

Wednesday 1st gear of our last 18th ^{month}

This celebrated day of our independence passed with fine weather and hard work and harder luck. The Robert Edward on our lee and the John of Blaw on the weather bound to Injall toward the harbor boat and caught a turtle and had a turtle sea fee for super all well and so end the day

Thursday 2nd

This day commences with fine weather and Steer S S E for Injall in company with the Robert Edward all well and so end the day

Friday 3rd

This day commences with fine weather and runs in at Injall and discharged 140 Sperm and 8 Blackbird and took in 100 bird papeteris and 50 of various and run out just as the Edwards got in saw the B. Cow going out and we had discharged 140 Sperm and had one man off the fore top sail gear all well and so end the day

It commences with fine weather and wind N E saw St. George Graciosa and Seceira and sent a boat ashore at St. George but did not take any kept away S E at night for the Cape de Verde all well Sunday 4th Strong winds on the quarter steering S E saw

the Islands of St. Michael and Farnigas or stubs and two sails on the wind larboard tack about all well

Monday 5th Strong winds on the L quarter steering S E saw a sail steering the wind had a row with the ab near about all well and so end the day

Thursday 8th Strong winds on the quarter steering S S E all well and so end the day

Thursday 12th Friday 13th Strong winds from the S E saw two sails painted my boat one man off into shell steering for the Cape de Verde steering S W by S

Saturday 14th and Sunday 15th are the same and nothing in sight

Monday 16th light winds and course the same nothing in sight Tuesday 17th light winds the same saw white water just night and run for it - loaded aboard at 4th and so end the day

Wednesday 18th the same as above

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