

Oct 1828

Wednesday Begins with strong breeze
 from W ^{under} double reefed
 top sails at 2 P.M. took
 96 out a most tremendous squall
 which brought us under
 fore and mizzen stay sails
 blowing almost a hurricane
 with a tremendous sea
 Luckily saved all sail
 with but splitting them
 however on examination found
 the main top sail in bad order
 on the second reef
 Close reefed & set it
 through the right lay under
 main top sail & stay sails
 blowing a heavy gale from W. N. W.
 the sun obscured.

Lat $28^{\circ} 56' - 34''$
 Long $DR 66^{\circ} 32' W$

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Thursday Begins with heavy gale from
 W. N. W. head to the S. W.
 97 out under stay sails & fore sail &
 spanker close reefed
 Employed in repairing the
 main stay sail in the cabin
 Ther ^{ther} moment stands at 51° in
 the cabin

Middle and latter part more
 moderate made all sail
 Wind from W. to S. W.
 Lat $28^{\circ} 57' - 10'' S$

Long $DR 68^{\circ} 08' W$

Friday Begins with light breeze from
 W. standing to the S. W.
 at 2 P.M. on bent the
 98 out main top sail to repair
 all hands employed in
 Sundry jobs on the rigging &
 middle part almost calm

Latter part pleasant breeze from
 the S. W. standing to the S. W.
 Lat $28^{\circ} 57' - 42'' S$ Long $DR 69^{\circ} 00'$