

Bark Action bound to

Sunday Nov^r 23 1856

All day strong breeze and pleasant weather wind from S. W. to W. N. W. under short sail at part of the day saw a merchant ship bound S.

Lat 50.42. S. Long 62.00. W

Monday Nov 24th

All day pleasant and moderate breeze from W. headed by the wind to S. S. W. under all sail saw several large pieces of fat lean apparently fresh.

Lat 51.25. S. Long 63.18. W

Tuesday Nov 25th

First part with S. S. E. latter part calm & pleasant got studding sail booms on to the yard rose halyards, stacks, sent down royal yards & c. saw killer & finbacks

Lat 53.21. S. Long 63.48. W

Wednesday Nov 26th

All day fresh breeze from N. W. to N. W. E. course S. S. E. saw Staten land and passed East end of it at 10. miles distance course S. W. by S. under all sail set foretopmast studding sail for the first time at 4. P. M. W. end bore W. by S. E. end bore N. E. 25 miles distance

Staten Land

Thursday Nov 27th

Moderate hazy weather wind N. E. to S. S. E. carrying all drawing sail saw Cape Horn bearing W. by N. distance 30 miles 10 ends fitted a new main royal yard

Lat 55.58

Pacific Ocean 1856

Friday Nov 28th

All day fine breeze from S. S. E. course W. S. W. the latter part of the day A. M. passed the Diego's to the north of them in company with two other merchant vessels exchanged signals with a large Clipper ship steering W. S. W. saw another merchant Bark steering W. S. W. saw one bound to Eastward

Diegos bearing East distance 12 miles

Saturday Nov 29th

Blowing a gale from N. W. headed to N. S. W. at 4. P. M. was laying too under close reefed maintopsails staysail & spencer took up bow & waist boats on upper cranes battened down hatches & c.

Lat 56.39. S. Long 71.36. W

Sunday Nov 30th

Strong breeze from N. W. with passing squalls headed to W. S. W. at 9. P. M. wind W. S. W. saw ship to N. W. see nothing

Lat 57.10. S. Long 73.51. W

Monday Dec 1st 1856

All day strong breeze and pleasant headed to N. W. at 5. P. M. wind hauled N. W. wore ship to W. S. W. saw an Merchant Brig steering E. by N.

Lat 56.28. S. Long 74.12. W

Tuesday Dec 2nd

Blowing a heavy gale from W. S. W. lay- ing too under close reefed maintopsails spencer & staysail headed to S.

No observations