

Remarks on board the ship *Washington* ton

Sunday the 6th lat 31° S long 116° 30' W
light breeze S W light airs and pleasant weather
through the three last 24 hours

Monday the 7th the first part fresh breeze and
rain. Spent the evening at top galley side job and
spunk for double banded the top sails the 2nd part
more moderate the later part pleasant made sail
downward a boat and got a black fish

Tuesday the 8th lat 31° S long 116° 30' W
signs of whole light airs and calm through
these last 24 hours

Wednesday the 9th the first part of these 24 hours
when the later part it commenced raining

Thursday the 10th came S W breeze ship was up
brown of head fore 1000 the weather calm and rainy through
these last 24 hours

Friday the 11th the first part
very rainy the later part most of the same gales
company with the upper square the yards and stowed

Saturday the 12th the first part rainy and moderate
breeze the later part more pleasant with a steady breeze

Sunday the 13th the first part breeze S W same the night
and calm when the breeze got very variable
the later part light breeze S W at 6 am squared
the yards and stowed

Monday the 14th all these 24 hours
fresh gales and squally, violent the fore top yards set
went down main top gable yard fore to a strain and
double reefed the top sails

Tuesday the 15th
the first part fresh gales squally and violent
the fore sails and masted it the later part fresh breeze
heavy squalls were ship and stowed

Wednesday the 16th the first part of these 24 hours
more pleasant the later part squally top masted
yard in bent the spanker for to masted in bent the fore
and stowed the stay stretching sheet

Thursday the 17th all these 24 hours fresh gales
squally all hands in flood in in the ship

Friday the 18th all these 24 hours fresh gales
and cloudy weather bent the fore part masted fore
top galley yard stretching sheet

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Saturday the 19th lat 31° S long 116° 30' W
light breeze S W light airs and pleasant weather
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Sunday the 20th the first part fresh breeze and
rain. Spent the evening at the southern part
the fore part still squally with rainy course of
fresh breeze and squally the later part of these

Monday the 21st lat 31° S long 116° 30' W
all these 24 hours fresh breeze and cloudy weather

Tuesday the 22nd the first part fresh gales and cloudy
the later part it blew hard and began to rain
very much the fore top sails

Wednesday the 23rd all these 24 hours fresh gales
and rain double reefed the fore top sails and furled the
masts and fore

Thursday the 24th lat 31° S long 116° 30' W
all these 24 hours fresh breeze and cloudy weather
bent a whale and chased him up the ship arch of fore
hull 10 ft bunker 30 m out 12 00

Friday the 25th lat 31° S long 116° 30' W
all these 24 hours light winds
and pleasant saw a ship to windward

Saturday the 26th lat 31° S long 116° 30' W
the first part of these 24 hours moderate breeze
the 2nd part saw a whale to windward lowered the boats
the last part the chief mates boat fastened to him soon after
the other 2 the starboard set gun on top of him the 2nd mate
and set steerer got rocket out of the boat now great damage in

Sunday the 27th the first part commenced cutting in spoke
ship base of mainmast the later part finished cutting made
sails and stowed

Monday the 28th all these 24 hours
moderate weather all hands employed in cutting spoke ship
recharge masted of mainmast 30 m out 12 00

Tuesday the 29th the first part of pleasant and
moderate the later part finished sailing and stowed the
sails

Wednesday the 30th the first part it began to blow very
and the later part double reefed the fore top sails and single
up the masts and masts were ship to the southern

Thursday the 31st lat 31° S long 116° 30' W
the first part
fresh breeze and cloudy weather bent the fore part masted fore
weather finished showing, covered main ship and stowed