

On board of Barque Brighton

Remarks

Tuesday Sept 25th 1755

This 24 hours comes in fine with fresh breezes from the N. Steering S by W with all sail out topmast and V. S. studding sail set people employed variously saw a sail. Am wind and weather continues the same saw a sail steering westward of W. passed a part of a wreck it looked like the part of a ship's keel and bottom. This evening people variously employed pumps carefully attended to. Steered in the run in evening.

Lat by obs 31.10 N
Long by Chron 22.04 W

Remarks

Wednesday Sept 26th

This 24 hours come in fine with light breezes from N. E. Ship steered S by W people variously employed. Blacksmith at the forge. Am continues the same. Steering S by W. Ship looking as usual. Steered in the run in evening.

Lat by obs 29.27 N
Long by Chron

Remarks

Friday Sept 28th

This 24 hours comes in pleasant with light breezes from the N. Ship steered S by W. sent down the royal yard. Replied it sent the royal and sent it aloft again. Also sent up the main and galant studding sail boom and sail at 5 set the royal. Am continues the same employed in felling lower studding sail gear and Harbored V. mast studding sail this ends. Blacked the anchors.

Lat by obs 27.38 N
Long by Chron 21.40 W

Capt Abner Tucker Outward bound 1755

Remarks

Saturday Sept 29th

The fore part pleasant with light breezes N. E. Ship steered S by W with all sail out studding sail boom and a left the latter part continues the same. This ends this day. Lat by obs 25.14 N

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Sunday Sept 30th

The fore part fine weather and light breezes. Ship with all sail out studding sail boom and a left. Steering S. E. The latter part continues the same. Steering S. E. Lat by obs 25.18 N

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Monday Oct 1st

The fore part comes in with light breezes and passing clouds from N. E. Ship steered S by W with all sail out. Am pleasant with fresh breeze N. E. Ship steered S by W. people variously employed about 9 am took the Steward out of the run and seized him in the main rigging and Capt Tucker put on 25 lashes on the bare back with the single part of 12 yarn seizing line then cut him down and put him in the run again and put him in the run. This ends. Lat by obs 23.17 N
Long by Chron 22.25 W

Remarks

Tuesday Oct 2nd

The fore part fair with fresh breezes N. E. Ship steered S by W with all sail out the latter part continues the same. People employed variously. Ship looking this smooth weather from 25 to 30 strokes to the hour. This ends.

Lat by obs 21.02 N
Long by Chron 22.47 W