

Latter part strong breezes and squalls with thunder and rain. Came under close reefed Main Topsail and Fore Course. Cleared up at noon. Lat Obs 45° 25' S. Var 15° E. Long 51° 12' W.

Friday Feb 13th 1835. First part fresh breezes & pleasant weather. Set double reefed Fore & Mizzen Topsails, & Main Course. At 6 A.M. turned a reef out the Topsails & set 3rd Sails. Latter part light winds from the S.W. & South. Steered to the N.E. & North. Lat Obs 43° 47' S. Var 13° E. Long 50° 24' W.

Saturday Feb 14th First part light baffling winds & calms, and cloudy weather. At 7 P.M. distant thunder & lightning. Furl'd Top & Sails. At 2 1/2 A.M. had a severe squall from the Northward. Cleared down & cleared up and brought the Ship under close reefed Topsails & Fore Course. Headed to N.W. Latter part light baffling winds & showers of rain. At noon cleared away long enough to get an altitude of the Sun. Lat Obs 43° 05' S. Var 12° E. Long 50° 00' W.

Sunday Feb 15th Commenced light baffling winds & a bad sea. At 4 P.M. the wind came from the S.W. in a squall blowing a gale. Took in all Sail but close reefed Main Topsail and lay too. At 6 P.M. took in Main Topsail and set 1st, Main & Mizzen Staysails. Through the night blowing a severe gale and a large sea. At 4 A.M. the wind hauling to the Southward set reefed Fore Course & Steered N.E. At 6 A.M. set close reefed Main Topsail. At 9 A.M. set double reefed Fore Topsail & turned a reef out the Main Topsail. At noon set Mizzen Topsail double reefed and main Course. Latter part strong gales and cloudy with occasional Sunshine. Lat Obs 42° 04' S. Var 11° E. Long 49° 20' W.

Monday Feb 16th Moderate winds from S.W. & S.E. and cloudy weather with intervals of Sunshine. Turned all the reefs out and set 3rd Sails & Jib. Lat Obs 40° 16' S. Long 47° 40' W.

Tuesday Feb 17th 1835. First part moderate and pleasant wind S.E. Steered to the N.E. and made a true Course N.E. Latter part brisk gale. Double reefed the Topsails. Lat Obs 38° 26' S. Var 11° E. Long 46° 10' W.

Wednesday Feb 18th Brisk breezes and open cloudy weather. Steered to the N.E. by the wind. Wind S.E. to E.S.W. Turned a reef out the Topsails. Unbent Mizzen Topsail to repair. Lat Obs 36° 32' S. Long 45° 35' W.

Thursday Feb 19th Moderate breezes and pleasant weather. Wind East to E.N.E. Steered to the Northward by the wind. Lat Obs 34° 50' S. Long 45° 20' W.

Friday Feb 20th Light winds and pleasant weather. Steered by the wind to the Northward. Wind E.N.E. Longitude by Lunar 76° 42' S. Lat Obs 33° 43' S. Var 8° E. Long 45° 12' W.

Saturday Feb 21st First part calm. Middle and Latter part moderate breezes from the North & N.W. and clear weather. Made all Sails. Lat Obs 33° 34' S. Steered N.E. Var 8° E. Long 44° 49' W.

Sunday Feb 22nd I A.M. saw an Hump'd Back'd Whale. Moderate breezes from the West and pleasant weather. Set Lower, topmast & top & Stirling Sails. Middle part wind backed to N.W. & North, took in Stirling Sails & braced by the wind. Lat Obs 32° 20' S. Longitude by Lunar 9 A.M. 41° 59' W. Var 3° E. Long 41° 44' W.

Monday Feb 23rd First part strong breezes from the N.W. and pleasant weather. Steered E.N.E. Reefed Topsails. Middle part wind hauling to S.W. turned out reef. Latter part brisk breezes from S.W. Set Stirling Sails. At 3 P.M. saw a Ship steering to the Northward. Longitude by Lunar 9 A.M. 39° 48' W. Lat Obs 31° 22' S. Long 39° 34' W.