

Ship Alfred Gibbs toward Cape Horn.

Remarks Sunday June 27th 1861. 1451
Begin with fresh breezes from S by E
steering by to the south under all sail.
Baromet 30.40 latter part light air and
baffling from E to N.E. Course South. Thermometer
No Obs.

Remarks Monday June 28th 1458
Begin with light air and baffling from E to
N.E. Course S. Baromet 30.40 latter part fresh
breezes from N.N.W. Thermometer 47°

Remarks Tuesday June 29th 1457
Begin with fresh breezes from N.N.W. Course
S by E under whole main top sail and
main top gall sail. Double reefed fore & main
top sails. Baromet 30.40 latter part fresh
breezes from N.N.W. Thermometer 47°

Remarks Wednesday June 30th 1460
Begin with fresh breezes from N.N.W.
Course S.E. all drawing sail set. Baromet 30.40
latter part moderate breezes from the North
and bogg. Thermometer 45° Lat 51-25 Long 81-49 S.W.
No Obs.

Remarks Thursday July 1st 1461
Begin with moderate breezes from N.N.W.
Course S.E. Baromet 30.40 latter part winds
the same. Thick foggy weather. Baromet 29.70
Thermometer 44° Lat & Long by Calculation
Lat 53-23 Long 80-28

Remarks Friday July 2nd 1462
Begin with strong winds from the North
and bogg. heavy weather. Course S.E. all sail
set. Baromet 29.40 latter part wind N by E and
slightly backing to the eastward. Cloudy. Thermometer 37°
Baromet 29.25 Lat 55-35 Long 76-29

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Remarks Saturday July 3rd 1463
Begin with fresh breezes from N.E. by W and
cloudy. Course S.E. Baromet 29.25
Thermometer 37 latter part wind N.E. steering E.S.E.
after 8 A.M. Saw at sail pass at 8 P.M. heading to the
westward. Baromet 29.40 and slowly rising.
Lat 57-23 Long 72-35

Remarks Sunday July 4th 1463
Begin fresh breezes from N.E. to S.W. gradually dying
out at 3 P.M. began to haul to the westward
at 6 P.M. wind N.W. moderate with quite a swell
with it. Course N.E. by E by S. Saw a dark heading
to the westward. Baromet 29.40 and slowly
rising. Thermometer 45° have not taken the main
top gall sailing for eight days. a very remarkable
time thus far for this season of the year. Sun
sets 12 minutes past three and rises the same before
nine. Altitude at noon 9-25. the lowest that I
ever saw it. That is about 6 hours and a half between
(sun and sun). On sun set and sun rise
middle part moderate breezes from N.W. at 7 A.M.
the wind began to haul to the N.W. Course N.E. by
S. all sail set. at 11 A.M. began to thicken up to the
S. at 1 P.M. civil time began to snow. took in
top gall sails and double reefed the top sails.
we did not have much wind with it. continued
snowing through the day. This is our fourth of
July. How has your been at home. had any
ice cream in that shape. I think not. So ends
the fourth of July off the Lizard. Baromet 29.25
Thermometer 38°

Lat 57-05 Long 68-36
P.S.
Our dinner perhaps was not quite as inviting as yours
but we had beef soup and green Apple dumplings.
The dumplings would have made you laugh. they
looked like balls of dough floating in gruel.