

Remarks on Board Bound to the North
February 1847

Wednesday the 24th

Begins with light winds & fine weather
ship under all sail standing in shore
one ship in sight also the Isle of Morcha
Latter Part making for the Islands at meridian
hauled aback & Boats went ashore so ends

Thursday the 25th

First Part light winds from the southward
ship laying off & on the Islands Morcha
two Boats ashore at dark the Boats returned
to the ship one of them loaded with Potatoes &
Onions Middle Part steering N N W by N
Latter Part steering N N W one sail in sight
so ends this Day Lat 37° 25' South

Friday the 26th

Begins with light winds from S S W
steering N E Land in sight Middle Part
stood in shore till 12 o'clock lay aback until 2 lay
aback till daylight braced full Latter Part foggy
the most of the time so ends in Lat 36° 30' W

Saturday the 27th

First Part light winds from the southward
not very clear Land in sight saw a number of sails
steering different courses at 5 P M the Captⁿ & Boats
crew sailed for Malcahuano 15 miles distant veered
ship heading off shore at 6 set in thick fog
Middle Part foggy at 1 o'clock tacked ship in shore
Latter Part clear weather & light winds at 8:30 the
Bow Boat started for Malcahuano ship laying off
& on, at 10 P M the Boat arrived to shore

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Sunday the 28th

First Part strong winds from the southward at
6 P M the Boats arrived to the ship Middle Part
steering N N W by W Latter Part double reefed the top
sails steering N W by N so ends Lat 34° 48'

Monday the 1st March

First Part strong winds from the S steering
W took in the main-sail Middle Part made
N S W moderate set the main-sail Latter Part tinned
the reefs out of the top-sails & set the main top-gallant-sail
Lat 34° 15'

Tuesday the 2^d

First Part light winds from S course N S W one
ship in sight Middle Part calm Latter Part
fresh breeze saw the Islands Juan Fernandez &
one ship so ends this Day

Wednesday the 3^d

First Part fresh breeze & equally steering N S W
one ship in sight Middle Part light winds from
the southward Latter Part Massachus in sight
& ships in sight so ends this Day Lat 34° 03'

Thursday the 4th

First Part light winds from the southward
ship heading to the Westward at sundown
shortened sail Massachus in sight bearing
N N W 15 miles distant Middle Part Boats crew
watches Middle Part Latter Part strong breeze
from the southward ship heading to the Westward

Friday the 5th

First Part fresh breeze from the southward & clear
weather ship standing to the Eastward Latter Part
steering N N W at meridian tacked by the wind
heading E N E