

Remarks on Board Ship W^m West of Fairhaven

96 Saturday January 18th 1851

First part of the Day fine clear weather & strong breeze from the Westward Ship steering by the wind heading South under Double reefed Topails courses & Gib & Middle part the same latter part more moderate wind from the WSW at 1 P.M. reared ship to the NW ship under single reefed Topails courses & Gib

Latitude 56.33 S Longitude 58.14 W

97 Sunday Jan 19th

First part of this Day pleasant clear weather & strong breeze from the Westward Ship steering by the wind heading S by W under single reefed Topails courses & Gib & spanker Middle part pleasant with moderate wind latter part pleasant with wind from the Northward Ship steering S.W. by W. under all sail saw Nothing of Note

Lat No Observation this Day

98 Monday Jan 20th

First part of this Day fine thick squally weather & strong breeze at 2 P.M. wind reared to the Westward at 2 P.M. Curled Topgallant sail & Double reefed the Topails & Curled the Gib Ship steering by the wind heading S.W. with fresh breeze Middle part strong gale from the Westward Curled Fore & Main gin Topails Ship lying too under Close reefed Main Topails & Fore sail & Fore Topgallant sail & spanker Latter part more moderate but single reefed Topails main sail & Gib wind West ship heading S.W.

Latitude 57.40 S Longitude 58.32 W

99 Tuesday Jan 21st

First part of this Day fine pleasant weather & moderate breeze from the Westward Ship steering by the wind heading S.W. under single reefed Topails main Topgallant sail courses & Gib 2 ships in sight steering S.W. Middle part squally with strong wind from the W.S.W. Ship steering by the wind heading S.W. by W under double reefed Topails Fore sail & Gib Latter part more moderate wind from the W.S.W. Ship steering W by S under single reefed Topails Fore sail Gib main Topgallant sail Thick weather

Latitude by L.A. 59.00 South
Longitude by L.A. 58.30 West

off Cape Horn. Owen Fisher. Master

100 Wednesday January 22nd 1851

First part of this Day fine pleasant thick overcast weather & strong breeze from the NW Ship steering by the wind heading NW at 1 P.M. Curled Main Topgallant sail Main sail & at 2 P.M. Curled Fore & Main gin Topails & spanker & Close reefed the Main Topails. Blowing a heavier Gale from the W.S.W. Ship lying too under Storm sail & co heading W.S.W. Middle part more moderate but Fore & Main gin Topails wind reared to the Westward at 3 P.M. reared to the W.S.W. wind from the NW Latter part squally with strong breeze from the S.W. Ship steering by the wind heading W.S.W. under 2 R Topails Main sail Lat 58.18 S Long 59.21 W

101 Thursday Jan 23rd

First part of this Day thick overcast weather & squally with gale & strong breeze from the NW Ship steering by the wind heading W.S.W. under Double Reefed Topails & courses Middle part more moderate but the Gib & spanker Latter part reared ship to the S.W. wind W.S.W. thick overcast foggy weather with light breeze Ship with all sail at 2 Ships & a Topgallant Schooner in sight saw 2 ships
Lat 59.00 S Longitude 59.20 West

102 Friday Jan 24th

First part of this Day thick overcast weather & light breeze from the W.S.W. Ship steering by the wind heading S.W. under all sail one Topgallant Schooner in sight Middle part wind from the W.S.W. Ship steering W.S.W. under all sail very foggy latter part wind from the W.S.W. Ship steering by the wind heading S.W. under all sail saw 1 Ship steering S.W. undraged in ship duty & co
No Observation this Day

103 Saturday Jan 25th

First part of this Day foggy with rain wind saw bafflin from the W.S.W. to W.S.W. ship course W.S.W. under all sail Middle part strong breeze from the W.S.W. Ship steering W by S at 1 P.M. Curled main Topgallant sail Latter part wind the same Ship steering West under 2 R Topails & courses
Latitude 59.40 South
Longitude 59.30 West