

Bark Catalpa Bound to the Southward in September 1856

71 Monday September 1.
Commences with pleasant weather and a strong wind
steering S by E Middle part strong wind Latter part
the same So ends these 24 hours
Latitude 33° 08' Long 25° 45' W

72 Tuesday September 2
Commences with pleasant weather and a strong wind
at sundown Double Reefed the topsails Middle part
equally Latter part the same So ends
Latitude 31° 42' Long 26° 11' W

73 Wednesday September 3
Commences with pleasant weather Course steering S by E at
sundown hee off S by W one sail insight Middle part
pleasant at daylight Commenced breaking out
the fore hold and covering Bred so ends
Latitude 29° 29' Long 23° 59' W

74 Thursday September 4
Commences with pleasant weather Employed
in stowing down Middle part pleasant
Latter part the same Employed in stowing
down and others small jobs So ends
Latitude Long

75 Friday September 5
Commences with pleasant weather Employed
in ships duty Middle part pleasant Course S by W
Middle Latter part the same one sail insight
Employed in setting up the fore Riggings So ends
Latitude 29° 29' Long 24° 05'

76 Saturday September 6
Commences with pleasant weather Employed in setting
up Riggings one sail insight Middle part pleasant
Latter part the same Employed in setting the Riggings
and it finished So ends these 24 hours
Latitude 24° 45' Long 26° 23' W

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Sunday September 7

Commences with pleasant weather Course S by E
Middle part pleasant Latter pleasant Employed in
Ships duty So ends these 24 hours
Latitude 22° 39' Long 26° 41' West

78 Monday September 8
Commences with pleasant weather Course steering
S by E Middle part pleasant Course steering S by E
at daylight sent up the fore topmast studding sail
Bred the match Employed in bending the studding sail
Latter part pleasant So ends
Latitude 20° 05' Long 25° 19' West

79 Tuesday September 9
Commences with pleasant weather Course
S by E Employed in ships duty Middle pleasant
took in the fore topmast studding sail and
fore top gullant sail and fly jib and hauled
up the sparker Latter part thick foggy weather
one sail insight set the fore topmast studding sail
So ends these 24 hours
Latitude 17° 32' Long 25° 12' West

80 Wednesday September 10
Commences with thick weather Course S by W
Employed in ships duty at 3 P.M. made the Island of
St. Antonio one of the Cape Verde Islands at sundown Double
Reefed the topsails at 5 more off shore Middle part
more ship and stood inshore Latter part strong
Breeze Employed in Breaking out Bred one
sail insight So ends these 24 hours
~~Latitude 14° 05' Long 24° 05' West~~

81 Thursday September 11
Commences with a strong Breeze steering
S by W the sail still insight Middle part
equally Latter part Calm Employed
in ships duty So ends these 24 hours
Latitude Long