

Bound Eastward 1853

Friday Aug 12th

Begins with light winds from N.E. and pleasant weather. Steered N.W. middle part Calm at day light light breezes from N.W. Steered N.E. by N. one sail light Steering N.E. saw some Grampians Lat 33 24 Long 41 00

Saturday Aug 13th

Begins with light winds from the N.W. and fine weather Steered N.E. by N. without the fore top sail to have repairs at 4 PM finished and bent it at sunset Squally middle part light air from the North inclining Eastward at 7 PM the wind shifted to the S.E. in a squall Steered N.E. later part Calm Lat 34 06 Long 41 24

Sunday Aug 14th

First part Calm middle part much the same latter part light winds from the West inclining Northward one sail in sight Steering N.E. Lat 34 30 Long 41 09

Monday Aug 15th

Begins with fine breezes from N.W. Steered N.E. middle part much the same at 6 PM strong breezes took in the fore top gallant sail and Steered N.E. one sail in sight Lat 35 01 Long 39 11

Tuesday Aug 16th

Begins with strong breezes from the West and some cloudy weather Steered N.W. at 4 PM saw Blackfish at 7 PM in sail and shifted to heading to the North middle part strong breezes from the West and passing clouds at 8 Steered N.E. saw 20 sails Steering N.E. Ends with strong gales and squally Lat 35 54 Long 37 54

Wednesday Aug 17th

Begins with strong gales from the West inclining Southward Steered N.E. by Compass middle part squally later part strong breezes from the West and one sail in sight Bound Eastward Lat 36 20 Long 36 20

Thursday Aug 18th

All this day moderate gales from the N.E. and passing clouds headed E by N sails in sight Bound Eastward middle and latter part squally Lat 38 36 Long 32 35

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Friday Aug 19th

All this day moderate gales from the North and squally Steered E by N sails in sight Steering Eastward at day light saw some Grampians Steering E by N did not see any Grampians Steered N.E. by N sails in sight Steering in for the land latter part some squally heading in for the South part of the

Saturday Aug 20th

Begins with moderate gales from the North Steered along the South part of the Bay saw the St. Michael's & later lot recruiting Middle part squally at 8 PM went on shore to get some recruits to the End

Sunday Aug 21st

All this day moderate gales from the North squally one water strong on liberty saw the Bay of St. Michael's Bound home with clouds of Passengers

Monday Aug 22nd

All this day light winds from the West and foggy and some squall of rain got off Recruits and Lightly 100 of water

Tuesday Aug 23rd

Begins with light winds from the N.W. and high weather spoke the Richard of Providence at 5 PM sent the other water on shore on liberty got a half of water

Wednesday Aug 24th

Begins with light winds from the North and variable at 5 PM the men came off made sail Steered East middle part strong breezes from the North inclining Westward Steered on the Wind to the N.W. at 8 PM strong breezes from the N.W. and cloudy headed N.W. Ends with strong breezes and passing clouds Lat 39 54 Long 30 00

Thursday Aug 25th

All these 24 hours strong breezes from the N.W. and passing clouds Steered E by N at sunset close reefed the main top sail at day light made all sails set & made a good start Bound E by Compass Lat 39 25