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Sighted Cape Verde Islands and St Pauls

Scarcely becalmed on the line

Suffered little from heat or cold - only went to 39 half degrees south

No serious illness

Mr Spencer the Superintendant Surgeon read prayers every Sunday when weather permitted

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256 souls arrived in excellent health on a remarkably clean ship well commanded and manned by a fine crew

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