

Barge Brunett towards Saint Helena  
Sunday April 5<sup>th</sup> 1833  
fine breeze from the Eastward all hands  
employed in seeing nothing in  
sight from the mast head,  
so ends these 24 hours

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> commenced with fine weather wind from  
the Northward all hands employed in  
boiling at 3 P.M. took a heavy squall from  
the S.W. over down the works; at 4 lighted  
up, set the works a going again; one of the  
fore top mast stays parted, had another to get aloft  
in the scrape; middle & latter part strong  
winds & a high sea; at 10 in the evening homed  
at 12 o'clock moderated some kept E.S.E. wind;  
from South to S.W. Lat by obs 28° 11' S  
Long by Chron 82° 27' W

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> light breeze from the Southward steering  
E.S.E. as a course; at 1 P.M. finished boiling washed  
the decks & let our watch go below; spliced  
out up the fore top mast stay; latter part wind  
light breeze all parts of the Compass Cooper  
employed in getting cables & getting ready to show  
down; at noon tacked ship headed up E by N  
so ends,  
Lat by obs 28° 35' S  
Long Chron 82° 27' W

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> light air from the Northward & cloudy  
Barge heading E by N all hands employed  
in showing down spent 100; saw one shoal  
of Pickles so ends  
Lat in 28° 18' S  
Long in 82° 18' W

Thursday April 6<sup>th</sup> 1833  
E. N. E. wind Master  
light breeze from the N.W. Barge heading to  
the Eastward at 3 P.M. finished showing down  
& washed off the decks; after breakfast set  
the fore topgallant yard down fitted the rigging  
and mended the sail; saw lots of Porpoises from  
the mast head at noon tacked ship headed up  
S. E. by E so ends these 24 hours,  
Lat in 28° 08' S  
Long in 82° 07' W

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> light breeze from the E. Barge heading up  
S. E. by E; at 2 P.M. set the topgallant yard aloft  
& took in the evening tacked to the N.W. at 1 P.M.  
tacked back again; after breakfast got up the fly jil  
latter part the watch employed in mending it,  
Lat in 28° 00' S  
Long in 82° 02' W

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> commenced with fresh breeze from the  
N. E. Barge heading N.W. tacked & retacked several  
times middle & latter part strong winds & rugged  
had the last top sail & topgallant sails; at noon called  
the watch and single reefed the topsails,  
so ends,  
Lat in 27° 37' S  
Long 82° 35' W

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> first part strong wind from the N.W. Barge  
heading up E. E. by N; at 9 in the evening moderated  
made all sail; at 2 P.M. tacked to the N.W. at 8 o'clock  
raised a breach off the harbour's bow could not ascertain  
what kind of a one it was; at noon tacked again  
headed up E. S. E., so ends these 24 hours  
Lat by obs 27° 18' S  
Long in 82° 18' W