

Tuesday 28th A rainy day could not go on deck but the
Gentlemen were trying with lines for Cape Pigeon &
we were employed in trying for Cord Cotton Wines
ours Only Mr. P. caught one they are beautiful birds
with white breasts & dark bodies but the wings are spotted
with black I think they are better flying than I remember
for their wings inside are so beautifully marked & are
distinctly seen in flying The ship does not march for there
is very little wind

Wednesday 29th I had a dreadfully restless night for the
ship rolled & pitched a great deal & it was turned
besides which always occasions a great noise A
number of Cape Pigeons were caught today & George got
two which he has not skinned & if we could send them
home without expense they would be valued for their
wings that is to cold he is trying to keep ourselves

warm I suppose it is going to the extreme of heat has
been in last week We are not far from the Cape now the
Capt did hope to be at the Island of St. Lucia by
this noon but the wind is so light I fear we cannot there
placed ourselves in the dining Saloon but he had worked in the
Cabin Saloon

Thursday 30th Still going very slowly I went on deck to day but
none of the other ladies went at the time I was walking
one of the Cabin passengers passed up & down with a Paper
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paper just before me so I took up my bag & went down the
deck making about that I did not like my appearance
the rules of the ship I certainly should not behave whilst
such conduct was going on All the gentlemen heard me
& were quite glad I said it In the evening the Capt had
a bad headache & whilst I was giving him some Florida
water in a handkerchief I told him of my fault finding &
he said he was quite pleased I did it I really think it