

On board Ship Statira

Monday November 25th 1838

First part light winds from the S.E. with a very heavy swell running weather clear heading S.E. & saw Porpoises Middle part tack to the S.W. wind S.E. latter part good weather with a moderate breeze from S.E. employed in rigging Bumpkins butting Tackles on Bunches & so on
Latitude by Ob 34.47 Long by Chr 48.20
Weather very Breezy

Tuesday November 26th 1838

First part stiff breeze from S.E. tack to the S.W. at night set up the fore rigging & saw a sail Middle part standing to the S.W. under double reef Topsails latter part strong breeze from S.E. employed in setting out our rigging tacked ship to the S.W.
Latitude by Ob 34.50 Long by Chr 48.47

Wednesday November 27th 1838

First part cloudy weather with a strong breeze from S.E. heading S.W. all hands employed in setting up rigging and repairing the fit Middle part tack to the S.E. wind S. latter part much the same weather steady with a strong breeze then up to fore Topsails
Latitude by Ob 34.55 Long by Chr 49.10

Thursday November 28th 1838

First part squally weather wind variable from S.E. & W. took in the fore & mainsail heading S.E. to S.W. Middle part calm with squalls latter part wind S.W. heading S.E. to S.W. towards fore Blackjacks
Latitude by Ob 35.5 Long by Chr 49.46

Friday November 29th

First part rainy weather with a moderate breeze from S.W. & W. Middle part calm wind at rain latter part still raining with a moderate breeze from S.W. & S.E. took in Tacks with us as the wind varies weather thick
Latitude by Ob Long by Chr 49.45

Saturday November 30th

First part thick weather with a moderate wind from S.E. at night took in fore & main sails Middle part double reefed the Topsails latter part rising almost a gale from S.W. & under short sail
Latitude by Account 34.50 Long by Acc 44.20

In the Atlantic Ocean

Tuesday November or December 1st

First part rising strong from S.E. course S.E. & S. with squalls of rain as has been ever since leaving home under double reef Topsails Middle part rising weather with the wind variable from S.W. to S. course S.E. & S. all hands well excepting 3 weather continues rugged latter part strong made sail and tacked in again with a strong breeze from the S.E. course S.E. & S.
Latitude by Ob 33.21 Long by Chr 48.40

Monday New December 2nd 1838

First part strong breeze from S.E. course S.E. & S. under double reef Topsails weather squally Middle part much the same latter part more moderate under single reef Topsails & Main & Tails course S.E. & S. under weather quite good & what it has been
Latitude by Ob 31.4 Long by Chr 48.46

Tuesday December 3rd 1838

First part strong whole sail breeze from S.E. somewhat like the trade winds course S.E. this day observed our crew for the boats all hands well but Sam Lewis and the Steward who are still sea sick Middle part wind backing with rain latter part calm with rain saw a sail ahead of us to the S.E.
Latitude by Ob 29.31 Long by Chr 38.10

Wednesday December 4th 1838

First part squally weather light air at S.E. employed in fitting our butting gun Middle part squally wind at S. course S.E. latter part fine weather with a strong whole sail breeze from S. course S.E. employed variously saw a sail astern of us S. Ender
Latitude by Ob 27.54 Long by Chr 37.55

Thursday December 5th 1838

First part good weather with a fine breeze from S. course S.E. Middle part wind at W. & S.W. latter part fine weather with a moderate breeze from W. & S.W. saw a sail to the S. of us S. Ender employed variously
Latitude by Ob 26.6 Long by Chr 36