

but fortunately found it all right.
 Oct. 13th Very light breezes with calms
 we have this day and yesterday one day
 of 48 hours long to ^{the} our day the same
 as the day in England having gained
 a day by our voyage round the world
 14th Light winds and calms all the
 morning. towards evening the wind
 came from the N. E. heading N. N. W.
 with a nice breeze we are hoping
 that they are the N. E. trades.
 three homeward bound vessels in sight
 a number of porpoises playing
 about the ship
 15th Fine breeze from the N. heading
 W. N. W. no doubt these are the N. E.
 trade winds. four vessels in sight. we are
 calculating upon arriving in London

in about 25 days
 16th Strong breeze from the N. E. heading
 N. by W. took in royals at six o'clock
 P. M. a big one of the vessels we saw
 yesterday still in sight ahead of us
 17th Strong winds from the N. E.
 heading from N. by W. to N. N. W.
 took in fore top-gallant sail 4 o'clock
 P. M. single reefed topsails. a boat
 of the Cape Verde islands. passed
 the big in the night.
 18th Strong winds a nasty head sea
 on heading the same as yesterday
 set-gaff topsail and fore top-gallant
 sail in the afternoon. sighted a
 small ~~the~~ schooner outwards bound
 19th Fresh winds N. E. by E heading
 N. N. W.