

Ship B. Gossard off Cape Horn

Since May the 1st / 40

Lat 56 54 Long 63 14
Commenced with strong gale from the W steering ^{by E} under
Closest reef top sail and reef fore
sail very squally at 3 PM saw
a large steamer under sail
heading to the W middle thick and
squally at 6 PM steered E at 10
saw a barque in tow heading to the
W No End

Since the 2nd

Lat 56 24 Long 61 20
Beish gale from the W steering
SE at 5 PM the wind died a way
to calm with a very heavy misty squall
at 1 PM got a breeze from the E
steered SE made sail as required
lost part main royal and No End

Since the 3rd

Lat 55 15 Long 58 55
Strong wind from the SE steering
SE main royal and middle then
wind made and took in sail as required
the at 8 PM the wind veered to the W with squalls
in getting out water and provisions No End

Since the 4th

Lat 54 28 Long 58 18
Strong wind and thick weather with
rain and hail from the W at 1 PM saw a
large ship steering the same way as we
at 5 PM had a heavy squall
came down to closest reef fore and main
top fully middle strong puffs and
a bad sea lost part more maddet
but very heavy made sail as required
steered SE No End searching 1200 in 24 hours

Barred Moore Chas. Richd. Master

May 10

Since the 5th

Lat 56 52 Long 52 54
Strong wind from the SE steering SE
under short sail disagreeable weather
middle more maddet at 4 PM rainy and commene
ed to blow from the SE took in all sail
but clew up main top sail and main
spencer blowing heavy at 10 PM wind
shifted to the NW and maddet at 10
made sail and kept off by E No End

Since the 6th

Lat 56 52 Long 52 54
Strong wind from the W steering
SE at 3 PM wind fell off and haled
to the SE by to the SE by middle thick
had lashing weather with very little
little wind at 11 PM wind veered to the SE
veered ship heading SE by W very thick
weather made and took in sail as
required at 8 PM wind veered to the
SE by to the W by 8 at 10 PM veered to the W
heading SE by middle and rainy No End

Since the 7th

Lat 56 02 Long 50 54
Strong wind and squally with rain from the
SE by to the SE by made and took in
sail as required middle wind veered to the SE
steered SE by lost part squally No End

Since the 8th

Lat 56 11 Long 48 52
Strong wind and squally steering
SE under single reefs at 4 PM
the wind veered to the W and cleared off
made and took in sail as required
middle strong W lost part pleasant
all sail set at 8 PM wind veered to the W
No End