

Remarks On Board Sunday December 21st 1856

First part of these 24 hours gentle breezes from SSW with fine weather Middle and latter parts gentle breeze from North steering Ship S 58 under all sail.

Lat of Oh 38.18 S

Long Ocho 74.00 E

Remarks On Board Monday December 22^d

First part of these 24 hours gentle breezes from North with fine weather steering Ship S 58 Middle and latter parts the same spoke Barge Phosphoree of New Bedford with 48 bls of sperm oil 14 months out

Lat of Oh 38.41 S

Long Ocho 76.04 E

Remarks On Board Tuesday December 23^d

First part of these 24 hours fresh breezes from North with fine weather steering Ship S 58 at 2 PM saw the Island of St Paul bearing S 58 long compass 45 miles Distance at 7 PM let Ship by top of the North of the Island 10 miles Distance Middle part strong breeze with fair weather at 4 PM 2 boats went in to the Island fishing etc latter part gentle breeze from N 58 with hazy weather Ship lying off and on to the N 58 of the Island

Remarks On Board Wednesday December 24th

First part of these 24 hours gentle breezes from N 58 with fine weather Ship lying off and on at N 58 part of St Paul Middle part Barlow the current set the Ship ast in shore land boats and turned Ship off, at 3 AM light winds from South boats came on board latter part thick and rainy most of the time Ship lying to S 58 of the Island 4 miles Distance

Remarks On Board Thursday December 25th 1856

First part of these 24 hours gentle gales from N 58 with squalls of wind and rain Doubled reef the Top Sails took in Jib and Main Sails Ship to the South of the Island Middle part more moderate latter part strong breezes and pleasant Ship lying off and on to the East of St Pauls

Remarks On Board Friday December 26th

First part of these 24 hours strong breezes from N 58 and pleasant Middle and latter parts gentle gales from West with clear weather Ship under doubled reef Top Sails to N 58 of St Paul 3 miles Distance,

Remarks On Board Saturday December 27th

First part of these 24 hours gentle gales from West and rugged Middle part strong gales and squally at 4 AM saw the Island of Amsterdam bearing N 58 15 miles Distance latter part strong gales Ship under close reef Top Sails heading to N 58 by S the Island bearing S 58 15 miles Distance

Remarks On Board Sunday December 28th

First part of these 24 hours fresh gales from N 58 with clear weather Middle part more moderate Ship heading to N 58 at 5 AM veered Ship to South latter part strong breezes and pleasant Amsterdam in sight to S 58 30 miles Distance