

Banyue Matilda Sears On a Passage

October 15th

Thought this day fresh breeze and clear weather from the East Ship heading S all sail set - Employed sitting up hamm and mizen stays
Lat 22-58
Long 22-31

Thursday October 16th

Thought this day a fresh breeze from the E Ship heading to the S all sail set Crew employed in the rigging got out provisions
Lat 21-11
Long 22-35

Friday October 17th

Fine weather from the North and E with a fresh breeze all sail set Crew employed in the rigging
Lat 19-58
Long 22-53

Saturday October 18th

Thought this day fine weather from the N+E at seven AM set the light sails and hauled up the courses at daylight made all sail Employed sitting for topsail lifts
Lat 18-27
Long 22-18

Sunday October 19

Comes in with fine weather from the N+E Ship heading to S+W at seven PM took in the light sails and hauled aback ship heading NW at daylight made sail and steered to the W at 24 PM rose the Island of Santa Vista steered in for the land saw a large ship on the North end of the Island bore up for her to give assistance thought she needed some to left of to SW

South from Payal 1873

Monday October 20

Thought this day a fresh breeze from the N+E at 12 PM got observations found the Chronometer thirty five miles E at five AM rose the Isle of May at eight took in the light sails and hauled aback heading to the E at daylight made sail and run past the the Island of May and at eleven went into the harbor of Port Prion the Capt went on shore to ends this day lying of Port Prion

Tuesday October 21st

Thought this day a fresh breeze and smoky weather from the N+E at five AM the Capt. came on board made sail and steered to S+E at five PM commenced to brake out in the after between decks, to sea flow
Lat 12-53
Long 22-20

Wednesday October 22

Fine weather from the E Ship heading to S+E all sail set Employed in the hole finished in the after between decks brook out a but full of water from the Ground tier
Lat 10-50
Long 21-37

Thursday October 23rd

First and middle part light breeze from the E later part baffling with rain squalls Ship heading S+E Broke out the top Chest dell out clothing to the men that we got at
Lat 8-19
Long 21-10
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