally so ends these 24 hours

Lat 3.08 S
Long 154.00 E

Thursday 11th

This day comes with strong winds from the S.W. standing on different tacks the weather squally the middle and latter part the day the wind and weather much the same so ends

Orisese Island

Friday 12th

This day comes with light winds from the S.E. standing on different tacks at sundown Orisese Island distant 30 miles bearing N.W. the middle and latter part the wind S.W. steering S.E. by S so ends