

Remarks on board ship, Alfred Gibbs

Sunday Feb 6th

97

Comm. with strong wind from NW by W. at 3 PM shifted to W. Lat. then same. Took in. W. to best boat. Lat. 47.21 Long 56.49

Monday Feb 7th

98

Comm. with strong breeze from W to NW at 3 PM heaved the fore & miz. top sails at 4 PM. Wind to the SW. Mid part light wind from SW. Lat. calm. Lat. 48.20 Long 58.22 W

Tuesday Feb 8th

99

Comm. with a calm & light breeze. Mid part light wind from NW. Lat. Lat. Part. Strong wind every sail set going at the rate of 4 to 10 knots. Lat. 49.14 Long by chron 60.29 by Lunar 60.25

Wednesday Feb 9th

100

Begins with a fresh breeze from NW at 6 PM. Then wind light. Mid & Lat. Part. Light wind from NW & foggy. Lat. by act. 50.25 Long. do 62.40 W

Thursday Feb 10th

101

Begins with a fresh breeze from NW & strong S by W. W. thick & foggy weather. Mid & Lat. Part. Moderate. Lat. by act. 52.45 Long 64.45

Friday Feb 11th

102

Begins with a light breeze from NW & a heavy foggy course S. at 2 PM calm. Lat. Part. Strong wind from West. At 4 PM at 11 AM see stations. Land a head

Lat. 54.31

Long by chron 64.16

by Lunar 64.08

Off Cape Horn Feb 11th

Monday Feb 12th

103

Begins with strong breeze & light off Cape. At 4 PM light air & calm. Spoke huts of hauled home. Lat. Part. Mod. breeze from NW. Lat. 55.29 Long 64.17

Tuesday Feb 13th

104

Begins with fresh breeze from NW at 5 PM. Slightly fresh. Heaved the top sails. Heaved up at 10 PM. Lat. Part. Heavy squalls at 10 PM heaved to the NW. Lat. 56.09 Long 64.36

Wednesday Feb 14th

105

Comm. with a fresh breeze. Under close reef top sails & heaved courses head up. W by S. Wind S by S. Mid part took in fore & miz. top sails. Lat. Part. Moderate. Set all sail. Heaved to the S. at noon calm. Lat. 55.30 Long 64.56

Thursday Feb 15th

106

Comm. with a calm. At 4 PM a light breeze from NW. Course S by S. W by S. Mid & Lat. Part. Strong breeze all sail set. Thick & raining. Lat. by act. 56.40 Long do 68.20 W

Friday Feb 16th

107

Comm. with strong wind & squally weather from NW by NW. At 4 PM by W. at 4 PM fresh. Heaved the top sails. Heaved up at 10 PM. Lat. Part. Strong wind from NW. Lat. 58.14 Long 71.16

Saturday Feb 17th

108

Begins with strong wind from S by W at 1 PM. Heaved to the NW 2 sail. In sight. Lat. Part. The same. Lat. 57.52 Long 71.54