

1840

Ship Lalla Rookh March 14<sup>th</sup>  
Saturday March 14<sup>th</sup>

Commenced with a heavy gale of wind from NW  
at 2 P.M. water breaking over the ship in  
all parts swept away the bulwarks  
at 10 P.M. took the larboard Boat away  
and a quantity of bbs of deck at 8 A.M.  
Plut the fore top mast staysail &c.  
Sun obscured 34.23. Long 69.10 W

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup>

First part strong heavy winds from NW  
Middle and latter part moderate  
at 5 A.M. Calm at 8 A.M. small breeze  
from NW at noon blowing a gale here  
to under close reefs. main top sail  
Sun obscured — Lat by alt 34.56. — 68.43

Monday 16<sup>th</sup>

Commenced with a heavy gale of wind from  
NW by S. at 11 P.M. moderate set close  
reefs top sails heavy sea from NW. at 2 A.M.  
Calm at 4 A.M. quick breeze from NW. with  
clear weather at 10 A.M. strong ripplings of  
the gulf stream Lat 36.02. Long 69.03. W

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>

First part strong winds from NW. at 2 P.M.  
strong gale from NW wore ship to the NW.  
at 4 P.M. Calm at 11 P.M. light winds from  
S. at 6 A.M. a gale of wind from NW.  
at 10 A.M. wore to ship's head to the NW  
winds from SW by W Lat 36.40. Long 69.12

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>

Commenced with a heavy gale of wind from  
W. at 6 P.M. winds from NW wore ship to  
the W. at 11 P.M. winds from NW set  
double reefs top sails at 4 A.M. moderate  
at all sail winds from NW and light  
at 7 A.M. saw a ship to the west

Home ward Bound from New Zealand  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>

Commenced with light winds from ESE to SSE  
with thick rainy weather and a smother sea  
Courses steered by compass W. N. W. latter part  
clear weather with passing clouds at noon  
spoke Sch. Thetor of Cambray Isle  
with a load of stock bound to Bermuda  
48 hours out Lat 37.51. N Longt 72.24. W

Friday 20<sup>th</sup>

Moderate breezes with fine weather winds from  
E. at 2 P.M. thick and rainy weather  
at 10 P.M. light winds and Calms  
at 8 A.M. strong heavy winds from NW  
3 reefs in the top sail at 10. wore ship to  
the west ward Sun obscured Lat 39.05. — 72.41

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup>

First part strong winds from NW with  
thick foggy weather and rain at 6 P.M. wore  
the lead in 25 fathoms of water  
wore ship to the ESE Middle and latter  
part light winds and Calms at 5 A.M.  
40 fathoms and smother skin obscured  
No observation Lat by alt 39.13. N Longt 73.15

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup>

Moderate breezes from NW and smother  
at 2 P.M. wore ship to the east & C  
at 2 A.M. strong winds from NW double  
reefs the top sails at 6 A.M. saw 3. sail  
at 8 A.M. saw a Barke to the west part  
her Lat 39.00. Long 72.14

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup>

Moderate winds from NW Middle part  
Calm latter part light winds from E.  
saw a sail in sight at noon spoke a  
Brig Bound to Bay of Honduras  
Lat 39.28. Long 73.30