

Ship Montpelier Bound to the Indian Ocean
November the 1st 1819

Begins cloudy and some rain with a fine breeze from E steering S by E at 6 P.M. wind hauls to E & E took in fine and main topgallant studding sails and steeled South middle and latter part light winds and calm thus ends 2 sails in sight Lat by Obs 1-9

November 2nd

Begins calm after watch employed in ship's duty middle and latter part much the same thus ends 2 sails in sight Lat by Obs 2-6

November the 3rd

Begins calm the watch employed in ship's duty middle part much the same concludes with a light breeze from E steering S by W 2 sails in sight Lat by Obs 3-10

Sunday November the 4th

Begins with a light breeze from E steering S by W middle part calm at 5 A.M. took a breeze in a squall from E ends with a fine breeze steering S thus ends 3 sails in sight one boat down chasing Blackfish Lat by Obs 4-28

Monday November the 5th

These 24 hours commences with a light breeze from E S by E and squally and some rain 6 sails in sight two of them showing French colors and one Belgian middle part squally concludes strong wind from the southwest and eastward ship heading to the S and W 11 sails in sight Lat by Obs 5-38

Tuesday November the 6th

Commences cloudy weather with a strong breeze and squally and plenty of rain middle part much the same concludes a fine breeze from S by E ship laying S by W 4 sails in sight Lat by Obs 6-32

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Wednesday November the 7th

These 24 hours commences with pleasant weather and a fine breeze from S by E ship laying S by W at 4 P.M. spoke the Brig Topshik Elisa of Boston 8 days from Cape Verde Islands Bound to Port-au-Prince with a cargo of salt middle part pleasant and light winds ends much the same in company with the Topshik Elisa one other sail in sight Lat by Obs 7-32

Thursday November the 8th

First part of these 24 hours pleasant and a fine breeze from S by E ship heading S by W middle part much the same concludes fine weather heading S by W by S 2 sails in sight Lat by Obs 8-2 miles S by W Long 29-08

Friday November the 9th

Begins pleasant light trade winds laying up S by W by S middle and latter part strong wind at 11 A.M. saw a school of Blackfish lowered one boat did not get fast thus ends two sails in sight Lat by Obs 9-01

Sunday November the 10th

These 24 hours commences strong trade winds ship laying S by W carrying all sail at 4 P.M. took in the main Royal middle and latter part much the same as the first thus ends one sail in sight Lat by Obs 10-36 Long by Chronometer 30-18

Monday November the 11th

These 24 hours commences strong trade winds ship heading S by W carrying all sail middle and latter part much the same thus ends two sails in sight Lat by Obs 11-32 Long

Tuesday November the 12th

Begins pleasant weather and strong trade winds ship laying S by W middle part much the same ends 3 sails in sight Lat 12-18 Long 31-34