17th Passed Isle of White early in the morning. Pilot left with letters off the Bell of Portland, some very sick. 15th 90 miles S of Scilly. Weather rather rough. Lots of water came over. 20th 120 miles S of Cape Clear. Fine day, heavy swell, ducks got loose had a hurt. Lots of porpoises & gulls in sight. Vessel rolled very much. Lots of people sick.

21st Vessel rolled very much when at breakfast the whole table was cleared and some things broken, running down coast of Portugal. Ducks got loose had a hurt. 22nd & 23rd Ship in sight, one with mast carried away. Fine day, going well.

24th Heavy gale during night could not sleep. Off of Gibraltar went on deck. Got drenched from head to foot by a sea. About 1 ft of water in our cabin.

25th Pig died, thrown overboard, saw a shark eat it.

26th Service in the morning, passed a ship, off Canary Isles.

27th Weather fine, getting warm. Played at quoits. Barque in sight, fine rainbow, got a line & hook & fished seaweed up.

28th Heavy rain in night, very warm & throbbey. Drank lime juice, splendid sunset.

29th 5 sails in sight. Hot, played at quoits. One of the passengers canary got loose but was caught again.

30th Weather very sultry. Whales seen lots of black fish about. We are now 1600 miles from Deal no wind sea calm.

31st Warm weather, rains a little. Getting into trade winds.

Feb 1st Very hot, Lat. 25 Long. 38. Had a concert in evening turned out well.

2nd Fine breeze going on fine. Servant in the morning. Saw lots of Portuguese men of war about (a sort of jellyfish).

3rd Travelled 205 miles in 24 hrs. Good wind. Sheep died, threw overboard.

Lots of flying fish about. Mother...