

Bark Mabel Homeward bound

1881. Wednesday March 9th This day comes in with fresh breeze from S.E. steering N.N.W. Middle and latter part more Moderate. Saw nothing of importance.
Lat 31° 42' Long 12° 22' E

Thursday March 10 Comes in with moderate breeze from S.E. the Bark steering N.N.W. Middle and latter part much the same. Saw nothing.
Lat 29° 03' Long 10° 11' E

Friday March 11th These twenty four hours steady trade winds and fine weather. The Bark steering N.W. by N. Saw nothing of importance.
Lat 27° 43' Long 7° 48' E

Saturday March 12th Comes in with good weather and light trade winds steering N.W. by N. one vessel in sight steering to the N.W. Ends with light rain squalls.
Lat 26° 46' Long 5° 53'

Sunday March 13th First part good breeze and light rain squalls. The course N.W. by W. Middle and latter part much the same. Saw nothing of importance.
Lat 25° 22' Long 4° 15' E

Monday March 14th This day good weather and moderate trade winds the Bark steering W.N.W. Middle and latter part light trade winds, one vessel in sight.
Lat 24° 09' Long 02° 35' E

Tuesday March 15th Comes in with good weather and. Continues so through the twenty four hours one vessel in sight. Employed painting the Cabin.
Lat 22° 42' Long 1° 04' E

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1881. Wednesday March 16th Comes in with good weather and moderate breeze from S.E. the Bark steering N.W. by N. Middle part rain squalls. Saw nothing.
The Capt. Sick
Lat 21° 20' Long 1° 11' W

Thursday March 17th These twenty four hours fine weather and moderate breeze from S.E. steering N.N.W. Saw nothing. Ends with good weather.
Lat 19° 38' Long 2° 56' W

Friday March 18th This day fine weather and light trades. The course N.N.W. Middle and latter part much the same. Saw nothing. Employed rattling down the masts and rigging.
Lat 18° 08' Long 4° 43' W

Saturday March 19th This day fine weather and moderate trade winds the Bark steering N. Middle part about the same. At daylight saw the Island of St Helena bearing N.N.E. at 2 P.M. raised Whales going slow. lowered the three boats, boats and struck to the Mates and 3rd Mates boat. the 3 Mates saved his whale. The Mates whale run and sounded was fast about 3 hours and drew the iron. The Centre of the Island bearing N 18 miles.

Sunday March 20th This day fine weather and moderate breeze from the E.S.E. The Bark standing to the South employed boiling. The Island bearing about E.S.E. about 14 miles dist.

