

1857 Journal on Board Ship Addison

Friday Feb. 13th Comes in with fresh breeze from S. Cloudy at 4 P.M. wind comes to the W. hauled in stud-sails & paced up the yards - Course N. N. W. Two ships in sight stinging as we are. Middle & latter parts wind fresh from S. E. some squally. Changed colors in the morning with an English barge bound Eastward - saw finbacks & porpoises.

Lat Obs. $49^{\circ} 52'$
Long. 4 P.M. Chs $82^{\circ} 05'$

Saturday Feb. 14th First part fresh breeze from S. E. squally Course N. N. W. with all sail set - stud-sails &c. One ship in sight on weather beam. - Middle & latter parts fresh breeze from N. S. W. hauled in stud-sails & took in M. royal. Caught a porpoise.

Lat Obs. $46^{\circ} 41'$
Long 4 P.M. per Chs. $81^{\circ} 00'$

Sunday Feb. 15th Comes in with strong breeze from N. S. W. & cloudy with some fog. Course N. N. W. with all sail set. Haul stud-sails & M. royal. - Middle part some rain. Latter part more pleasant & light wind though some fog. set stud-sails. Manned mast heads but saw nothing of note save porpoises.

Lat by obs. $43^{\circ} 34' S.$
Long 4 P.M. per Chs. $80^{\circ} 46'$

Off Coast of Chile. - Feb. 15th 1857

Monday Feb. 16th Comes in with moderate breeze from N. S. W. & pleasant weather Chs. a little fog. - Course N. N. W. with all sail set. - Middle & latter parts moderate breeze from N. W. Course N. by W. - saw nothing.

Lat Obs. $41^{\circ} 23'$
Long 3 P.M. per Chs $80^{\circ} 00'$

Tuesday Feb. 17th First part moderate breeze from N. & pleasant Course N. by W. with all sail set. At 3 P.M. ran a sail ahead. Middle & latter parts fine breeze & fine weather from N. S. W. Course N. N. W. employed on rigging, rigging scrub boards & Carpenter making. Thinning log.

Lat Obs. $38^{\circ} 40'$
Long 10 A.M. per Lunar $78^{\circ} 40'$

Wednesday Feb. 18th First part fine breeze from N. S. W. & very pleasant Course N. N. W. with all sail set. At 5 P.M. saw a sail on weather beam stinging N. E. for Talcahuano I suppose. - Middle & latter parts light breeze from S. W. Course N. N. by S. employed in making out for water. Lumber & fixing for a sail pen.

Lat Obs. $36^{\circ} 11' S.$
Long 4 P.M. Chs.

Thursday Feb. 19th First part light breeze from N. S. W. & very pleasant Course N. N. by S. all sail set. - Middle the same - at daylight saw Macrae 2 1/2 points on weather bow 60 miles dist. - trying to fetch it. Lat Obs. $33^{\circ} 56'$
Long 4 P.M. Chs $80^{\circ} 30'$