

Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven

Friday 19 of April 1839

All these 24 hours light trades & fine weather with passing clouds & same hazy middle part watch Employed in Boiling at 12 Meridian finesht turned up sixty bbls on deck So Ends weather same hat

Latitude 5° 05'

Saturday 20

All these 24 hours light trades & pleasant weather first part watch Employed in clearing & washing decks Sat 11 P.M. Mast studding sails & main S.G. P. later painting spars wind apt clear & hot weather Course NW by N

Latitude 4° 46'

Long at 3 P.M. 19° 44' 30"

Sunday 21

All these 24 hours light trades from SE by S. with passing clouds first part watch Employed in painting finesht Masts yards & booms & had a beautiful day for the work at 9 A.M. A merchant ship Coast our Stern about 5 miles First Standing to S.W.

Latitude 3° 19'

Long at 3 P.M. 21° 09'

trades & same

Down the

Latitude 2° 30'

Monday 22

All the squalls of bit sixty

Tuesday 23

First part light trades & fair middle & later variable & squally with heavy rain & some lightning wind from WNW to East but not much wind in the squalls

Latitude 1° 29'

Wednesday 24

First & Middle parts light trades from East to NW & some light squalls later from North & fine watch Employed in ships duty saw nothing

Latitude 35 miles

Long at 2 P.M. 24° 11'

From Cape Goodhope towards

Thursday 25 of April 1839

First & Middle parts small breezes from North to NW & pleasant later small breezes from SE & WSW with heavy rain at 11:30 P.M. Sun broke out Course NW by N

Latitude 10° 25'

Friday 26

First & Middle parts of these 24 hours small breezes from South to NE Sailing with Calms attended with rain at 9 A.M. took a strong squall from SE & attended with heavy rain double raft 3 sails at 12 more moderate

Course NW by N No Observation

Long at 3 P.M. 25° 2'

Lat by Dub Alt at 3° 30' 18"

Saturday 27

Commenced with lively breezes from North & NW & rainy turned out reefs & Masted at 11 P.M. Sail at 2 Calm at 3 small

Leas

breezes from SE at 4 Calm middle light breezes from SE & fair all sail set later light airs & Calms & vary hat on pint the gift & repaired & bent it again

watch Employed in Sundry galls of ships duty at 12 Meridian had a flight squall from SE & attended with heavy rain

So Ends Course NW by N

Latitude 00° 45' 00"

Sunday 28

First part light airs all round the Campaps & Calms with very heavy rain & some thunder & lightning at 6 a smart breeze sprung up from SE & thick

& heavy rain at 7 to Calm at 9 fine breeze from SE Sat 1 P.M. Sails 3 furl & mainsail

& cleared of the Moon shines with renewed

brightness & the stars the stars came twinkling one by one & glisten with brightness

in the clear & blue sky as the dark & heavy clouds

has slowly by passed by the lovely breeze that

we feel & settle away in the west at 10 Sat 1 P.M.

1 P.M. studding sails at 12 P.M. studding sails

middle & later fine breeze & fine weather

Latitude 1° 33'

Long at 2 P.M. 27°