

Sunday October 16th Rather more moderate all hands engaged in boiling and clearing up the decks saw a large ship steering to the Southward at 6 A M got supper and set the watch for the night the Boy said that the steward carried matches in his pocket to light his pipe with and as we had two kegs of powder in the run we thought that it was best to over haul him the Capt then called Mr. Piel's and he went down there and searched him then secured him for the night middle and latter part pleasant with strong breeze from the Eastward ship heading to the Southward on the wind at 7 P M went down in the run and the steward some water but he refused to eat anything we offer him the same as we have to eat Bread and Butter Meat cakes and what ever we have he wanted water and nothing else so we shut the scuttle watches engaged in boiling Lat 33.18 Sth Long

Monday October 17th Strong breeze and rugged weather watches engaged in boiling and setting up shooks to put oil in at 3 A M a large Barque passed bound to the S W at 7 A M gave the Steward his Bed and Pillow he eat some eat and meat we try to make him as comfortable as we can but dare not trust him to far I over hauled his pack to see that there was no danger of them hurting him to much latter part a gale from the Eastward engaged in boiling gave the Steward his breakfast one man fell down and cut his eye No Obs

Tuesday October 18th A gale from the Eastward Ship here too on the Starboard tack all hands engaged in boiling in the smoke and rain had the Steward on Deck gave him his dinner and Supper and cast the lashings off of his legs nothing seen one man cut his foot but not had latter part rainy with a heavy gale from the S E ship here too on the Starboard tack engaged in boiling saw two Brigs standing to the Northward Lat 34.38 Sth Long West

Wednesday October 19th Rather more pleasant finished boiling the body at 3 A M and coiled down at 5 A M he turned up about 90 Barrels at 7 A M gave the steward his supper middle part a gale from the Sth steering N E by E carried away the lashings to the stings of the main yard got the main yard up and lashed it again sent the Jib in to mend but suggested to do anything Lat 35.04 Sth Long 50.29 West

Thursday October 20th Pleasant with a gale and a very heavy swell from the Sth East course N E at sunset took in all sail but the Staysails and Spanker gave the steward his meals as usual middle blowing fresh latter part more moderate at 10 P M made all sail steering Sth by West watches engaged in mending the Jib Lat 32.26 Sth Long 48 39 West

Friday 21st Pleasant with light air and rain squalls at 4 A M sent down the foresail and mended it there lashed it again at sunset took in sail and set the watch for the night latter part pleasant but calm watches in mending the Jib saw Obs to Day