

Back Clear On The Traction Ground

Friday Nov 26th

First part light air from the N. steering S. S. E. Middle part fine breeze. latter part foggy. No observation.

Saturday Nov 27th

First part moderate breeze from the N. and foggy. on Starboard tack. Middle part on Port tack. Latter part kept off S. E. for a while then shifted to on Port tack. foggy & rainy.

Sunday Nov 28th

First part fresh breeze from the N. & rainy. on Port tack. Middle part wind light and hailing. latter part wind light from the S. on Starboard tack. Lat 38° 15' S. Long 20° 50' W.

Monday Nov 29th

First part wind moderate from the N. W. heading S. W. by W. The Falcon in sight. Middle & latter part foggy & rainy. now arrived to the Eastward at 9 o'clock P. M.

Tuesday Nov 30th

First part fresh breeze from the N. and thick rainy weather. on the Port tack. Middle & latter part blowing a gale.

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Wednesday Dec 1st

First part blowing a gale from the N. bore to on Port tack. Middle part more moderate & foggy. latter part kept off East. Lat. 37° 41' S. Long 18° 31' W.

Thursday Dec 2nd

First part strong breeze from the N. N. W. on Port tack. Middle part the same. latter part light air from the Westward steering E. by N. Lat. 37° 17' E. Long 17° 12' W.

Friday Dec 3rd

First part light air from the W. steering East. Arrived a school of Sperm Whales at 4 1/2 o'clock P. M. going to Windward, arrived for them but got no chance. Broke out run for Topmast. Staysail and bent it. Middle part on Port tack by the same. latter part steering East. cloudy, no observation.

Saturday Dec 3rd

First part good breeze from the East steering E. N. E. Middle part light breeze & clear. latter part kept off E. S. E. Lat. 36° 33' S. Long 15° 38' W.