

Ship *Onward* from Cape Horn to Valparaiso 1855

Remarks on Board Wednesday January the 24

This Day Commenced with fresh gales from the N.W. with equally weather and heading N.W. per Compass Double Reefed top Sail Set and the Cook Dick of Duty and Richer Down Dick of Duty Middle part near Ship to the S.W. and to come up on heavy gales and thick Rain weather and took in all Sail and Set the Spencer Letter part the Wind and Weather much the same during 24 hours

Lat 50 35 S
Long 77 10 W

Remarks on Board Thursday January the 25

This Day Commenced with heavy gales from the N.W. and Sailing to with a Close Reefed Main top Sail and fore and Main Spencer and heading N.W. per Compass with thick Rain weather & P.M. the gale moderate and Wind Cant to W. and Set the fore Sail and Close Reefed Mizen top Sail the Cook Dick of Duty and Richer Down of Duty 10 P.M. near Ship and heading N.W. latter part all Sail Set and heading N.W. and a large Swell on

Do end these 24 hours
Lat 50 07 S
Long 76 46 W

Remarks on Board Friday January 26

This Day Commenced with fresh gales from the N.W. with a large Swell on and heading N.W. per Compass 2 P.M. Set the fore and back Ship of there 3 P.M. Double Reefed the top Sail 6 P.M. Close Reefed the top Sail and heading N.W. per Compass and 7 Mizen Dick of Duty 11 P.M. took in the fore top Sail Middle part thick Rain weather & N.W. took in fore Sail and Mizen top Sail latter part I Set Close Reefed top Sail Do end these 24 hours

Lat 50 26 S
Long 75 07 W

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Remarks on Board Saturday January the 27

This Day Commenced with fresh gales from the N.W. pleasant weather and heading S.W. per Compass with Close Reefed top Sail Set and a large Swell on and the Cook Dick of Duty and Richer Down Dick of Duty 8 P.M. near Ship heading S.W. by N. 2 Middle part Come on heavy gales from the N.W. with equally weather and near Ship to the S.W. and took in Sail but the Spencer and Close Reefed Main top Sail Do end these 24 hours

Lat 50 55 S
Long 77 02 W

Remarks on Board Sunday January the 28

This Day Commenced with heavy gales from the N.W. with equally weather and Sailing to with the Spencer Set and Close Reefed Main top Sail & S.P. Set the fore Sail and a Reefed Main Sail and Close Reefed Main top Sail 4 P.M. near Ship the Cook Dick of Duty and Richer Down of Duty 6 P.M. near Ship to the N.W. Middle part Set Double Reefed top Sail & N.W. the Wind Cant to to the N.W. and near Ship to the S.W. latter part moderate gales and all Sail Set and back Ship to the N.W. Do end these 24 hours

Lat 50 07 S
Long 77 11 W

Remarks on Board Monday January the 29

This Day Commenced with fresh breezes from the N.W. with equally weather and heading S.W. by N. per Compass 1 P.M. Come on to blow and Double Reefed the top Sail 6 P.M. Reefed the Main Sail the Cook Dick of Duty and Richer Down Dick of Duty 10 P.M. Come on to blow and Close Reefed the top Sail Middle part Wind Cant to the S.W. and steering N.W. per Compass latter part moderate breezes from the N.W. and steering N.W. per Compass all Sail Set and Cloudy weather Do end these 24 hours

Lat 47 29 S
Long 78 06 W