

Outward bound

Wednesday October 14<sup>th</sup> 1829

First part of these 24 hours moderate at 5 p.m. wind veered to the North with thick rainy weather. At 7 fresh breezes double reefed the top sails. Middle part fresh breezes. Latter part moderate, wind NNE, at 10 sail

Latitude by Obs 38:30 N Long by Doc 61:19 W

Thursday Oct 15<sup>th</sup>

First part of these 24 hours light breezes from the Eastward. Middle part calm. Latter part am - all breezes from West, set the steering sails

Latitude by Obs 38:33 N Long by Doc 60:19

Friday Oct 16<sup>th</sup>

First part light breezes from West, steering Ely S. Middle part light breezes and variable with squalls of rain. Latter part fair weather, wind at West

Latitude by Obs 38:23 N Long 59:03 West

Saturday Oct 17<sup>th</sup>

First part fair weather wind westerly. Middle part light breezes with squalls of rain. Wind veered to the NNE. Latter part fair weather, a ship in sight steering SE. At 9 a.m. took a lunar Obs which give the Longitude of 58:09 West. Latitude by Obs 38:30 North

Sunday Oct 18<sup>th</sup>

First part fine breezes from NE to SE. Middle part fresh breezes at 9 took in the top gallant mizzen. At 2 p.m. double reefed the top sails. Latter part strong breezes with rain, steering by the wind to the SE. Lat. by Doc 38:20 Long 52:01

Monday Oct 19<sup>th</sup>

Commences, strong gales with hard squalls. At 3 p.m. took in the fore & Mizzen top sail and clear reefed the main. Middle part hard gales with harder squalls, at 10 took in the fore sail. Latter part, more moderate, wind veered to the SE, wave ship and set the fore sail. Ends, thick rainy weather. No Latitude Long 57:54

Suppage

Tuesday October 20<sup>th</sup>

First part, wind still SE with strong breezes. At 5 p.m. wind more southerly, set fore & Mizzen tops and main sail. Middle part wind south, and squally. Latter part strong gales and rugged steering Ely S. At 9 took in got one sight at the sun & moon, Longitude given, 49:00.30 West. At 11 past a Barke Ship steering West. Latitude by Obs 37:22 North

Wednesday Oct 21<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours strong gales with hard squalls, steering Ely S. under main top sail & fore-sail. Latitude by Obs 37:23 Long 46:49 West

Thursday Oct 22<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours strong gales from South to SW with hard squalls, steering Ely S. under double reef top sails. Latitude by Obs 37:32 N Longitude 50:43.5 W

Friday, Oct 23<sup>rd</sup>

First and Middle part of these 24 hours, strong gales from South to SW, steering Ely S. Latter part more moderate, but still squally, set single reef top sails, Lat by Doc 38:07 Long 48:49

Saturday Oct 24<sup>th</sup>

Commences fresh breezes took in the top gallant sails. At 2 p.m. past a Ship steering West. At 5 p.m. double reefed the top sails. Middle part strong gales with hard squalls took in the main sail and clear reefed the top sails. Latter part wind still South and squally. Latitude by a glimpse of the sun between the squalls, 39:14 Longitude by Doc 39:14

Sunday Oct 25<sup>th</sup>

First part strong gales from South, and squally. Middle part hard gales and squally took in the fore sail and lower top. Latter part At 4 p.m. it fell away to sudden calm, for a few minutes, then small breezes from SW. At 5 fresh gales from SW. Ends, clear weather with strong gales Lat 38:38 Long 47:59 West