

Cruising off New Holland

Wednesday March 7

Begins with a strong breeze from SE ship & the wind heading SW under double reefed Main top sail & foresail: the sails in sight. Middle and latter parts the same ship on either tack & ends.

Lat by Meridian Altitude 27.55°
Long by Chronometer 107.10° E

Thursday March 8

Begins with strong southerly winds ship on either tack under double reefed top sails & fore sail. No ship in sight. Middle, and latter parts the same & ends.

Lat by Meridian Altitude 27.77°
Long by Chron

Friday March 9th

Commenced with a strong breeze from South Southeast ship by the wind to Southwest two sails in sight at 1 PM more ship & steered North Northeast at sunset luffed by the wind headed East & ends.

Saturday March 10

Begins & ends with a strong breeze from SE. Ship on either tack by the wind under short sail water variously employed nothing in sight and poor prospects & ends.

Lat by Meridian Altitude 27.25°
Long by Chronometer 107.25° E

Sunday March 11th

Begins with a strong breeze from SE ship on either tack under double reefed Main top sail & close reefed fore foresail & spencer at 8 AM tack in the foresail Middle part the same latter part more moderate & ends.

Lat by Meridian Altitude 27.8°
Long by Chronometer 108.25° E

Monday March 12

Begins with a fresh breeze from S ship by the wind starting tack under double reefed top sails and courses heading ESE Middle & latter parts the same & ends.

Lat 27.09° S
Long 108.15° E