

Wednesday Dec 11

A moderate gale from W Stearing S.E. & S under double reefed main top sail & fore sail watch employed in ship's duty

Middle part

blowing strong Stearing S.E. & S latter part at 8 PM hauled on Larked tack to the North under close reefed main top sail & fore sail.

Lat by Meridian Altitude 47.39 S
Long by Chronometer 47.55

Thursday Dec 12

Begins with a gale from the westward ship hauled on either tack under close reefed main top sail & fore sail

Middle part the same

Latter part at 6 PM made double reefed fore top sail and kept off Stearing weather thick & squally at half past 10 PM hauled again blowing hard & squally

Lat by Meridian Altitude 47.37
Long by Chronometer 53.16

Friday Dec 13

Begins with a gale from westward ship. The two moderate sized reefed main top sail on spinnaker on either tack with frequent rain squalls

Middle part

more moderate latter part fine weather but overcast wind gradually hauling to the N Stearing from S.E. & S variously employed all sail but fore sail.

Lat 47.42 S Long 60.09 E

Saturday Dec 14

Begins with fine weather wind NW Stearing S.E. & all sail set watch variously employed several sulphur bottoms in light Middle part a strong breeze from the North Stearing the same latter part the wind the same accompanied with rain Stearing S.E. variously employed saw several fair packets.

Supposed Lat 45.45 S
Supposed Long by Chron 62.12 E

Sunday Dec 15

Begins with fine pleasant weather S.W. & S.E. breeze from N gradually hauling to the NW Stearing S.E. with main top gallant sail out Middle part moderate breeze from NW Stearing S.E. latter part wind N with rain variously employed saw no observations

Supposed Lat 46.20 S
Long 64.54 E

Monday Dec 16

Comes with fine & light weather wind NW gradually hauling to the westward all sail set Stearing S.E. & S variously employed Middle part wind and weather much the same Stearing the same saw a school of black fish going to windward sounds.

Lat by Meridian Altitude 47.09 S
Long by Chronometer 67.42 E