

Ship's Journal off Cape Horn

Sunday March 25 1840
Strong gales from W. blowing to under
storm sails headed to the S. W.
But before to the S. W. latter part
fresh gales from W. S. W.

Lat 59.40 N
Long 71.55 W

Monday March 26
Moderate gales from W. S. W. close reefed
top sails and fore sail but light
breeze from W. S. W. more to the S. W.
Latter part fresh breeze from S. E. made
all sail course W. S. W.

Lat 58.48 N
Long 71.30 W

Tuesday March 27
Strong breezes from S. E. course W. S. W.
took in the light sails but wind
thickened to S. W. close reefed the top
sails. Latter part blowing a gale from
W. Ship heading S. W.

Lat 59.20 N
Long 74.25 W

Wednesday March 28
Blowing a whole gale from W. to
W. S. W. Ship heading S. W. it Rains
snow and sleet in abundance

Lat 60.00 N

Thursday March 29

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Wednesday April 4
Strong breeze from S. E. course W. S. W. double
reefed the top sails middle calm latter
part strong breeze from S. W. made all sail

Lat 52.00 N

Thursday April 5
Strong breeze from W. S. W. but W. S. W. P. S.
more to the S. W. P. S. more to the S. W. P. S.
Latter part strong breeze from W. S. W. course
S. E. W.

Lat 50.59 N
Long 79.44 W

Friday April 6
Blowing a gale from W. S. W. with a very
high sea running S. W. P. S. further the main
top sail sheet hove to under storm
sails headed to the S. W. P. S. more
moderate made some sail and stowed
S. W. P. S. middle part fresh gale from S. W.
Latter part more moderate made all
sail hove an English Bark steering S. W.
with main top sail yard gone

Lat 48.23 N
Long 79.32 W

Saturday April 7
Light breezes from S. W. steered by the
wind to the S. W. P. S. middle strong breezes
from S. W. with rain S. W. P. S. wind shifted to
to the W. and blew on to a gale
more and hove to under storm sails
again

Lat 47.59 N
Long 79.10 W

Sunday April 8
Blowing a gale from W. S. W. P. S. wind
shifted to the S. W. P. S. made sail and
stowed S. W. P. S. Latter part blowing
a gale from S. W.

Lat 46.30 N
Long 78.40 W