

Sunday Sept 23-60

The first part of these 24 hours strong winds to a little thick & cloudy & we commenced the Contest till about 10 P.M. then we hauled back till morning to the contest. Middle part strong breeze & we were under short sail. Latter part strong winds & some raining to thick & several sails in sight & c.

Monday Sept 24-60

The first part of these 24 hours strong breeze & we made sail & several sails in sight the contest. One at 4 P.M. we raised anchor at 7 P.M. we hauled the light sails & hauled up the foresail & layed it to windward of the land & c. Middle part very good weather & we saw one or two ships past us & c. Latter part pleasant with a good breeze from the west & our course is nearly west & we made sail and commenced working for fogel & several sails in sight & 3, 4 islands & c.

Tuesday Sept 25-60

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant with a good breeze & we were & are now beating up to fogel & several sails in sight & we had all sail set & still have it set to the contest. Middle part pleasant & we had all sail set & we were trying to get to fogel Contest. Latter part pleasant with a light breeze & we got into fogel about 10 A.M. Contest. & several others were lying off & on here & c.

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Wednesday September 26-60

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant with a light breeze & we are lying off & on fogel & several others. Middle part commenced with a calm but it did not last long before it breezed up. & then it commenced blowing strong with clouds

We leave the Western Ground & are bound South

& we were lying off & on fogel & several others. Latter part good weather again & we were lying off & on fogel & several others. & c.

Thursday Sept 27-60

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant with a light breeze & we are lying off & on fogel & several others. & c. from Thursday up to now has been one thing lying off & on fogel & it has been good weather all the while & left evening we left port & we are now bound to the Cape de Verde & the South

Monday October 7-60

The first part of these 24 hours strong breeze & we were gambling with the schooner John Brown till about 2 P.M. then the captain went on board & we made sail again we are bound South & c. one sail in sight. Middle part good weather with a light breeze & a little raining by spells. & we are making a passage to the Cape. Latter part pleasant with a light breeze & one sail in sight & our men have been employed at ship duties & c.

Tuesday October 8-60

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant with a light breeze & a little raining by spells & the wind rather baffling & we have all sail set bound South & c. Middle part some squally with rain & we hauled the light sails. Latter part good weather with a light breeze & we made all sail again & we raised a sail twice. The Gov. Cozer of west port 28 months out & we jammed her.

Wednesday October 9-60

The first part of these 24 hours pleasant with a light breeze & we were gambling with the bark Gov. Cozer. Middle part squally with rain & we had all sail set. Latter part pleasant with a light breeze & we had all sail set bound South for the Cape de Verde & c. Men have been employed at ship duties & c.