

Ship Montpelier in the South Atlantic Ocean 1842

Tuesday April the 26th

Commences with strong gales at N. and thick rainy weather Ship under double reefed Fore and Main Topsails and Fore sail steering S. E. by E. Middle part more moderate the wind at W. carrying all forward sail. Latter part light winds and fine pleasant weather. all sail set steering S. E. by E. one sail in sight employed in Ships duty thus ends

Lat by Obs 36.12 Long by Chron 2.30 E

Wednesday April the 27th

Commences with light airs and calms Middle and Latter part brisk breezes at N. E. and squally weather carrying all forward sail steering S. E. by E. one sail in sight employed in Ships duty. thus ends

Lat by Obs 36.37 Long by Obs 5.46 E

Thursday April the 28th

Commences with a fine breeze at N. E. and pleasant weather Middle and Latter part the same. Latter part pleasant gales at N. W. and clear weather steering S. E. by E. saw one sail employed in Ships duty thus ends

Lat by Obs 36.58 Long by Chron 8.14 E

Friday April the 29th

First and Middle part strong gales at N. W. and fine pleasant carrying all forward sail steering S. E. by E. Latter part the same at N. W. and heavy squalls with sharp lightnings the rain and hail fell in torrents the Ship under a close reefed Main Top sail and Fore sail steering S. E. by E. thus ends

Lat by Obs 37.08 Long by Chron 12.10 E

Saturday April the 30th

Commences with strong gales at N. W. and heavy squalls with rain Middle part the same Ship under a close reefed Main Top sail and Fore sail steering S. E. by E. Latter part more moderate made all forward sail steering S. E. by E. employed in Ships duty thus ends

Lat by Obs 36.44 Long by Chron 16.16 E

Ship Montpelier in the Indian Ocean 1842

Sunday May the 1st

First and Middle part strong winds at W and N. W. squally weather steering S. E. by E. carrying all forward sail. Middle part quite moderate and overcast weather thus ends

Lat by Obs 36.47 Long by Obs 18.48 E

Monday May the 2nd

Commences with moderate winds at N. W. and fine pleasant weather steering S. E. by E. saw one sail at 3 P.M. caught a Porpoise. Middle and Latter part a brisk breeze steering S. E. by E. all sail set at 11 A.M. spoke the Ship ~~Belvidere~~ Belvidere of Belfast, from Liverpool bound to Bombay, employed in Ships duty thus ends

Lat by Obs 36.46 Long by Chron

Tuesday May the 3rd

All these 24 hours brisk winds at N. W. First and Middle parts fine pleasant weather. Latter squally carrying all forward sail steering S. E. by E. employed in carrying the full and fore Toppers Star sail. thus ends

Lat by Obs 35.05 Long by Obs 23.57 E

Wednesday May the 4th

Commences with brisk winds at N. W. and overcast weather Middle part the same. Latter part strong winds and squally carrying all forward sail steering S. E. by E. saw nothing employed in Ships duty thus ends

Lat by Obs 36.29 Long by Obs 37.30 E by Chron 27.15 E

Thursday May the 5th

All these 24 hours strong winds at N. W. and squally carrying all forward sail. ~~steering~~ S. saw one Fin Back employed in Ships duty thus ends. Lat by Obs 35.09 Long by Chron 31.01 E

Friday May the 6th

All these 24 hours light winds and variable from W to S. E. and fine pleasant weather making to the E. saw many Fin Backs employed in Ships duty thus ends

Lat by Obs 33.36 Long by Obs 36.08 E Long by Chron 37.09 E