

Ship Charles Phelps of Stonington Outward Bound 1844

Saturday
August the 31

These 24 hours commences with a fresh breeze from E with cloudy squally weather at 6 p.m. the ^{main} hauled to the SE course at 6 p.m. the wind double reefed the top sails middle and latter part thick foggy and raining steering SE at 7 p.m. hauled up SE by S ship under double reefed top sails and courses fit. So Ends

No Obs

Sunday
September 1

This day begins with a strong breeze from N thick foggy and rainy ship under double reefed fore and mizzen top sail and single reef main at 4 p.m. double reefed the main at 5 p.m. took in the mizzen top sail main sail and fit Course SE at 4 p.m. more moderate the shifted to NW made sail shook the reef out of the top sails and set the main top gallant sail latter part light winds and pleasant set the fore top gallant sail saw nothing So Ends

Obs Lat 33.54 S Long 18.40 W

Monday
Sept the 2

These 24 hours commences with a fine breeze from NW by N and pleasant steering SE set the main sail and fit middle and latter part light a breeze from NW broke out between decks to cooper the bread So Ends Saw nothing

Obs Lat 34.40 S Long 16.41 W

Tuesday
Sept the 3

These 24 hours commences with a light breeze from N and pleasant Course SE finished cooping the bread and stowed it away, broke out the main hatchway took up the cholorpes and vinegar and stowed in the after hold middle part thick weather some squally took in the fore & mizzen top gallant and flying fit latter part breezed on took in the main top gallant sail and took a reef in the mizzen top sail at 7 p.m. the wind hauled ESE at 10 the wind & ship heading SE So Ends

No Obs

Wednesday
Sept the 4

This day begins with a fresh breeze from ESE thick and rainy ship heading S at 4 p.m. the ^{main} headed her off to SE at 6 p.m. the weather looking wild and heavy took in sail and hove her too under close reef main top sail and fore sail and set quarter watches plenty of whale birds around us at daylight wore ship with a strong breeze from SE and squally ship heading E set the fore top sail double reefed and let one reef out of the main saw a big Hauling to the NW So Ends

Obs Lat 36.31 S Long 15.29

Thursday
Sept the 5

These 24 hours commences with a strong breeze from SE and squally ship heading E under double reef fore and main top sail and fore sail at dark took in the fore top sail at daylight made sail set double reef fore and mizzen top sail fit and main sail at 10 p.m. more moderate ship heading ESE shook the reef out of the top sails saw nothing So Ends

Obs Lat 35.52 S Long 14.31 W

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Friday
Sept the 6

These 24 hours commences with a fresh breeze from S and pleasant ship heading ESE at 2 p.m. set the main top gallant sail at 6 p.m. wind SEW ship heading SE at 9 p.m. set the fore and mizzen top gallant sail at 12 the wind hauled to the ^{NW} with a fine breeze latter part fresh breeze and pleasant all sail set saw nothing So Ends

Obs Lat 36.26 S Long 12.22 W

Saturday
Sept the 7

These 24 hours commences with a strong from W and squally steering SE at 2 p.m. took in the top gallant sails and hauled the ship up S at 4 p.m. saw the Island of Kristian De Lunha at 5 p.m. raised 3 sail in with Island at look in sail and head off shore under double reef main top sail and fore sail at 2 p.m. wore ship daylight made all sail the wind light pleasant weather ship heading ESE at 8 p.m. kept her off E by S Ends with light air and calm

Obs Lat 36.43 S Long 11.46 W

Sunday
Sept the 8

These 24 hours commences with light air from W and pleasant ship heading E by S employed in bending the close mizzen sent the top mast studding sail booms off the yards took in the starboard boat and painted her at 5 p.m. a fresh breeze from SE by S steering E by S split the flying fit uncut it took in the mizzen top gallant sail at 11 p.m. squally took in the top gallant sails at 3 p.m. a strong breeze from NW reefed the mizzen top sail at 10 p.m. breezed on double reefed the fore and main top sail wind NW ship steering E by S So Ends

Obs Lat 36.24 S Long 7.56 W

Monday
Sept the 9

These 24 hours commences with a strong breeze from NW and squally steering E by S under double reef top sails at 1 p.m. took in the mizzen top sail and fit at 2 took in the main sail at 3 took in the fore top sail and close reefed the main blowing heavy in the squalls at 4 p.m. the wind hauled to west at 9 p.m. more moderate shook one reef out of the main top sail set the fore top sail double reefed at daylight broke out for water latter part wind south west blowing heavy in squalls So Ends this day

Obs Lat 35.43 S Long 5.03 W

Tuesday
Sept the 10

These 24 hours with a strong breeze from NW and squally Course ESE under double reef fore and main top sail and fore sail at set the mizzen top sail and fit at 4 p.m. took them in again very squally saw a finback at 4 p.m. more moderate set the mizzen top sail and fit at 6 shook the reef out of the top sails and set the main sail at 8 p.m. set the top gallant sails light air from SE So Ends

Obs Lat 35.14 S

Wednesday
Sept the 11

These 24 hours commences with light air and calm saw a Hatter at 10 p.m. a breeze sprang up from SE steering ESE with all sail set at 2 p.m. the ^{main} hauled to SE with a fresh breeze latter part a brisk breeze from N and pleasant saw nothing So Ends this day

Obs Lat 35.25 S Long 1.13 W