

Saint Eustatius May. 1779

Monday 10th at 9 AM weighed & came to sail wth a fleet ¹⁶ sail dutch Ships under convoy of a dutch man of War of 54th Capt. Renswaer Comm^r. who has promised us protection so long as we keep with him at abt 8 am. abreast of St. Martin's the Fleet all a Stern except 4 Commodore

Tuesday 11th @ 2 PM Anguilla bore SE 6 E - 21 miles distant being in Lat. 18° 17' N. Long 62° 13' W. from whence we take our departure for Samba Island at 4 Entrance into Halifax being in Lat. 44° 32' N. Long. 63° 20'

Course	dist.	N.	S.	E.	W.
NNE	14	12.9	..	5.4	
N6E	46	45.1		9.0	
NW6W	21	11.7			17.5

X Lat N - 69.7 14.4 17.5
14.4

allow 10th Lee way.
true Course N. 84 W.
dist. . 72 miles
X Lat. 69.7 N
dep. W. 17.4 W
Lat 40th 19.27 N

Lat. Ob. 19° 43' N

Course N 14 W
dist. . 89 miles
X Lat. . 86 miles N
Dep. . 22 miles W
Lat Ob. 19° 43' N
Mer. dist 22 miles W
Long. made 00° 22' W
Long. in . 62° 35' W

At Sea - 1779

Wednesday May. 12. - alt. 86° 56' 13 semi dia - alt.

Course	dist	N	S	E	W
N	31	31	..	..	..
N6E	48	47.1		9.4	

X Lat N. 78.1 . 9.4 dep. E

87-9 true alt -
90

2.51 Zen. dist
18.9 decl:
3 daily Var.

21:3 Lat N. -

Course . . N 7° E
dist. miles . 81
X Lat 78.1 . 80 miles
Dep. E . . . 9.9 miles
Lat. Ob. . . . 21.3' N.
Mer. dist . . 12 miles W
Long. made . 00° 16' E
Long. in . . 62° 25' W

Nothing Remarkable in 24 hours -
Fair Weather - except now & then
a rain Squall - Fleet all together

Thursday May 13. -

Course	dist	N	S	E	W
N6W	17	16.7	..	..	3.3
N	29	29			
N6E	47	46.1		9.2	

X Lat N. 91.8 9.2
3.3
Course N 2° E . 5.9 dep E

dist. . . 81 miles
true X Lat N. . 81 miles
Dep. E . . 4.2 miles
Lat Ob. . . 22° 24' N
Mer. dist . . 8 miles W
Long. made 0° 14' E
Long. in . 62° 21' W

alt. 85° 40'
semi dia - 12

allow'd 1 point
for Lee Way -

86.2

90

3.58 Zen. dist
18.23 decl.
3 daily Var

22:24 Lat N.

Nothing Remarkable in 24 hours
Weather continues to be pleasant -
The fleet all together