

Bark Alfred Gibbs towards Malacahano.

Remarks Sunday March 24th 1872
Began with a Gale from S.E. heading E under
close reefed main top sail & stay sails. At 4 P
No wind ship to the S by No. Latter part
like a Gale. Saw the bark Carnelia.

Lat 36-23 Long 74-47

Remarks Monday March 25th
Began with a Gale from the S. heading to the Eastward
under close reef. Saw two merchant vessels.
Latter part moderate from S. at 7 A.M. made sail
for Malacahano. Saw the bark Marcela. at 11 A
No made the Land.

Lat 36-33 Long 73-34

Remarks Tuesday March 26th
Began with light breezes from the S. steering
E by N for Malacahano. at 2 1/2 P.M. the wind
died away, and came from the N. at 6 the
passage into the Bay Dist-6 miles. Came on
a thick fog. Backed off shore and shortened
sail. at 4 P.M. got the anchor off and bent the chains.
Lat part moderate breezes from the N. at 6 A.M. the
breeze cleared off some wore ship. and made sail
and steered in for the passage. at noon passed
Point bearing E by S 1/2 S Dist-15 miles.

Lat 36-31 Long 73-23

Remarks Wednesday March 27th
Began with light air from the N. steering in
for the passage. at 4 P.M. S.E. by S Dist-3
miles, the wind died out. lowered the boats
and began to tow toward the ship through the
south passage and at 8 P.M. came to anchor
inside of Quiriquina in 10 1/2 fathoms of water.
all right, but it was a hard pull for it.
At 8 A.M. took the anchor in a thick fog and a
light air from the N. at 10 1/2 came to anchor at
Malacahano in 4 fathoms of water.

Bark Alfred Gibbs towards Juan, Bermudez.

Remarks Thursday May 2nd 1872
Moderate breezes from S.W. all day trying to get the
crew on board. at 3 P.M. accomplished it. at 3 1/2
took the anchor and started on a cruise, after waiting
18 days for a crew. Such a time was never known
at Malacahano to get a crew. All the ship were in the
same fix. at dark passed the reef in the south
passage. wind very light. Murphy is gone, Oth. how
I miss him. And the has left many things behind
him. four pair of stockings. one of his coats.
a box of cuffs, &c. I wish I was going
home to.

Remarks Friday May 3rd 1872

Began with light air from the S.W.
trying to get up sailing. At 4 P.M. wind
came out to the N.W. (over) Land Dist-10
miles. heading N.W. No obs

Remarks Saturday May 4th

Began with fresh breezes from N.W.
heading W.S.W. at 3 P.M. lost sight
of the land. at 3 1/2 took in top sail
sails. at 4 began to rain. Double reefed
the top sails. Latter part moderate breezes
from S.E. course W by N.

Lat 36-18 Long 74-42

Remarks Sunday May 5th

Began with moderate breezes from S.E.
and a heavy S.W. swell. course W by N
saw Pin B. S. at. Latter part fresh breezes
from N.W. heading S.W. by W.

Lat 36-05 Long 75-09

Remarks Monday May 6th

Began with strong winds from the N.W.
under double reefs. It has the appearance of a stiff
norther. Although I shape mat. at 5 1/2 P.M. close reefed.
Latter part veered S.W.