

# 25. Voyage Home

**4 April to 20 August 1858**

**4<sup>th</sup> April** We left Sydney

**8<sup>th</sup> April**

When 450 miles from Sydney at 4.30 in the morning, we had a shift of wind in a now heavy squall which heeled us over on our beam ends and carried away Fore and Main Top Masts, Mizzen Top Gall<sup>t</sup> mast, jib boom and spring Fore yard.

My version of it is .....

**13 April** Arrived back in Sydney

**27 April** Left Sydney

**27 June** Arrived Rio

**1 July** Left Rio

**12 July** On sick list

**20 August** Discharged London