

Days out
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Thursday March 11.

Stationed watch on board
at 3 P.M. sent a boat for potatoes and at
5 P.M. had 50 lb on board.

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Friday March 12

All hands on board
getting off potatoes at 12 noon we had 50 lb on
board. At 7 P.M. James Jones came on board
in a row. Ship ready for sea.

Saturday March 13.

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At daylight here shot macaws and
took anchor and stood out of the harbor
with seven other ships with light land
breeze and three boats ahead towing ship.
Saw a part of the harbor then below
Tomas the day.

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Sunday March 14.

These 24 hours commenced with light
easterly breeze steering N.W. and later
part light air and calms ship
sailing along the North end of Cuba.

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Monday March 15.

These 24 hours commenced
with light N.W. breeze at 8 P.M. took a squall
from N.W. we put ship under close reef
for a mizen top sails and furled the
other sails on a morning moderate
and made all sail heading from N.E. to
N. At 12 noon running along N. side of Cuba
Left by 12.12.17.

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Tuesday March 16. 1851

At 11 hours 24 hours moderate breeze from
N.E. steering from N.W. to N. along the
N. side of Cuba. Light breeze ship
board laid off and on at daylight made
all sail with easy breeze running
towards the anchorage ground and
at 12 noon took up anchor on shore.

Wednesday March 17.

These 24 hours very light and variable
winds. At 4 P.M. came to anchor in 22 fathoms
water some ten miles from shore ahead
of the city. At 11 P.M. fire shot and lost
the sails and so we went to anchor laying
off and on the shore shipping.

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Thursday March 18.

This day commenced
with fine breeze running from N.W. and on shore
at 3 P.M. Capt. came on board from
Cuba. Middle part calms and variable
shipper seen from the ship. The day was
fair weather.

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Friday March 19.

These 24 hours first part light west wind breeze
middle and later part calms and a plenty
of rain steering from N.W. to N.E.
James Jones the man that came on board in
row acknowledged that he was wrong and
if past offences would be dropped he would go
to his duty. His mind was taken off and he
has gone to his duty.

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Saturday March 20.
Sailing off and on Cuba Capt. on shore
some ten miles from shore.