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Remarks On Board Of Bark Lydia Of No. 43

Thursday January 18th 1856

Commencez more moderate wind from the Westward heading S.W. by S. Middle part fresh breeze from W. N. W. Steering S. S. W. Latter part Strong breeze and Squally Steering by the wind under short sail to the Southward.

Latt Obs 49. 45 S. Long by Chron 63. 22 W

Friday Jan 19th

First part fresh breezes from the Westward Steering by the wind to the South. Middle and Latter parts fresh breeze and Squally from the Westward Steering S. by E. caught a porpoise.

Latt Obs 51. 40 S. Long by Chron 63. 40 W

Saturday Jan 20th

First part light breezes and cloudy from the N. W. Steering S. by E. Middle and Latter parts much the same Steering S. E. by S. and S. S. E. Saw 4 Humpback Finbacks & Porpoises. So Ends

Latt Obs 53. 15 S. Long by Chron 63. 15 W

Sunday Jan 21th

Continues the same & till the wind S. W. heading by the wind to the S. S. E. Middle part light breezes heading various courses Latter part Moderate breezes from N. W. Steering S. S. E. 10 C. saw the Land Staten Land bearing S. by E. Distance 30 Miles. kept off E. S. E. So Ends

Latt Obs 53. 58 S. Long by Chron 63. 50 W

Monday Jan 22th

Commencez fresh breeze from N. W. Steering S. E. & S. S. E. Middle part Steered South. Latter part Steered S. S. W. and S. W. by S. Staten Land in sight to the Westward.

Ends Squally Wind W. S. W.

Latt Obs 55. 30 S. Long by Chron 64. 47 W

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Thos B. Hathaway Master. Near Cape Horn

Tuesday January 23rd 1856

Strong breezes and Squally from the Westward heading S. S. W. Middle part Strong gales from the Westward heading to the S. S. W. Latter part the same Saw 3 Ships heading E. N. E. Ends a smart gale from the S. W. Under Storm Sails. Cape Horn with a bergancee.

Latt Obs 56. 40 S. Long by Chron 64. 30 W

Wednesday Jan 24th

Continues the same Middle and Latter parts Moderate breezes heading by the wind sometimes S. W. by S. Other N. W. W. So Ends

Latt by Obs 57. 23 S. Long by Chron 63. 19 W

Thursday Jan 25th

Commencez moderate breezes from the Westward Steering by the wind on different tacks Middle part the same. Latter part Strong breezes and Squally from W. S. W. to W. N. W. heading by the wind to the S. by W. to N. W. under short sail

Latt Obs 58. 51 S. Long by Chron 63. 45 W

Friday Jan 26th

Same old story to begin with heading to the S. by W. under close reef and stay sails. Middle and Latter part Light breezes from S. W. heading by the wind on different tacks trying to get to the Westward. So Ends this another day

Latt Obs 59. 03 S. Long by Chron 63. 33 W

Saturday Jan 27th

Fine weather for Cape Horn and Moderate breezes from S. W. heading N. W. by W. by compass. Middle part the same Latter part fresh breezes from S. S. W. heading up West. Meridian saw the Land Cape Horn and 2 Other Islands. to Horn bearing N. N. W. Dist 25 Miles. So Ends

Latt Obs 59. 11 S. Long by Chron 63. 24 W