

Ship Gov Group Homeward Bound

Remarks of the 2nd Mch 3rd / 1853

These 24 hours light breeze from S.W.
A.M. steering N.W. & P.M. steering
N.E. finished bundling the board
& worked ship at 2 P.M. spoke the ship
Chactemague, French, from Kriegerang
bound to Cumambuco lat 10° 31' long 34° 10'

Thursday Mch 3rd
These 24 hours moderate breeze from
S.W. steering N.W. set a main top
mast stay sail employed in rotting down
topmast rigging saw one sail lat 14° 24'

Friday April 1st
These 24 hours light breeze from East
steering N.W. & employed in patching down
& fitting rigging saw nothing lat 12° 59' long 34° 30'

Saturday April 2nd
These 24 hours fresh breeze from East
steering N.W. employed in fitting rigging
finished rotting down broke out both water &
moulds & port hold saw 2 sails lat 11° 03'

Sunday April 3rd
Fresh breeze from S.W. A.M. steering
N.W. & P.M. steering N.W. lat 8° 55'

Monday April 4th
Fresh breeze from S.W. A.M. steering
N.W. & P.M. steering N.W. lat 8° 55'

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Remarks of the 5th April 5th

Light breeze from Eastward with
squalls of rain & calm employed
in fitting the rigging saw nothing
lat 3° 55' long 34° 30'

Tuesday April 6th
Light breeze from S.W. with
squalls of rain saw nothing

Wednesday April 7th
Light breeze from N.W. heading
N.W. employed in fitting rigging
lat 00° 20' South
long 34° 30' West

Thursday April 8th
Light breeze from N.W. heading
N.W. employed in fitting rigging
at 10 P.M. raised a school of black fish
around & point boat got two took them
along side & hoisted them in placed fore
about 6 P.M. lat 3° 55' North long 34° 30' West

Friday April 9th
Fresh breeze from N.W. heading N.W.
A.M. broke sail & employed in mending the black
P.M. port hold lat 1° 40' N long 36° 30'

Saturday April 10th
Strong N.E. trades steering N.W. & P.M.
took in flying jib. saw 3 mizen top gall
sails saw a ship steering S.W.
lat 3° 23' long 38° 00'

Sunday April 11th
Strong trade from N.W. steering N.W.
all watch employed in tarring the
blackfish & tarring again the rigging
tarring sails lat 0° 42' long 39° 00'