

Sunday Jan 22nd 1860

First part heavy gale with tremendous gusts and a high sea from W S W ship lay under main spruce and fore top mast stay sail head W it has seemed to me in some of the gusts that the canvas could not stand

Middle and latter parts rather more moderate at 8 A.M. set M S sail, last reef saw it sail to leeward, thus ends,

Monday Jan 23rd

Short gale and clear from S W, have too head W S W at 3 P.M. wore ship to South, at 6 kept off W. E. and set fore sail

Middle and latter parts more moderate at 6 P.M. set all sail, saw it sail to the W. hauled up that way, at 9 wind shifted to N E and backing up, hauled light sails, at noon double reefed the S Sails, hauled jib and main sail, Bacon 28.80 at 7 P.M. the lowest she had been yet,

Tuesday Jan 24th

Strong breeze and clear from W by E, under double reef S Sails head by the wind E by N at 7 A.M. calm, Bacon low 28.80, Middle part, at 8 P.M. wind from South, fresh gale last reefed the main top sail and hauled the fore spruce W. E. at midnight more moderate, made sail

Latter part at 9 A.M. came on to blow very sudden took in sail to last reef M S Sails, at noon blowing a perfect gale took in M S Sails, and have too head W S W, thus ends Bacon 29.05,

Wednesday Jan 25th 1860

First part fresh gale from S S W have too head W by E, under main spruce and fore top mast stay sail, at 7 P.M. undertook to set the main top sail but riced it off the foot rope about 2 fathoms, and your humble servant had the pleasure of fixing it again, wish I was at home, M S Sails,

Middle part more moderate, Latter part, at 8 A.M. kept off W. E. under last reef main top sail and reef fore sail, at noon had main top gullant sail out, thus ends, Latitude 3.16 South,

Thursday Jan 26th

Strong breeze from S S W, all drawing sail set stung W. E.

Middle part moderate wind hauled to throat deck, Latter part fresh breeze and clear from W S W, all sail set stung by the wind E by N, another day gone and no whale, this will never pay the bills nor buy a wife, what say you Mrs A,

Friday Jan 27th

Strong breeze and clear from W S W all sail set stung by the wind E by N, at 2 P.M. hauled light sails, at 7 wore ship to W and reefed the S S Sails,

Middle part strong breeze at 9 P.M. double reefed the main top sail, at 5 P.M. wore ship to W. E.

Latter part, at 7 A.M. hauled jib and main sail, at 11 hauled fore and mizen top sails, Fresh gale, thus ends,