

Remarks On Board Ship Stephania

Nov Thursday the 16th 1854

Commences with light variable winds Steering S. E. by E. Middle part Strong breezes from the N. and Squally with Sharp lightning Latter part Strong breezes from the N. W. Steering E. S. E. Saw several Sails Broke out Water and meat. and so end these 24 hours Lat 38.22 S Long 16.43 E

Friday the 17th

Commences with Strong breezes from the N. W. Steering S. E. by E. Saw 3 Sails Middle part fresh gales from the South Steering by the wind to the Eastward Double reefed the topsails furled the jib

and mainsail. latter part more moderate the wind S. E. Set the jib and mainsail and Shook the reefs out of the main top Sail Saw two sails and so ends. Lat. at Noon 38.27 S Long at 4. 17.55 E.

Saturday the 18th

Commences with Strong breezes from the S. E. by E. Steering by the wind to the N. E. by E. at 3 P. M. more Ship and stood by the wind to the S. by W. Split the jib sent it in and repaired it Saw several sails Middle part Squally and rainey with fresh gales from the S. E. furled the fore and mizen top sails Latter part fresh gales from South and rainey at 5 A. M. more Ship and stood by the wind to the Eastward Lat. at noon 39.42 S Long at 3 16.58 E and so ends these 24 hours

Sunday the 19th

Commences with fresh gales from the S. E. and cloudy at 4 P. M. close reefed the main top Sail Middle part more moderate at 6 P. M. more Ship and Set Double-reefed topsails and jib heading S. S. W. Latter part fine breezes from the E. and S. E. Steering by the wind to the N. E. Set the fly jib and main top gallant sail and so ends these 24 hours Lat. at noon 40.40 S Long 16.25 E

of New Bedford Bound East

Monday Nov the 20th 1854

Commences with Strong breezes from the E. S. E. Steering by the wind to the N. W. Saw Blackfish Middle part fresh gales from the S. E. Steering by the wind to the N. E. at 10 P. M. took in the fore and mizen top sails and fore sail. at 11 P. M. the wind hauled suddenly round to the North Latter part more moderate the wind from W. to S. W. Lat. 40.40 S Long 16.64 E and so end these 24 hours Eclipse of the Sun from 11 A. M. to 1 P. M. Nov the 20th

Tuesday the 21st

Commences with fine breezes from the N. W. Steering S. E. with a heavy head beat sea Middle part fresh gales from the South Steering by the wind to the E. S. E. furled the fore and mizen top sail and close reefed the main. latter part more moderate the wind S. W. Steering E. S. E. Set the jib and main sail and Shook the reefs out of the top sails Lat. 40.01 S and so ends these 24 hours Long 19.30 E

Wednesday the 22nd

Commences with Strong breezes from the West Steering S. E. by E. by E. Set the fly jib and main top gallant sail Saw one Sail. Middle part Squally and rainey at 11 P. M. took in all sail but the close reefed main top sail Latter part fresh gales from the West Steering E. S. E. and a close reefed main topsail at 11 A. M. set reefed foresail Saw one sail and so ends Lat 39.41 S

Long 22.30 E

Thursday the 23rd

Commences with strong gales from the West Skudding under close reefed main topsail and reefed foresail at 4 A. M. furled the main topsail and foresail luffed to the wind to the Southward Middle and latter part Strong gales from the West to N. N. W. luffing to the wind on the Starboard tack heading to the Southward and Westward and so ends. No Observation