

Left Rio Negro
Sept 19 1888

Came to Laguna Luffan
about two leagues and very
thick with monty could
scarcely get the horses
through started again and
the 20th came to Laguna Camenna
but found it dry and had
to Cam on to Laguna
Bandaro also very thick
with monty stopped all
day on the 21 waiting on
the ship went out to the
camp to get Beef and
got it started again on
the 22 and got to the
Laguna quano Calallo
lost some mears and 4
horses that night had

to camp all day on the
23 and got lost but found
myself again but not
the lost animals so had
to stop all day on the 24th
and found the lost animals
started again on the 25th
and came on to

passed 24 Yagooons
on the track fine open
camp a distance of 6 leagues
stopped all day on the 26th
for wet weather splendid
grass but the petico got of
the soya and Barnes
Bitch Spudy got fucked
27 started again for Yagooon
Chango passed 6 leagues
and came to the Chunchos
stopped all day on the 28th

lost all the horses and
but about 20 searched
all day on the 30 and
found them started again
on the 1st Oct and came
to the Yagooon Weiro peto
stayed all day on the 2nd
and trying to catch
beef but only got one
have had to stop all day
on the 4th wet all day
started again on the 5th
and came to the last
Yagooon stopped their 1 night
started again on the 6th
for walytta but could
not reach it had to stop
where there was no water
but it rained at night
had to stop all day on the

of the last one trauped as
horses but found them again
started again on the 8th
and came in past Valgetta
about one League could not
get any stores at Valgetta
started again on the 9th
and came to Pachalta
and did not find very many
stores there either but got
a little stored there on the
10th and 11th at Umattan and

McLure went to Valgetta came
back on the 12th the Sergeant
came to inspect the horses
on the 13th and found one
without the marks that
should have been in the
year's stopped all day and

the 15th but the sheep started
started with the horses
on the 16th arrived at
Chessa all left and came
to a large stream of water
but dry in the summer
stopped there all day
on the 17th started again
on 18th and came to
Corral Chcco very bad
road with stones but a
very good camping place
stopped there all day on
the 19th went out hunting
and got one guano and
one hare and 8 Castor
eggs stopped there all day
on the 20th to rest and
animals 21 started again

and cam to the small
stream very bad track with
stones stopt only one
night ~~stayed~~ 22nd started
and cam to the big
creek and stopt one night
23 started again and cam
to the creek Wanting
stopt all day ~~with~~ ^{with} 24th
with 25th and ~~stayed~~ ^{stayed} 26th
left again on the 28 and cam
to araya verdy stopt there
all day on the 29 and 30
started again on the 31 and
cam to the sorry cañada
and stopt there close and
2 ~~men~~ went and got
Beef 3 dried the Beef
4 left and cam to the last
lagoon but not always to

see depended upon for
water but passed a nice
spring our vocanna did
not make it but the
guide with the sheep stopt
at it started from the
lagoon on the 5 and
cam to peachiloo to a
nice spring of water
and camped their came
animal tired and
had to be left but went
back and got lit to the rest
of the troop stopt there on
the 6th to rest the animals
started again on the 7 but
had not gone far when the
same animal gave in again
so we had to kill it and

arrived at Chascco the same
night a distance of 6 leagues
and found water but not
very good found better water
in a small spring a little
further down the stream
stopped there all 8th to rest
animals started again on
the 9th and came to passos
Bazwals but did not find much
water but found more about
500 hundred yards further on
went on about 2 leagues and had
a look for water and found
some on the edge of the mountains
but very little grass 10th stopped
all day at san Juan went out
hunting and got one
Ostridge and 20 eggs all
had but one 11th went

all day on the 11th doing
nothing but looking after
the animals Wm. Hopp came
to our tent some night sheep still
at rei chico had a letter from
Mcroe to get some mears that
was lost 18th Hopp left
for rei chico to start the sheep
went with him to the passos
then came back to look after
the horses

Thom Chabert

South

left Chabert on Jan 16
came to the Compañeros
stopped there one day then
got some mears and

on ahead to look for water
found another sanchon cante
dosposon 12th came on with the
animals to the sanchon stayed
there all day on the 13th left
one troupeau of manchados.
14 came to dosposon only stuff
there one night as there is
not much feed for horses
started on the traverse on
the 15th travelled all that day
and rounded the horses at night
got to the river Chuput early
on the 16th found a good
place for the animals
heard that some day that
the eye and Hoff had left
rei checa just a day or
two before we arrived at
Chuput

does belonging to Hoff
left Campamento on the 8th
came across the traverse to the
San Hills passed the pass
not much water landed at
the rei checa on the morning
of the 9th ^{6 days} traveled across
a point off the rei checa on
the 12th and 13-14-15 started again
on the 16th to cross another
point 4 days track remaining
along the foot of the ridge
17 traveled up the river side
and crossed a point about 8
to soucy solo rested there on the
18-19-20 started again on the
21 and came up the river
side about 1² passed the
frenchman on the track
stopped there 22-23 started

again on the 24 and traveled
about 3rd. The team being had in
steps for him 25-26-27-28.
29th The team better traveled
again and passed the frenchman
and camped about 1st further
up the river. 30 started in pursuit
of the frenchman and at 12
o'clock we camped at mid day
thru he passed us about
half a mil and camped
31st started behind the french
and passed him after traveling
about 2nd and left in front
of him until we camped
at mid day. thru he passed
us and camped on the other
side of the Logans we
meat there and nearly eat us
with sand flies on 1 February

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started again and passed
the frenchman and about
1st leagues further up
3rd started again and went
to the cut up for desire
camped along side the same
the frenchman was camped on
the other side very good place
to camp for a day or two
4th mist went to the
Laguna Colanappa about
3 leagues 5th doing nothing
but looking after the horses
6th went out with the
frenchman to help him to
get hay and get it
7th doing nothing but looking
after the horses

July 8th started from
the mi Chico and came about
9 Leags to a spring of water
in the valley entrance to
the rocky white cliffs on
the one side and 2 hills
on the other 9th stopped
at the spring and went
hunting but found nothing
10th started again and came
about the level ground
for about 8 Leags and
found plenty of water
all along the valley under
neath stopped at a place
called Teyee across a cut
in the ridge on the one
side and 4 hills with
plate tops on the other
11th stopped there one day

July 12th started from the
Teyee across and followed the
level camp until we came
to the point of the ridge
then we entered a deep
valley followed the valley
until it branched in
two then made strait
for a sharp point on
the ridge and found a
large Lagoon under
neath and camped
their distance 9 Leags —
13th left the Lagoon for the
dessein made a short cut
and reached the river in
a short making strait for
a sharp point of hills on
The other side of the
river distance 6 Leags —

July 14th - resting the animals
Krauss and me went away
to look for a pass but did
not find one caught some ducks
and came back to the encampment
15th - went out to get beef and
got it and came home again
16th - went away to look for a
pass but did not find one but
found where McLean and Hopp
came to the river but went
down we caught some ducks and
came home again -

17th - mending close and mending
gear and eating plenty to make
up for the most journey -

18th - went out hunting and got
one Ostragee and 2 hares -

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July

19th - started again to
go down the river to the
pass about 3 leagues -

20th - going to make a bridge
but lay off making a
start McLean went to see
where the frenchman had
passed and did not come back
for a long time and kept
us waiting. McLean came
back and we started to make
a bridge and passed the
shup that night -

21st - started and passed the
horos and went about
2 leagues and camped -

22nd - started again and came
down the river about 6 leagues

23rd - stopped for the shup to
come up river and looked for
the track -

Sheep passed us about mid day

24th Started again and came
in about 5 leagues and stopped
with the sheep that night

25th found 3 sheep killed with
lions this morning but did
not see the lion started
the march again and made

about 4 leagues and stopped
with the sheep that night
26th rested all day

27th started again and came
about 5 leagues and stopped
as the guide is a thick head
and cannot remember where
the cut of is has to go and
look for tracks

28th started again to go
to the first water but
the guide lost himself

and could not find the
horses again but the
men with the horses
did not lose the water
to the stream to the first water
and camped

29th Cannon Verdy
came on to a spring
9 leagues from the sea dabad
and camped very good place
to camp for a day or two

30th still in Cannon Verdy went
out hunting and caught one
greenaco hamilton sick guide
not come Back

31st could not start as the guide
has not come Back yet came Back
in the fore noon but to late
for a start

1st started and came about

4 leagues and camped for the night track running through the valley and up on to the hard camp two or three little hills on the left hand and two lagoons in sight on the other passed on over a piece of flat camp and up a hill with a spring at the feet and over the hill came in sight of a lagoon on the right hand passed the end of the lagoon and entered a valley and camped for the night not a very good place to camp

6th started again and came on following the valley up and over the hill and go straight through the flat camp to a gap in the ridge and camp for the

night the place is called Leon gap —
11th started again to across the trees were supposed to do it in one day but took 2 days camped one night in a valley about half way but the water is not to be depended upon stopped there on the 8th started again on the 9th and came to the Bryce barrens to a spring and camped stopped there on the 10th doing nothing but eating

11th started again from Bryce barrens came on to the high ground and there got the barrens right in our back travelling until we came in sight of a range of hills and cut

street for the point and
can see the 2 springs very
good place to camp for a
day or two stopped there on
the 12th same night of the day
started again on the 13th and can
about 3 leagues cut straight across
the valley leaving the lagoons
on our right hand and
entered a another valley
and camped for the night
started again on the 14th and
came along the high camp
making straight for the senton
hill there held down a
little to the left hand
and found a very good
place to camp for a night
guide lost him self
again but found us

further on
15th started again but the
guide does not know in
what direction the track
is so we had to go around
a good long way to get
past the stones got lost and
found a small spring and
some pasture and stopped
there the guide does not
know where he is yet
he is probably at sea and
lost — 16th had to go
on and leave the rest
camped at the small
spring went ahead about
15 leagues and found plenty
of meadow and grass all
about — 17th returned

in the after noon and found
the rest ready to march
so we started and came
about 4 leagues to a place
called yamaco gooder
very good place to camp
for any length of time
stopped there all day on the 18th
started again and came on about
6 leagues to a spring called
barall spring and camped
very good place to camp for
any length of time started
on the 20th to look for ^{Indian} ~~man~~
did not find it that day but
camped in the vacco - It foggy
but cleared up about 10 o'clock
then I started again and saw
a fire to the northward

followed the smoke and
found a native party
going north stopped with
them all night and started
again on the 22nd found
sant Julian came on to
rain and fog had to stop
there that night and all the
day of the 23rd for bad weather
started again to find the
troupe on the 24th but it came
on fog again and I got lost
so I had to camp for the rest
of the day and night 25th
traveled all day to the place
where I left the troupe and
found that they had started
so I had to camp there
that night 26th started again

and came up with the
troupe about 6 leagues from
San Julian just in the place
where I was going to stop
then finished

San Juan
+ Betty from
Coral