

From Cape Horn

Friday Feb 18th Come with light breeze from ESE and pleasant all sail set commenced standing mast head to look out for whale. Spliced the foremast stay put the bonnet on the fore set up. The fore moved the gally and various other ships duty such as making spinnaker and mending jennies on the rigging middle part wind came to the N and East in stern sails braced up steering NNE.

Saturday 20th Come with brisk breeze from East with squalls of rain. Come rattling down but knocked off in the rain saw nothing at 8 PM wind held to NNE. heading NNE.

Sunday 21st Come with brisk breeze from the Eastward all sail set heading NNE on the wind heavy shower of rain all the first part at 11:30 heavy squall of wind and rain in fore sail off the foremast. Spliced the cotton fore to rillons and lost. Most of it sent a mother dyed new whips at 2 PM calm heavy squall at 4 PM all sail set with light breeze from west at 6 PM calm at 8 PM light breeze from west over N. at 10 PM strong squall in the fore sail sails.

Monday 22nd Come with brisk breeze from the Westward with light squalls of rain at 8 AM fell in with a large lee hoisted it on deck and commenced cutting it up. Later part all hands employed rattling down the lower rigging and cutting up the top saw a ship ahead steering NNE. Caught some dolphin and some small fish. What was around the log which is following us finished rattling the fore rigging at 3 PM stowed some pipes down the fore hatch that come out aft cow N.

Tuesday 23rd Come with light breeze from NNE and pleasant at 6 AM out the stern sails middle part the same finished rattling the main rigging at 6 PM wind NNE shifted the stern shrouls over.

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Wednesday Feb 24th Light breeze from the NNE and pleasant rather down the top mast rigging and a brig in sight steering NNE. Latter part wind NNE shifted to star cow N.

Thursday 25th Come with light variable Easterly winds at 10 AM in stern sails at 2 braced up. Middle part light variable winds with squalls of rain. Latter part light breeze from NNE at 6 PM a large water spout passed a head of our heavy shower of rain and thunder & lightning a sail in sight off the lee beam cover from 8 till 12 sharp. Lightning later. Lat 2726 Lon 4222.

Friday 26th Come with brisk breeze from ESE with squalls all sail set steering N. Middle part light light baffling winds at 6 PM brisk breeze from ESE sent the staff top sail and set it at light breeze the rest of the day. Lat 2449 Lon 4322.

Saturday 27th Come with light breeze from the East and pleasant at 11 AM raised the light on Razon Bay bearing NNE. Shorten sail and held off at 5 PM. Steered in for it light baffling winds all day at 5 PM Capt Boles of the Dryade came on board had 1300 lbs 200 lbs at 8 PM came too an anchor in 22 fms of water a English man of war and a number of other craft came too at the same time the tide running ebb from 8 PM till 12 light breeze and rain.

Sunday 28th This morning laying about of the light breeze and calm went on board of the Dryade and got some papers at 1 PM hove up the anchor and stood in for the sugar loaf light winds and calms at 7 PM up within a 1/2 mile of the sugar loaf came too in 9 fms of water 3 English men of war in company 6 Brazilian. The Dryade and several other vessels.

Monday 29th at 11 AM got under weigh and set in to the harbor in company with 2 English men of war and with a flood tide let go the anchor at 1 PM calm hove up again and came too almost of the fort at 6 PM.