

Ship Montpelier on the Coast of Brazil 1842

Wednesday March the 23rd

Commences with ^{light}trails and fine pleasant weather steering in for the Land. All hands employed in making out for Water larks Middle part lashed and netted to keep close to the Land towards daylight equally with a plenty of rain, at 7 A.M. made out the Is. Grand Baie N.W. Dist 18 Mls thus ends.

Lat by Obs 23.15

Thursday March the 24th

Commences with light trails and fine pleasant weather steering in for the Is. of Yboré, saw one Steam Boat standing to the North, at sunset let go anchor in 7 fathoms Water, latter part light airs and calm employed in Wattering and Blacking Rims, thus ends.

Friday March the 25th

Commences with light airs and calms at 11 A.M. part 1 P.M. came a long side with a raft of Water, employed in twisting in the Water and Blacking Rims, the Captain on shore trading for Fruit. Middle part burst 2 men, latter part fine weather, employed stowing down Water, thus ends.

Saturday March the 26th

Commences with light airs at 8 A.M. finished stowing down at 12 part 4 took the anchor and stood out to sea, with light airs at South, Middle and latter part light winds and fine pleasant weather, one sail in sight, employed ~~at~~ are heaving chains and stowing Anchors, thus ends. Lat by Obs 23.58. Long by Obs 42.44 W

Sunday March the 27th

Commences with light trails and fine pleasant weather, Middle and latter part fresh trails and fine weather steered South saw several Hump Backs, thus ends. Lat by Obs 26.24. Long by Obs 44.10 W

Monday March the 28th

All there 24 hours moderate winds at S.W. and fine weather heading S.E. saw Nothing, employed in Ships duty, thus ends.

Lat by Obs 27.13. Long by Obs 43.10 W

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Tuesday March the 29th

Commences with strong breezes at S.W. and fine pleasant weather headed to the S.E. Middle and latter part much the same. latter part headed to the W at 10 part 7 signalized with a Brazilian Brig, steering N.E. employed in Ships duty, thus ends.

Lat by Obs 27.44. Long by Obs 42.44 W

Wednesday March the 30th

Commences with light winds at South and fine pleasant weather headed W.S.W. Middle and latter part light winds at S.E. headed S.W. saw 2 sail steering to the N.E. employed in Ships duty thus ends.

Lat by Obs 27.57. Long by Obs 43.37 W

Thursday March the 31st

Commences with light winds at S.E. and fine pleasant weather heading to the S.W. Middle and latter part light airs and calms, one sail in sight, at 7 P.M. unheated the Main Topsail and commenced repairing it, thus ends.

Lat by Obs 28.20. Long by Obs 44.07 W

Friday April the 1st

Commences with light airs and calms, heading to the S.W. at 5 P.M. finished the Main Topsail and bent it, Middle and latter part moderate breezes at S.W. and fine pleasant weather steered S.W. employed in Ships duty thus ends.

Lat by Obs 28.51. Long by Obs 44.57 W

Saturday April the 2nd

Commences with light breezes at N.E. and fine pleasant weather Middle and latter part light breezes, steered S.W. saw several droghs, they proved to be Frigates, employed in Ships duty thus ends.

Lat by Obs 30.05. Long by Obs 46.25 W

Long by Obs 46.31 W