

Ship Robt Edwards at Malcasuamo

Monday 19 of February 1839

Light airs from N and N.W. got off 2 tubs of water and stowed them away

Tuesday 20 Light breeze and pleasant the S watch on liberty the watch on board being sail to

Wednesday 21 Fresh Gale from S.W. and pleasant S watch on liberty sundry jobs on board

Thursday 22 Light winds and pleasant the S watch on liberty took off 4 tubs of potatoes some onions &c

Friday 23 Light Gale from S.W. the S watch on liberty took off ~~potatoes~~ some sand

Saturday 24 Gentle Gale from S.W. and pleasant

Sunday 25 fine weather all hands on board engaged moving the old woman to conception shipped two hanks in place of Gunn and Carpenter who have deserted

Monday 26 Light winds from North and calm at ready for sea

Tuesday 27 Light winds from N all hands on board and ready for sea

Friday 1 of March Commencing with a fresh wind from N and rainy much and latter part from S.W. and pleasant at 5 A.M. got under way and stood out of the bay at 8 A.M. passed the N Point of Diquiquina steered off N.W.

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Saturday 2 of March 1839

First part strong winds from S.W. course N.W. under double reefed topsails latter part more moderate made sail saw a Bird Steering N.W. by E

Sunday 3 Lat 52.14 Long 74 30 West

Commencing with a strong wind from S.W. and clear steering N.W. made and latter part the same Lat by Obs 50.14 South Long by Chron 75.10 West

Monday 4

First part wind from south and very good at 3 P.M. saw whales however but got mangled latter part mending main Boat course N.W. by N Lat 28.58 South Long by Chron 74 33 West

Tuesday 5

First part strong winds from S.W. latter part wind light & weather fine course N.W. mending N Boat Lat 26.36 S Long 74 30 West

Wednesday 6

These 24 hours strong winds from South & pleasant course N.W. Lat by Obs 25.14

Thursday 7

These 24 hours strong Gale from S and clear course N.W. Lat by Obs 21.57 Long 75 33

Friday 8 Commencing with a fine breeze and pleasant weather course N.W. made & latter part much the same making out in the left Hecla Lat by Obs 20 15 S Long by Chron 75 35 W

Saturday 9 Fine weather and light winds from the South steering N.W. but a new Robin Hoop air to Lat by Obs 18.14 S Long by Chron 75.32 W