

1857, Ship Petrel Mr J Tucker
Monday 25th

25th Bine wind S E a S con 15 all sail
set, fair wind & clear skies bound
to see friends & relations, middle part
fine, latter part do fitting digging &
horse head guys & stays, painted mizen
top sail & crossjack yards

Lat. 00.20 North

Tuesday 26th Long 38.30
26th Bine wind light from S E & S S E
all sail set set up, main top mast
stay, & turned up back stays, some
new lanyard & middle part fine
latter do turned in & set up, top
mast back stays & painting cabin
& cleared wheel

Lat. 1.58 North

Wednesday 27th Long 37.14
27th Bine wind from N E to S E con 16/15
all sail set fitting digging, painted
wheel, cabin & middle part fine
latter do fitting & painting cabin

Lat. 3.37

got Lanan Thursday 28th Long 35.47
28th Bine wind & con 15/14 by 15 all sail
set fitting tarring & painting painted
cabin middle part fine, strong trades
latter do tarring & painting aloft
fitting &c

Lat 5.44

Friday 29th Long 41.15
29th Bine wind 16/14 & 16/15 all sail
fitting digging, painting aloft
middle part fine, latter do fitting
painting spars & shrouds under pipe
& make a set of battens stuff

Lat 7.53

Sat 48.00 Long 43.25

1857, Passage Home Saturday 30th May 1857

30th Bine strong trade con 16/14 by 15 all sail
painted main, top & by your. sheets lies
set up mizen digging, strong tides &
digging, want a petty coat, middle part
pleasant, latter do fitting digging painting
spars &c

Lat 10.00

Sunday 31st Long 46.12
31st. Strong trade steady & pleasant con
16/14 by 15 all sail set fitting digging
painting spars top sail sheet lies &
fine & pleasant, middle part fine latter
do all sail set

Lat 12.33

Long 48.20

Monday 1st June
1st. Bine good trades con 15/14 by 15 all sail
set driving on chasing skirts &
middle part fine latter do fitting washing
house &c

Lat 15.03

Tuesday 2nd Long 50.20
2nd. Bine wind & con 15/14 by 15 all sail
set washing & fitting ship at & con
15/14 & 15/14, middle part fine latter do
und & S. E. painting house & tarring
down & painting

Lat 17.08

Long 52.14

Wednesday 3rd
3rd. Bine wind & & S. E. & S. E. all sail set
painting binnacle house &c, want some
ore & love turned up top mast back
stays middle part fine, latter do painting
tarring &c bare Gulf Head for the first
time painting out side washing, do
shipping of battens &c