

4 Ship George of New Bedford; Capt. Hammon
middle & latter parts fine & clear, running for Terceira
at 7 took in sail & tacked off shore at 1 a m wore ship
and stood for the land at day light made sail saw a
number of fishing boats, so ends this day fine weather but
but cold

Monday July 4th 1836

Commences with fine and pleasant weather the watch
below causing off Terceira, at 9 am wore ship and stood
to the Eastward, broke back skin so ends this day running to
the Eastward

Tuesday July 5th

Commences with clear & cool weather set the fly & 1/2
& mainsail all hands employed in ships duty, at 4 pm wore
ship for the land, double reefed the topsails then set
below at 4 AM made sail Terceira in sight, the watch
employed in ships duty, so ends this day fine weather
saw a school of blackfish &c Steer N.W.

31 days out

Wednesday July 6th

Commences with fine weather at 2 P.M. the Islands of
Terceira, St. Georges, & Graciosa in sight light winds & c
steering N.W. caught a porpoise at 7 P.M. took in sail the
middle and and latter parts clear and fine at daylight
made sail the watch employed in duty saw grampuses
a sail in sight so ends this day fine weather off
Graciosa

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Thursday July 7th

Commences with fine weather all hands employed & c
at 4 P.M. stood for the land saw a fishing boat from the
shore at 5 P.M. tacked off & at 6 took in sail the watch below
at daylight made sail and stood for Fayal, at 6 am
saw a sail at 1/2 past 9 spoke her, the *Emeline* of Salem
no oil bound to Coast of Africa so ends this day fine

Friday July 8th

Commences with good whale weather but more mist
at 1 P.M. saw a ship standing out from the land
at 3 P.M. saw 2 sails off the lee bow standing N.E.
at 6 P.M. double reefed the topsails, tacked off

3 Cruising off the Western Islands, July, 1836
shore, heading to the North and Eastward Fayal bearing
East South East distant 80 miles, middle and latter
parts fine at day light made sail and wore ship for the
land at 10 am 1/2 sail in sight so ends this day
Good weather

Saturday July 9th

Commences with good weather saw a number of sail
all hands employed in ships duty, at 2 P.M. the
Exchange signals with the Ship George Porter at 5
spoke her, no oil at 7 took in sail, grampuses & c
cruising off Fayal, at daylight made sail no land
in sight steering N.E. at 7 the watch below, so ends
this day with fine weather

Sunday July 10th

Commences with fine weather the islands of Diego
Rico St. George & Terceira in sight, all hands employed
in washing & c at 5 P.M. the George Porter bound
into Fayal, at 6 double reefed the topsails & hoisted
the main sail at 7 the watch below at 8 P.M. wore
ship, to E.S.E. at daylight made sail at 9 am the
sail & land in sight so ends this day fine breeze

36 days out

Monday July 11th

Commences with fine breeze from E.S.E. ran past
Graciosa nothing in sight at 7 P.M. double reefed
the topsails, steering by the wind, heading E. by S.
at 8 P.M. wore ship & c at daylight made sail
to Eastward nothing in sight so ends this day with
a fine sailing breeze Steering East by South

Tuesday July 12th

Commences with fine breeze and a cloudy sky, no whales
to be seen, the watch employed in duty, at 1 P.M. took
in sail at 11 AM wore ship to the North West, at 2 P.M.
wore to the Eastward at daylight made sail, squared
the yards and ran for St. Michaels, saw grampuses
so ends this day fine weather

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