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Remarks on board Cape Horn Pigeon

Tuesday, August 24<sup>th</sup>

At 9 o'clock left the wharf and proceeded down the bay with Mr Church as Pilot. The tug boat having us in tow foggy outside

Wednesday Aug 25<sup>th</sup>

First part commenced with moderate breeze and hazy weather from S.W. hauling out of the bay, lashed the Anchors and stowed the chains below at 7 P.M. hove to on our lee beam. Middle part fresh breeze. Latter part fresh breeze and clear steering. S.C. employed in rigging the boats.

Thursday Aug 26<sup>th</sup>

First part commenced with fresh breeze and clear weather from N.W. steering E.S.E. employed in rigging the boats. At 6 P.M. wind hauled to N.E. with rain squalls reefed the top sails. Middle part strong breeze. Latter part more moderate made some sail employed in rigging boats, putting on chafing gear, &c.

Friday Aug 27<sup>th</sup>

First part commenced with strong breeze and cloudy weather from E.S.E. heading S.E. employed in various jobs. Middle blowing strong from E. wore ship to the N.E. Latter part strong breeze with a cross sea. wore ship to the S.E.

Outward Bound

Saturday Aug 28<sup>th</sup>

First part commenced with strong breeze and clear weather from S.E. heading N.E. made some sail. Middle part fresh breeze. Latter part fresh breeze and clear with the sail out. employed in rigging the boats &c.

Sunday Aug 29<sup>th</sup>

First part commenced with fresh breeze and pleasant weather from S.E. sailing by S. The sheet on the Port bow that the fore top mast ~~stay~~ stay and the jib stay set up to, came off. took in sail and balled it on again as well as we could. but we could not get it very solid. Middle part fresh breeze. Latter part fresh breeze and clear. Lat 52.38 N

Monday Aug 30<sup>th</sup>

First part commenced with fresh breeze and pleasant weather from S.W. steering E.S.E. all sail out. Middle part more wind. Latter part fresh breeze with rain squalls. employed in rigging boats and other jobs. several sails in sight, the after shroud to the Starboard Mizzen rigging parted, spliced a piece on and set it up.

Tuesday Aug 31<sup>st</sup>

First part commenced with fresh breeze and clear from N.W. steering E.S.E. at 3 P.M. wind shifted to the S. steering S.E. Middle part fresh breeze. Latter part fresh breeze with heavy rain.

Wednesday Aug 1<sup>st</sup>

First part commenced with moderate breeze and rain squalls, put out the cutting stage. Middle part strong squalls and rain. Latter part calm.