

Ship Almira Bound for New Holland

Thursday Jan 19
Begins fine pleasant weather wind W
all sail set steering E N E & N E by E complies
repairing the foremast stay sail Middle &
Latter parts strong breeze from N steering N E by E
saw one sail several.

Lat by Mercator Altitude 38.04 S
Long by Chronometer 108.18 E

Friday Jan 20
Begins with strong breeze from N W
heading N E by E under double reefed top sails
with frequent rain squalls. wind gradually
hauling to the westward at 4 PM wind still W
steering N E by E variously employed. Middle &
Latter parts the same employed repairing the
Mizzen top sail several.

Lat by Mercator Altitude 36.08 S
Long by Chronometer 108.37 E

Saturday Jan 21
Begins with fine pleasant weather wind
W & W steering E N E by E & N W then E N weather
moderate all sail set water empty & repair
ing the Mizzen top sail. Middle & Latter parts
the same employed mending the fore
top sail several.

Lat by Mercator Altitude 34.52 S
Long by Chronometer 110.56 E

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Sunday Jan 22
Begins with moderate breezes and squally
weather from W & W steering E N W till 4 PM then E
wind gradually hauls to N. the Southward Middle &
Latter parts wind S E Ship by the wind on Starboard
tack heading E and left in sight several.

Lat by Mercator Altitude 34.13 S
Long by Chronometer 113.55 E

Monday Jan 23
Begins with fine weather & a strong breeze from
S E Ship by the wind on Starboard tack heading
E & by 4 PM gained sight of the Cape of Fair Haven
at 4 PM under the Land the W Coast of New Holland
dist about 30 miles. Middle & Latter parts the same
saw the Land Cape Leeuwin. I saw 4 Barque
or two several.

Lat by Mercator Altitude 34.59 S
Long by Chronometer 113.48 E

Ship Almira Cruising of Cape Leeuwin N Holland

Tuesday Jan 24
Begins with strong Baffle winds from the Southward
Ship by the wind on either tack all sail set at 4 PM
saw one Blackfish lowered by Boat struck 3 times
& kept the m along side. Middle part under short sail
Latter part a strong breeze from S E Ship under
double reefed top sails and courses on either
tack by the wind several.

Lat by Mercator Altitude 34.48 S
Long by Chronometer 115.42 E