

Journal on Board Bark

Tuesday August 17th

These 24 hours come in with a moderate trade wind and quite clear weather. Ship steering by the wind under all sail. The watch employed at painting Boat on the House and Breaking out Sugar. Middle part the same. Nothing in sight. Latter part the same. So ends the day.

Wednesday August 18th

These 24 hours come in with a light trade wind and smoky weather. Ship steering by the wind under all sail. The watch employed at shaping Blocks &c. Middle part the same. Nothing in sight. Latter part the same. Set the Royals. So ends the day.

Thursday August 19th

These 24 hours come in with a light trade wind and smoky weather. Ship steering close Haul. Westward. The watch employed at looking in the rigging. Middle part saw several black fish. Latter part the same. Caught some fish. So ends the day. (Capt. Sick) Friday August 20th

These 24 hours come in with a moderate trade wind and thick smoky weather. Ship steering by the wind tack and tack. The watch employed at shaping and trying pots. Middle part saw a Bark & steamed cutting in. Latter part the same. Caught some fish. So ends the day.

Saturday August 21st

These 24 hours come in with a strong breeze from the South. Ship steering by the wind & Westward. The watch employed at looking about decks &c. Middle part the same. Saw some squid. Latter part the same. Tacked. Ship steered.

Sunday August 22nd

These 24 hours come in with a strong breeze from the South. Ship steering close Haul by the wind & Westward. Middle part the same. Saw porpoises in sight. Latter part the same. So ends the day.

Sea Ranger on The Coast of Africa

Monday August 23rd

These 24 hours come in with a light breeze from the South. Ship steering by the wind tack and tack one sail in sight. The watch employed at Haver. Hauling the fore top sail lifts. Middle part the same. Latter part another sail in sight. Mr. Miguel off duty. Sick. So ends the day.

Tuesday August 24th

These 24 hours come in with a light breeze from the South. Ship steering by the wind. The watch employed at minding Sparker and gaff top sail aloft. Middle part the same. Two sails in sight. Latter part the same. Capt. taken sick and Mr. Miguel off duty. Sick. So ends the day.

Wednesday August 25th

These 24 hours come in with a light breeze from the South. Ship steering close by the wind. The watch employed at looking about decks. Middle part the same. Latter part the same. All on duty. So ends the day.

Thursday August 26th

These 24 hours come in with a light breeze from the South. Ship steering by the wind. Saw the Bark, platina and the King's. The former with her Boat. Middle part saw the Bark coming. The wind and our Boats Boat with out success. Latter part Boats came on Board. So ends the day.

Friday August 27th

These 24 hours come in with a light breeze from South. Ship by the wind. Two sails in sight. Middle part the same. Watch looking. Middle part the same. Latter part took a sail. So ends the day.

Saturday August 28th

These 24 hours come in with a moderate breeze from the South. Ship steering by the wind. The watch employed at Breaking out Sugar. Middle part the same. One sail in sight. Latter part the same. Nothing in sight. So ends the day.