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Remarks On Board Bark Roscoe

Tuesday Sept 7th 1847

First Part lively Sea breezes then Beated 3 Loads of Wood from the river & Landed it on the Point & set off A Live Bullock At 9 P.M. he got clear & jumped over board & got out of sight before we could get it Boat down sent 2 Boats but could not find him Later took off 2 Loads of Wood & one of Water At 10 A Strong Wind from SW & a high swell

Wednesday 8th

All these 24 hours Strong winds from South to SSE Clear weather first Part All hands Emp Stowing away Water & C Later took off 2 small loads of wood & one Bullock A Considerable Swell bearing in to the Bay

Long this Day Chro 43° 38'

Thursday 9th

First & Middle Strong gales from South to SSE Clear weather Lark Watch on Liberty Later fresh from East got off 2 Loads of Wood & one Live Bullock & C sent fore stay down striped it & filled & sent aloft Long by Chro 43° 36'

Friday 10th

First Part lively Sea Breezes fine weather got off A Boat Load of Land cleared up & got ready for Sea Later Beated off 3 Loads of Wood At 8:30 under way with A small Land Breeze At 10 Lowered for hump Backs saw a number of B Boat struck the Line Parted At 12:30 Returned on Board Sandy Island West Dist 24 miles

Saturday 11th

Commenced with lively Breezes from N.W. & veered gradually to W.W. on Diff tacks During the Afternoon At 6 Land Island bore East Dist 5 miles At 6:30 tacked to W.S. At 10 tacked in shore At 12 off small Breezes from W. At 3 A.M. lively from E.W. Steered W.W. At 7 smart Breeze At 11 halled to SSE & light Land 20 miles off plain in sight Lat 24° 34' Adv Exp 20 miles South Current

Sunday 12th

Commenced with small Breezes from Southward At 2 tacked to SE At 7 tacked to W.W. At 9 lively from SE At 10 came up the Course W.W. Later fresh from ESE & Clear

Latitude 25° 45'
Long 43° 29'

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From St. Augustines Bay towards East

Monday Sept 13th

Commenced Strong Breezes from ESE Middle & Later fresh gales with flying Clouds & A rough Sea under Double reefs Ship's head from South to SSE Latitude 27° 12' Rate has Exp some 25 miles Long 43° 46' Westerly Current

Tuesday 14th

All these 24 hours Strong trade Winds from East flying Clouds Steered by the wind to SSE under Single reefs Later on bent main & g sail to mend

Lat Obs 28° 24' Long At 10 A.M. Chro 44° 44'

Wednesday 15th

First and Middle Part Strong breezes from East to ESE under Single reefs to S Eastward Later more moderate At 9 A.M. tacked Ship to N.E. turned out reefs & set 3 g sails

Latitude Obs 29° 27' Long At 9:30 A.M. 44° 39'

Thursday 16th

First and Middle fresh Breezes from SE flying Clouds Steered by the wind to ESE Later Strong & Equally from ESE to East Latitude Obs 28° 21' first Part saw 2 Sail Steering Long At 2 P.M. 45° 36' to Westward Later saw one

Friday 17th

All these 24 hours Strong Breezes from East to ESE At 1 P.M. tacked to SE At 12 Middle to SE under 10 reefs Ends Equally saw A Brig Bound Westward A bad Sea leaving from SE Lat Obs 28° 33' Long At 2:20 P.M. 46° 50'

Saturday 18th

All these 24 hours Strong Breezes from ESE to East Steered to SE Eastward by the Wind under Single reefs At 3 A.M. tacked to SE At 9 A.M. tacked to N.W. saw finbacks Latitude Obs 28° 00' Long At Noon 46° 48'

Sunday 19th

First fresh Breezes from ESE At 1 tacked to SE Later lively from N.E. under all sail South Eastward fine weather Lat 28° 13' Long Noon 48° 15'