

Wednesday Dec 25th 1878.

First part light air from the N. steering S. Middle part squally. Latter part cloudy with a light breeze from the E.
Three merchantmen in sight.

No Observation.

Thursday Dec 26th

First part light air from the East and cloudy, steering S. Middle & latter part mild S.E. and light. Steering by the wind on Port tack.

Lat. 4° 35' N. Long 22° W.

Friday Dec 27th

First part light air from the S.E. by the wind on Port tack. Middle & latter part light air & calm.

Lat. 4° 23' N. Long 22° 24' W.

Saturday Dec 28th

First part light air from the S.E. by the wind on Port tack. Middle & latter part calm & light air.

Lat. 4° 15' N. Long 22° 40' W.

Sunday Dec 29th

First part light variable winds & calm. Middle & latter part light air from the S.E. steering by the wind on Port tack.

Lat. 4° 10' N. Long 23° 14' W.

Monday Dec 31st

First part light air from the S.E. with squalls of rain & ice, the wind on Port tack. Middle & latter part light breeze from the S.E.

Lat. 3° 8' N. Long 23° 48' W.

Tuesday Dec 31st 1878.

First part light breeze from the S.E. steering by the wind on Port tack. Middle & latter part light air from the S.

Lat. 2° 30'

Wednesday Jan 1st 1879.

First part light variable winds & rain. Middle part wind South now around on Starboard tack. Latter part wind the same with squalls of rain.

Lat. 2° 57' N. Long 24° 35' W.

Thursday Jan 2nd

First part light air from the South on Starboard tack by the wind. Middle part wind around on Port tack at 4 o'clock P.M. Latter part cloudy & squally. in Observation.

Friday Jan 3rd

First part light breeze from the S.S.W. on Starboard tack by the wind. Middle part wind S. take a ship. Latter part wind S. S. W. again, more calm.

Lat. 2° 18' N. Long 25° 14' W.

Saturday Jan 4th

First part light breeze from the S.S.W. on Starboard tack. Middle part variable winds & calm. Latter part calm.

One merchantman in sight.

Lat. 2° 44' N. Long 24° 37'