

Sunday March 20th 1876

Fair, wind light and baffling, calm some part of the day. Mr. Bud went aboard the Dutch bark Wampool (Ss. ship Newport England) bound for Thomas loaded with coal.

Lat 18.59 N Long 54.20 W.

Monday March 21st

Equally, wind strong N.E. this A.M. P.M. fair and light breeze from N.W. Fair sail in sight S.E. point of G. I. Island. Course N.W. by N. Distance 15.82 miles.

Lat 17.55 N Long 55.53 W.

Tuesday March 22nd

Fair, wind strong from N.E. Course N.W. and N.W. by N. Gained the bark Sacramento Capt. Robertson of N. Bedford 28 days from St. Helena bound New Bedford she stopped at Ascension. Three sails in sight.

Lat 22.10 N Long 58.05 W.

Wednesday March 23rd

Fair, wind strong from E.S.E. Course N.W. had a calm about noon but it did not last long. Set the studding sails last evening at sunset carried them until 9.30 this A.M. we took them in the wind having hauled ahead Sacramento is sight ahead this forenoon.

Lat 24.6 N Long 60.1 W.

Thursday March 24th

Fair, wind light from E. course N.W. by N. Engaged at painting and mending two sails in sight.

Lat 25.37 N Long 61.50 W.

Friday March 25th 1876

Equally, wind strong from S.E. Course N.W. by N. Took in the royal foretopgallant sail and the light studding sail then again the wind being moderated. One sail in sight during the same as us.

Lat 26.53 N Long 63.02 W.

Saturday March 26th

Fair, wind strong from N.E. this Course N.W. by N. P.M. wind hauled from E.S.E. Course N.W. Set the studding sail this afternoon.

Lat 27.10 N Long 65.40 W.

Sunday March 27th

Thick, and drizzly wind strong from S.E. this A.M. P.M. hauled from S.E. Clouds veiled the foremast the mainmast and the foretopgallant sail set all day. One sail in sight. Came near having a collision this A.M. with a large vessel Course N.W. by N. masthead No Observations.

Monday March 28th

Fair, blowing a gale from W. Haul all sails set this forenoon but commenced to take them in before noon. Under close reef topsails and foresail this evening.

Lat 33.56 N Long 68.21 W.

S.E. point of G. I. Is. Course N. 25.57 W or N. N.W. 1/2 W Distance 47 1/2 miles.