

Ship Cyrus from New Islands Round Cape Horn 1804

HKE	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Monday Dec. 10
2 4 -	WSW	SWW	Commences brisk winds and open cloudy weather steering close on a wind to the N.W. with the masts of our sail set, at 10 P.M. tack'd Ship to S.W. Middle part fresh winds and dark cloudy weather, took in sail to single reefed fore & aft.
4 4 4			
6 5 -			
8 4 4	NWBSW	WSW	
10 4 4	NW	WSW	
12 3 4	SSW	WSW	
2 3 4	SSW	WSW	
4 3 -			
6 4 4	SWBSW	NWBSW	Latter part an increasing Gale with rain At 9 A.M. double reefed fore & aft At 10 in Morn. & Morn. Topsail set the M. Staysail, at 1 in P.M. M. Staysail set at noon very heavy gales in P.M. & set of M. Staysail. So Ende with a very hard storm at N.W. No OBS
8 4 -			
10 4 4	WSW	NW	
12 2 4			

Course	Dist	Lat	Dep	Long	Lat	Long
WSW	66	17	63	113	55-56	75-56

HKE	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Tuesday Dec. 11
2 1 4	WSW	NW	Commences heavy Gale at NW Wind severe hard storm laying low too under storm Staysail. At 2 P.M. close reefed the M. Staysail, the Gale increasing with 3 P.M. & 12 when it blew exceedingly hard with a very high Sea on, at 2 A.M. ship to Sea that stove off the waist-rail of the bulwark at 3 the Gale abated a little & haul'd to 2 P.M. at 8 the wind increased to a violent Gale, & remained so all the latter part of these 24 hours. The Ship headed Southward with Fore, Main & Morn. Staysails set in as close as manned as possible. No OBS
4 1 4			
6 1 4			
8 1 4	WSW	SW	
10 1 4			
12 1 4			
2 1 4			
4 1 2			
6 1 6	WSW	WSW	
8 1 4			
10 4 4			
12 4 4			

Course	Dist	Lat	Dep	Long	Lat	Long
WSW	47	16	12	22	51-52	76-04

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HKE	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Wednesday Dec. 12
2 1 4	WSW	SW	Heavy Gale, with severe hard squalls and a high cross Sea on throughout these 24 hours, laying low too as much as possible under Fore, Main & Morn. Staysails reefed down to the smallest stay reef. At 3 P.M. shipped a Sea which did some damage, stowed above in the bulwark in the Starboard waist and carried it overboard at 2 A.M. in order to head the Sea better, wore ship and headed NW Wind all the latter part of these 24 hours. At 10 M. a little more moderate, set Foretopmast Staysail & Sheet. M. Staysail.
4 1 4			
6 1 4			
8 1 4	SSW	SW	
10 1 4			
12 1 4			
2 1 4	SSW	SW	
4 1 4	WSW	SW	
6 1 4			
8 1 4			
10 1 4			
12 1 4			

Course	Dist	Lat	Dep	Long	Lat	Long
WSW	15	2	16	29	56-57	75-05

HKE	Courses	Winds	Remarks on Thursday Dec. 13
2 2 4	WSW	SW	Commences strong Gale and heavy squalls looking weather at 1 P.M. set a Sheet. Foretopmast, At 4 set the Foremast. At 5 the Morn. Staysail, the weather moderating and the Tempestuous expressed abating At 8 set out one reef of each topsail, set the jib & Morn. Middle part moderate winds and cloudy weather at 10 P.M. tack'd Ship to the Southward set the M. Staysail at 6 A.M. tack'd to 2 P.M. No OBS
4 3 -			
6 3 -	WSW	SW	
8 3 -			
10 3 4	NWBSW	SW	
12 3 4	SWW	SW	
2 3 -			
4 2 4			
6 3 -	SWW	SW	
8 5 -	WSW	SW	
10 6 -			
12 6 -			

Course	Dist	Lat	Dep	Long	Lat	Long
WSW	52	12	20	46	51-51	76-11