

Remarks On Board Bark *Platina* Thursday Oct 10th

First part commenced with a gale breeze from the N steering W S W at five P M rain hauled to the N and died away to a calm middle part calm latter part light air from W S W heading S saw a small squall with light squall at midnight same so ends this day
Lat 24° 30' S Long 33° 11' W

Friday Oct 11th
First part commenced with a light air from N W daylight calm at nine P M sent down the mainsail to men middle and latter part calm at six P M sent up the mainsail two sails in sight midday light air from N E so ends this day
Lat 24° 40' S Long 34° 10' W

Saturday Oct 12th
First part commenced with a gale breeze from the N steering W S W at daylight saw two sailing vessels and a steamer heading to the E employed in ships either middle and latter part same squall rain light midnight same so ends this day
Lat 25° 24' S Long 34° 58' W

Sunday Oct 13th
First part commenced with a strong breeze from the N steering W S W at daylight hauled to the N nothing doing middle and latter part thick and rainy at nine P M rain hauled W S W and a large squall rain same light midday rain same so ends this day
Lat 26° 15' S Long 36° 53' W

Monday Oct 14th
First part commenced with a gale breeze from the N daylight breeze in thick at sails split fly jib sight at 11 commenced to breeze up fresh at ten thick in to lower topsail heading to the S S W spliced the forewyl back the middle and latter part moderate gale with heavy swell squall rain moderate same midnight fresh breeze so ends this day
Lat 28° 15' S Long 36° 43' W

Capt. Giles. P. Slacum & Master Tuesday Oct 15th

First part commenced with a moderate gale from W S W heading to the S at eight P M sent the lower part topsail down to repair middle and latter part rain same at ten P M sent the topsail and furled it snow sail heading to the E squall rain same midnight rain same with squall ends this day
Lat 29° 15' S Long 36° 06' W

Wednesday Oct 16th
First part commenced with a fresh breeze from the S W daylight set topsail and headed to the W S W employed in ships either middle part moderating set fore and upper topsails and averse latter part rain S S W heading W squall rain still moderate a heavy midnight rain squall ends this day
Lat 29° 52' S Long 37° 57' W

Thursday Oct 17th
First part commenced with moderate breeze from the S steering W S W all sail set employed in repairing the fly jib middle and latter part rain light at two P M sent the fly jib squall rain calm midnight rain light from S E so ends this day
Lat 29° 30' S Long 37° 11' W

Friday Oct 18th
First part commenced with a light air from S steering W S W daylight sent the fore sail on deck to repair middle and latter part rain E to E at six sent the fore sail up squall rain at midnight a breeze so ends this day
Lat 29° 40' S Long 37° 43' W

Saturday Oct 19th
First part commenced with a gale breeze from the N steering W S W at daylight rain commenced to pour to the N middle part saw hawks latter part rain W S W heading S squall rain S W midnight rain light from N so ends this day
Lat 30° 54' S Long 39° 36' W

Sunday Oct 20th
First part commenced with a light air from N steering W S W middle and latter part rain at 11 squall rain calm midnight rain midday light from S so ends this day
Lat 31° 52' S Long 39° 36' W