

Ship St. Peter in the Mozambique Channel

Tuesday June 14th 1852

First part strong breeze & at sunset 1/4 point of North
la here 9 1/2 m. tacked to E at 12 up with 1/4 point
tacked off 3/4 & then back again at 8 A.M. came to anchor
in 18 fathoms water found the blarice fresh Richmond &
Gornet's here the Cathwood & Elsie Dunbar arrived after
it remained here till the 15th cooped some oil in
the main hatch recruited to it then a gale or rain
most of the time while here wind mostly from S

Tuesday June 15th

Strong breeze & rainy at 6 hours up the anchor &
put to sea

Wednesday June 16

Fresh breeze at 2 P.M. tacked to E at 6 tacked to W
mid passed to windward of Mochila

Thursday June 17th

Strong trades & squally could reef top tacked to SE by S

Friday June 18th 12 50 42 30

Came in the same at 10 P.M. tacked to W by S

Saturday June 19

Strong trades heading W to W by S at daylight land in
sight at 8 tacked S by E at 12 tacked to S by W 13 36

Sunday June 20th

Strong trades at 8 tacked S by E at 12 tacked S by W 14 11

Monday June 21st

Strong trades at 5 1/2 entered. Lornach Belasco bay & bay
too west of the night at daylight strong breeze W by N worked
up to the anchorage at 9 came to anchor in 11 fathoms
water

Tuesday June 22

First part all hands empty bending new sails later
part working to

Wednesday June 23

Some weather employed mending to

Thursday June 24th

Some weather all hands working

Friday June 25

This 24 hours the same ~~light~~ boat taking for fowls & one
up the bay to cut strong at 5 put to sea

Saturday June 26

Fresh breeze S to S by W & fine weather working up the
Coast

Lat 15 49 41 34

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Tuesday June 27th 1852

Light winds & pleasant S to S by E working to the S

Monday June 28 Lat 16 49 41 4

Wind & weather much the same standing to W

Tuesday June 29

Came in the same gaining slowly to wind

Wednesday 30

Wind light from S to S by W Lat 19 37 37 30

Thursday July 1st

Light winds & little squally S to S by W & calm Lat 19 46 37 13

Friday July 2

This 24 h. about the same Lat 20 17 37 15

Saturday July 3

Light winds S to S by W working to the S

Sunday July 4th

This 24 h. about the same Letter saw the Bazaruta
Lat 21 36 Long 35 50

Monday July 5th

Light air & calm from S to W by N by the wind S, one or two
showers of rain land in sight Lat 22 2 36 8

Tuesday July 6

Light winds S to S by E & pleasant land in sight 23 10

Wednesday 7

Light breeze S to S by E & pleasant land standing
fast & set them Lat 24 43 36 25

Thursday July 8th

Light breeze S to S by E & pleasant land

Friday July 9th

Fresh breeze S to S by E & pleasant land shifted to W & came light
ning all about the horizon at 8 double reefed top & latter gale
increased handed Jib & main sail fore & my top
Lat 29 16 35 26

Saturday July 10

Gale of wind W being to at 4 P.M. shipped a sea carried
away W boat with all belonging to her stove gale
saw a brig steering E.N.E. Sunday July 11

Sunday July 11

More moderate latter set single reefed top & courses at
13 tacked to S by W a brig in sight steering the same
Lat 29 57 36 30