

Ship St. Peter off the point of Mayhew Branch

Sunday May 9th 1852

Light and S.E. & pleasant Lat 33 53 20

Monday May 10
Light and calm Eagle & St. Joseph's Isles in sight Lat 54 53 35

Tuesday May 11
Fresh breeze S.W. by the wind S.E. Lat 55 4

Wednesday May 12
Fresh trades S.E. to S.W. by the wind S.W. 5.54

Thursday May 13
Comes in the same Lat 7.15 53 40

Friday May 14
Fresh trades S.E. & S.W. by the wind S.W. Lat 8.6 51 36

Saturday May 15th
First frost comes in the same (Wind squally from S.W. reached S.E. at daylight thick squally weather with very appearance of an approaching gale at 9 double reefed the top at 9 gale increasing with an ugly sea hauled jib & main sail fore & my top & foresail secured the boats & made other preparation for a hurricane at 12 blowing rather violently took in the close reefed the top they were then under bare poles

Sunday May 16th
The storm continued to rage till about 3 P.M. & then began to decrease the wind came in the S.W. & moved gradually to W. & round to S.E. when it died away to a double reefed top breeze mild lightning through the night with some thunder. The lowest the mercury fell in the barometer was 29.5

Monday May 17th
Latter part strong breeze from E. under double reef top steering S.W.

Tuesday May 18th
Strong trades E.S.E. steering W by S till 10 o'clock then S.W. N. No sun the bottom on the Lead Branch & kept off S.W. & bent new foresail Lat 10.8 Long 59 25

Wednesday May 19th
Fresh gales E.S.E. steering S.W. & S Lat 11 17 48.30

Thursday May 20th
Fresh gales E.S.E. & squally more ship to S.E. under short sail repaired foretop & saw a sail no other

Ship Ship St. Peter off the Casimiroles & Alacra?

Thurs May 20th 1852

Strong trades E.S.E. & squally at daylight. Sailed for the Casimiroles in sight Lat 9 35 Long 67 30

Friday May 21
Comes in the same 2 boats went on shore at Roman's Fols found 6 natives here from the Dyakht catching turtle at 5 returned with 3 green turtle

Saturday May 22
Strong trades S.E. with an ugly sea hauled jib & main sail one sail & land in sight Lat 9.6 47 27

Sunday May 23
Strong breeze, standing by the wind S.W. under double reefed top

Monday May 24
More moderate but squally at 10 sailed for the Alacra?

Tuesday May 25
Lat 9.31 46 30

Light wind & pleasant at 5 P.M. boat went ashore at Assumption for turtle (Mid & Lateral when current set the ship out sight of the Fols at 12 Sailed E by S 35 miles

Wednesday May 26
Fine breeze W steered for the Fols at sunset the Fols not in sight at daylight Fols bore S 10 miles Lat 9 41

Thursday May 27
Wind S.W. trying to work up to the Fols but didn't gain any at 5 boat returned with 2 turtles found two men on this Fols collecting turtle at 12 Sailed for the Fols bore S 10 miles

Friday May 28
Light wind by the wind S.E. with strong current at W Lat 11.6

Saturday May 29
Fresh breeze with squalls of rain Gloube Fols 1 Lat 11 29 46.55

Sunday May 30
Light wind S.W. to S.E. with light shower rain Lat 11 13 46 40

Monday May 31st
Light breeze from S.E. to S.W. steering S.W. by W one sail astern Lat 11.10 45 40

Tuesday June 1st
First frost light wind & breezy the Fols in sight Lat 11 22 45

Wednesday June 2nd
Latter pleasant strong current at W Lat 11 22 45

Thursday June 3rd
Strong trades S.W. by E by the wind S.W. at 12 P.M. S.E. point of former bore S.W. 21 miles

Friday June 4th
Wind the same trying to beat up to the harbour