

The Ship Cleomatis from New London 1837

Wednesday June 14 At 9 AM got under way and stood ~~out~~ through the race down towards Montauk So ~~cast~~ thick fog and ~~no~~ ~~se~~ ~~ends~~

Thursday June 15th Begins with thick fog and Rainy at two the Pilot left us and we proceeded to sea at 3 PM. Montauk Point bore west 3 leagues from which I took my departure several sails in sight middle part clear the latter part the same so ends no obs

Friday June 16 Begins with light breezes from the southward and clear the middle part squally at one PM took in the 1st gallant sails & single reef the fore and mizen topsails all hands employed in rigging the Boats at 5 made all sail the wind SW bore sails in sight so ends

Saturday June 17 Begins ship with light breezes from the Southward and clear ~~the~~ light winds and cloudy the latter part fresh breezes from the N West steering 6 by South saw a school of blackfish two ships in sight so ends

Sunday June 18 Begins with strong winds and cloudy at 3 AM took in the fore standing sail at 4 PM took in the flying jib and fore Studd the middle part pleasant and latter part pleasant at 6 AM set the fore and topmast Studding sails so ends

Monday June 19 Fine breezes and clear wether all these 24 saw a ship steering the same way with a black ball in her fore topsail so ends

Tuesday June 20 Begins with strong breezes and cloudy at 3 PM took in the fore studding sail and flying jib & mizen topgall sail at 7 PM took in the fore Studding sail and fore and main top gallant sails & Double reef the topsails heavy squalls and Rain at 11 AM took in the

Towards the Western Islands Joseph Ball

Fore and Mizen Topsails called all hands and fired the main so ends the Wind S S West.

Wednesday June 21 Lat. Lon by Chron 60.49 Begins strong gales and cloudy at 3 PM set the foresail at 10 PM set the fore and mizen topsails the latter part pleasant the Wind S S West so ends 40.9

Thursday June 22 Lat. Lon by Chron 57.30 Begins with strong gales and rainy wether the latter part light winds and cloudy so ends the Wind to the Westward steering south East by South so ends Lat Obs 40.36 Lon by Chron 55.06

Friday June 23 Begins with light winds and cloudy the wind from the S West the middle part pleasant and cloudy the latter part clear the wind to the Westward Lat by obs 39.59 Lon by Chron 53.2

Saturday June 24 Still these 24 light breezes and clear at 11 AM shifted the Studding sails over on the larboard side at 9 saw a school of Grampuses Westerly winds so ends Lat Obs Lon Obs

Sunday June 25 Begins with light breezes and clear wether the middle part clear the latter part fresh breezes and cloudy saw a school of Grampuses the Calladonia still in sight the wind from the Westward so ends Lat by obs 39.26 Lon by Chron 52.9

Monday June 26 Begins this day fine breezes from the west the Calladonia in company the middle part strong breezes the latter part the same so ends

Tuesday June 27 These twenty four hours begins with light breezes the middle part strong breezes and took in the fore & mizen topsails the latter part the same so ends

Wednesday June 28 Begins this day with strong breezes and squally at 3 PM cleared up the fore and mizen topsails the middle pleasant the latter part the same the wind to the Westward one sail in sight so ends