

On the Charleston Ground

Tuesday May 9th

All this day moderate gale from the North and fine weather at 5 P.M. lowered the boats for Exercise might part light air and Calms sailed out the blackfish

Lat 32 50 Long 71 57

Wednesday May 10th

Begins with light winds from the North Steered N.W. at sunset shortened sail on the part Calm at day light fine breeze from the S.E. made sail and steered to the S.W. three sails in sight this day turned the Steward forward he being unfit for his office

Thursday May 11th

All this day moderate gale and passing clouds steered to the South & West

Lat 32 13

Friday May 12th

All this day strong breezes from the East and passing clouds about the new fore top sail & jib and bent the old ones at 11 in meridian saw blackfish one schooner in sight steering South west ship to the N.W. Lat 30 48

Saturday May 13th

Begins with strong breezes from the East and fine cloudy steered N.W. lowered reefed top sails several sails in sight from North

Sunday May 14th

All this day light from the N.E. and foggy steered to the S.W. at 6 P.M. the white hall to the west might part heavy rain wind increasing southerly

Lat 31 50 Long 72 00

Monday May 15th

Begins with light winds from the S.E. and foggy steered N.E. under double reefes saw May sail schooner steering S.W. might part light winds from the S.E. and thick steered East later part strong breezes and some cloudy saw 2 grampas

Lat 32 19 Long 74 50

Bound Eastward

Tuesday May 16th

Begins with strong breezes from the S.E. and passing clouds steered East at sunset took in the main sail and reefed the top sail middle part cloudy at day light made sail saw 2 ships steered North East with light winds and fine weather

Lat 32 40 Long 69 30

Wednesday May 17th

Begins with light winds from the S.E. and passing clouds steered East took off the new fore sail and flying jib and bent the old ones at 6 saw blackfish lowered the boats got nothing middle part light air from the S.E. and some cloudy steered East later much the same saw 2 ships steering N.W.

Lat 32 59 Long 69 00

Thursday May 18th

Begins with light air from the S.E. steered East sent up the flag at yards saw grampas middle and later part much the same three sails in sight at head coming up with them fog

Lat 33 49 Long 68

Friday May 19th

All this day light winds from the South & East and fine weather saw 2 ships squid

Saturday May 20th

All this day light air from the South & East and fine weather at 6 A.M. saw blackfish lowered got the three sails in sight

Lat 34 03 Long 67 00

Sunday May 21st

Begins with light air from the S.E. and fine weather steered East middle and later part light winds from the N.W. and fine steered East two sails in sight steering East

Lat 34 08 Long

Monday May 22nd

All this day light winds from the S.E. and fine weather steered East at 8 P.M. sails in sight steering the same course lowered out the black

Lat 34 12

Tuesday May 23rd

All this day light air from the S.E. and fine weather steered N.E. 4 sails in sight

Lat 34 32