

Remarks On board Bark Robert. Morrison 1880

Thursday

May 20th First of these 24 hours variable winds with frequent squalls of rain saw one sail mid & latter parts strong breeze hands employed in various jobs boat decks saw a steamer to day so ends this day Lat 35.01 Long 55.22 W

Friday

May 21st First of these 24 hours strong NE winds R H steering by the wind saw several sail to day at dark shortened sail mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends Lat 34.48 Long 55.18

Saturday

May 22nd First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & strong winds from the Eastward R H steering by the wind at dark shortened sail mid & latter parts strong breeze saw a schooner to day so ends this day Lat 34.15 Long 54.40

Sunday

May 23rd First of these 24 hours strong NE wind R H steering by the wind hands employed in various jobs boat decks while scraping one of our spare spars found it to be rotten so we sawed it up mid & latter parts fine weather so ends this day Lat 33.54 Long 54.31

Monday

May 24th First of these 24 hours fine weather & Easterly wind R H steering by the wind at dark shortened sail mid & latter parts much rain saw a steamer today so ends this day Lat 34.18 Long 54.42

Tuesday

May 25th First of these 24 hours fine weather & light variable wind R H steering by the wind hands employed in various jobs boat decks mid & latter parts fine weather set up fore rigging to day so ends this day Lat 34.02 Long 54.51

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Wednesday

May 26th First of these 24 hours fine weather & moderate breeze from NE R H steering & H E set up main rigging to day at dark shortened sail mid & latter parts squally so ends this day Lat 34.16 Long 52.11

Thursday

May 27th First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & strong breeze from the westward R H steering different courses saw one sail to day mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends this day Lat 32.32 Long 61.39

Friday

May 28th First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & strong breeze from the Northward R H steering mid & latter parts fine weather so ends this day Lat 30.50 Long 51.28

Saturday

May 29th First of these 24 hours fine weather & light N. by E wind R H steering different courses hands employed in various jobs boat decks & in the rigging mid & latter parts the same so ends this day Lat 29.41 Long 50.21

Sunday

May 30th First of these 24 hours fine weather & NE wind R H steering & H E hands employed setting up head rigging saw one sail to day at dark shortened sail mid & latter parts weather much the same one sail in sight so ends Lat 29.20 Long 50.08

Monday

May 31st First of these 24 hours light Northwardly wind R H steering different courses & sail in sight boarded ship. Arrived at New York Capt. E. Mear 28 days from New York bound to Philadelphia at dark shortened sail mid & latter parts the same so ends this day Lat 28.57 Long 50.44