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137 Monday Feby 16. 1852

Shanghai this 24 hours fresh breezes with rain squalls from N.E. to E.N.E. steering N.N. Watching ordinary work carpenter setting up cask. Finishes the day

Lat by Obs 10.15 N
Long " Chron 134.15 W

138 Tuesday Feby 17.

These 24 hours fresh breezes with squalls of rain from N.E. steering N.N. by N. Watch employed in painting bulwarks and main boats carpenter setting up shrouds &c. Finishes the day

Lat by Obs 12.21
Long " Chron ~~[illegible]~~ 137.18

Wednesday Feby 18.

139 Shanghai this 24 hours fresh breezes from N.E. with squalls of wind and rain. Carpenter at work setting up shrouds. Morning watch were carried away mizzen top gallant backstay

Lat by Obs 14.18
Long " Chron ~~[illegible]~~ 140.07

140 Thursday Feby 19.

This day fresh breezes from N.E. first part steering N.N.W. by N middle and latter part steering N.N.W. weather cloudy with squalls. At 2 P.M. the Ship came into a school of porpoises we hoisted ship and lowered S. Boat Stove and lost line. S. Boat pricked one some chased until 3 o'clock P.M. the wind blowing S. Boat stove in. Starboard side had gone been painted and when she came alongside she looked handsome.

The day finishes with cloudy weather.

Friday Feby 20

All of this day fresh Easterly breezes steering N.N.W. At 6 A.P.M. a school of Black fish. Middle part rain fell in torrents. Latter fair weather

Lat by Obs 16.50 N
Long " Chron 144.20 W

142 Saturday Feby 21

Shanghai this day fine breezes from E. to S.E. steering N.N. by N. to N. Watch employed in painting bulwarks and carpenter [illegible] boats

Lat by [illegible]
Long " Chron [illegible].32 W

143 Sunday Feby 22

These 24 hours fresh [illegible] E. to S.E. with moderate rain squalls steering N. by N. to N.

Lat by Obs [illegible]
Long " Chron 148.40

Monday Feby 23

144 Shanghai this day wind from N.E. to S.S.E. middle part rain fell in torrents steering N. to N.

The day finishes with fair weather this day

Lat by Obs 17.25 N
Long " Chron 151.42 W

Tuesday Feby 24.

145 All of this day we have strong breezes from S.E. to S. at 2 P.M. double reefed topsails furled the mainsail mizzen top[illegible] and jib. the latter part the [illegible] freshened and made sail [illegible]

Lat by Obs 17.30 N
Long " Chron 153.[illegible]