

Bark. A Wicks Cruising for

Saturday

Feb 24th First of these 24 hours fine weather & strong breeze from S. E. steering by the wind on different tracks mid & latter parts blowing heavy from the Eastward so ends this day Lat 26.26 Long 46.36

Sunday

Feb 25th First of these 24 hours blowing heavy from the Eastward R. H. under double reefed topsails & courses steering by the wind on different tracks mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends this day Lat 27.20 Long 46.03

Monday

Feb 26th First of these 24 hours hazy weather & strong breeze from the Eastward R. H. steering by the wind under double reefed topsails heading S. E. mid & latter parts heading S. E. so ends this day Lat 28.10 Long 47.04

Tuesday

Feb 27th First of these 24 hours hazy weather & strong breeze from E. N. E. R. H. heading S. E. saw gumpies to day mid & latter parts fine weather saw a sail steering to the westward so ends this day Lat 28.07 Long 48.37

Wednesday

Feb 28th First of these 24 hours fine weather & fresh breeze from E. N. E. R. H. steering by the wind heading S. E. mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends this day Lat 29.27 Long 50.42

Thursday

March 1st First of these 24 hours fine weather & moderate breeze from N. E. R. H. steering by the wind heading E. by S. mid & latter parts weather much the same saw a school of Porpoises to day so ends this day Lat 29.15 Long 51.38

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Friday

March 2nd First of these 24 hours fine weather light variable wind & calm hands employed setting up main rigging mid & latter part fresh breeze so ends this day Lat 28.01 Long 51.03

Saturday

March 3rd First of these 24 hours fine weather & fresh breeze from the Eastward R. H. steering by the wind heading N. by E. mid & latter parts more moderate so ends this day Lat 26.28 Long 52.03

Sunday

March 4th First of these 24 hours fine weather & moderate breeze from the Eastward R. H. steering by the wind on different tracks saw one sail & a school of Grampuses to day mid & latter parts light winds so ends this day Lat 25.48 Long 51.18

Monday

March 5th First of these 24 hours fine weather & light variable wind R. H. steering by the wind on different tracks mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends this day Lat 24.54 Long 50.15

Tuesday

March 6th First of these 24 hours fine weather & light air from the Eastward R. H. steering N. by W. mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends this day Lat 23.57 Long 49.23

Wednesday

March 7th First of these 24 hours fine weather & light Easterly wind R. H. steering different courses saw several Finbacks this afternoon at night shortened sail mid part weather much the same latter parts strong breeze R. H. steering west 9 hours. Saw raised the Island of Madagascar astern so ends this day Lat 23.45 Long 47.55

