

Ship Charles Owen from St. Francisco towards the Line

Sunday Sept 26 1847

Light breeze N.W. & clouds course S.E. by S. match employed various ways. Mid Squally. Latter fine breeze N. Lat 27 22. 130 35

Monday Sept 27

Came in the same breeze & latter light breeze & pleasant watch employed making spungoon. Painting bow boat &c. Lat 28 32

Tuesday Sept 28

First part light air & good weather watch emp. as before course S.E. & Mid wind N.W. Latter do watch employ painting ship Lat 29 45

Wednesday Sept 29

Moderate breeze N.W. & haze painting ship. Mid & Latter do watch employ fitting rigging making seams &c. Lat 30 51

Thursday Sept 30

Light breeze N.W. & overcast watch employed as before opened all reef & took Mid & Latter about the same Lat 31 14 Long 116 20

Friday Oct 1

First part fine breeze N. & pleasant course S.E. Mid & Latter wind N.W. & cloudy Lat 19 4

Saturday Oct 2

Moderate breeze N.W. & cloudy course S.E. watch emp. various ways Mid & Latter light squalls of rain saw the top of beating at 20 hrs filled the boats. Broke the Caster. Spruce all four, wind from N.W. to N.E. Lat 17 41

Sunday Oct 3

Came with a light breeze N.W. & light squalls of rain Mid & Latter pleasant course S.E. by E. Lat 16 41

Monday Oct 4

Light breeze N.W. & pleasant course S.E. by S. Mid & Latter do same further. Went to 3rd top Lat 15 54

Tuesday Oct 5

Came in the same opened all reef. Mid light shower of rain. Latter fine breeze & pleasant painting the S.P. Lat 14 54

Wednesday Oct 6

Light breeze N.W. course E. by S. Mid & Latter moderate watch making spungoon painting &c. Lat 13 41

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Thursday Oct 7 1847

Came with a light breeze N.W. & fine weather watch emp. fitting rigging &c. Mid & Latter do

Friday Oct 8

Light variable air Mid & Latter some rain course E. by S. Lat 13

Saturday Oct 9

Light air from N.W. to S.W. course E. by S. Mid & Latter about the same got the boom on deck to dry Lat 12 26

Sunday Oct 10

Light breeze N.W. & pleasant course E. by S. Mid & Latter the same Lat 11 37

Monday Oct 11

Came in the same Mid & Latter do got boom on deck to dry opened key button saw further &c. Lat 11 4

Tuesday Oct 12

First part light air from N. to S. & pleasant course E. by S. Mid light shower of rain. Latter pleasant opened all reef Lat 10 44

Wednesday Oct 13

Light air N.W. & fine weather repaired & top got sail Mid & Latter much the same Lat 10 14

MAN OVERBOARD

Thursday Oct 14

Light breeze N.W. & pleasant repaired & topmast staysail painted mainmast &c. Mid & Latter much the same at 5 A.M. the 2nd officer fell from the masting overboard & caught to the main sheet before the ship passed him caught & propped Lat 9 19 19

Friday Oct 15

Light breeze N.W. & pleasant steering S.E. by E. Latter do all hands nothing killed Lat 8 3

Saturday Oct 16

Came in rainy wind N.W. & a heavy rain. Mid & Latter cloudy opened all reef Lat 7 00