

Bark Daniel Webster. Cruising

Remarks on Board Friday Sept. 12th

Comes in with moderate breezes from the E. and cloudy weather. Ship steering S. W. with all sail out. Nothing in sight all day but backs in the P. M. fresh breezes. Put out Popie's boat, ready for painting.

Lat. 30.51 S.

Saturday Sept. 13th

Comes in with fresh breezes from E. and cloudy weather. Ship steering S. W. by W. with all sail out cruising. Saw nothing but fins backs. Painted Mr. Popie's boat.

Lat. 32.42 Long. 43 00 W.

Sunday Sept. 14th

Comes in with fresh breezes from the E. and fine weather. Ship steering S. W. by W. with all sail out. Saw two of the fin backs and a few birds also some very small Portulaca man of War. Water Blue.

Lat. 33.50 S.

Monday Sept. 15th

Comes in with fresh breezes from the E. and clear weather. Ship steering N. E. W. with all sail out. Saw several sail steering by the wind to the N. E. One to the S. E. Saw fin backs and one piece of fresh squid. At sundown took in sail and by to the wind heading S. set Boat's crew watches.

Lat 34.40 S. Long. 49.50 W.

Tuesday Sept. 16th

Comes in with fresh breezes from the E. and squally weather. Ship steering W. with all sail out cruising. Saw throughout day several fin backs. Water rather green all day. but nothing in it. At night took in sail and sounded without bottom.

Lat 35.39 S. Long. 57.40 W.

in the South Atlantic Ocean in 1879

Remarks on Board Wednesday Sept. 17th

Comes in with squally weather and rain with light breezes from S. W. Ship steering W. with all sail out cruising. Mid part cabin - one sail in sight bound S. W. at night took in sail and sounded - no bottom. Lat. 35.46 S.

Thursday Sept. 18th

Comes in with light airs from W. and calm weather. Ship by the with all sail but mainsail cruising to the N. W. Mainsail on deck undergoing repairs. Saw through the day Grampuses and a school of skipjack - Water Green but could see nothing in it.

Lat. 36.03 S. Long. 52.25 W.

Friday Sept. 19th

All day light winds from the N. and fine pleasant weather. Ship in the A. M. standing to the N. E. W. with all sail out. Saw two sail standing to the E. - Water Green all day - at 12 m. tacked to the E.

Lat 36.12 S. Long. 53.22 W.

Saturday Sept. 20th

All day fresh breezes from the S. and fine pleasant weather. Ship steering N. E. W. for Montevideo under easy sail. All hands employed in washing ship &c. Saw in the P. M. several schools of porpoises and many birds and two sail at 6 kept ship off N. W. by W. W. for Flores the wind S. S. E.

Lat 36.05 S. Long. 53.45 W.

Sunday Sept. 21th

Comes in with moderate breezes from the E. At 11 last night raised the light of Modano bearing N. by W. Not knowing the light hauled by the wind to the N. E. and at A. M. raised the light of Cape St. Maria. At daylight kept ship off for Montevideo. Saw two steamers.