

Bark Mabel Homeward bound

1881 Friday Feb 25th This day Comes in with very light wind from all round the compass the Bark steering to the westward saw one vessel Ends with Calm
Lat 32° 33' S Long 41° 31' E

Saturday Feb 26th Comes in with good weather and moderate breeze from the N.E. & the Bark steering N.W. by W. one vessel in sight steering same course. Saw Grampuses and porpoises
Lat 32° 25' S Long 40° 25' E

Sunday Feb 27th These twenty four hours moderate winds from the North veering to the Westward at 2 P.M. wind shifted to the South Wore ship and steered W. N. W. Nothing seen.
No obs.

Monday Feb 28th Comes in with moderate S.E. winds the Bark steering N. by E. Middle and latter part much the same Saw nothing of the fish kind. One vessel in sight steering same course
Lat 32° 49' S Long 35° 05' E

Tuesday March 1st Comes in with good weather and fine wholseal breeze from East steering W. by N. one vessel in sight Saw 2 Spouts and steered for them no good
Lat 33° 11' S Long 32° 20'

Wednesday March 2nd Comes in with fine weather and moderate breeze from N.E. the Bark steering W. by N. Two vessels in sight steering same course. Ends with light breeze Saw Blk fish
Lat 33° 40' S Long 30° 25' E

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1881 Thursday March 3rd Comes in with good weather and light air from E. to N.E. Middle part rainy. latter part thick fog. 3 vessels in sight. Sent a boat on board the English Ship Cape Clear of Liverpool, bound to London. 56 days from Scringapattam. Scringapattam
Lat 33° 50' S Long 29° 46' E

Friday March 4th This day Comes in with moderate breeze from S.E. & W. The Bark steering W. by N. Several vessels in sight working to the Westward. latter part rainy and squally at daylight saw the land Cape St Francis
Lat 33° 40' S Long 27° 00'

Saturday March 5th This day good weather and moderate breeze from East the Bark steering W. N. W. Middle and latter part much the same Saw nothing of the fish kind 3 vessels in sight and land all along shore
Lat 34° 41' S Long 24° 44' E

Sunday March 6th Comes in with good weather and moderate breeze from S.E. course W. N. W. Ends with light winds Saw the land Killers and one finback
Lat 34° 59' S Long 22° 10'

Monday March 7th This day fine weather and fresh breezes from E. S. E. the Bark steering W. N. W. Middle and latter part much the same one Bark and one steamer in sight Cape Angelas bearing North 20 miles dist
Lat 35° 01' S Long 19° 53'

Tuesday March 8th Comes in with good weather and strong breeze from S.E. steering N. W. by N. Middle and latter part Comma fish Saw one vessel steering same course

Lat 33° 30' S Long 15° 35' E.