

Ship Swift Outward bound

Monday June 25 at 9 A.M. took our anchor for Sea the wind N.W. and fine weather at half past 11 got all hands on board and working out to sea

Tuesday June 26 begins fine and working out the wind N.W. at 12 P.M. reached the Pilot at 4 Steering S. at 6 P.M. no suns Land bearing N. dist 18 miles and put away S.W. the weather fine latter part the sun and birds employ a biting boat and departed 10 miles Lat by obs 39.53 N Long by obs 59.27 W

Wednesday June 27 began with fine weather wind N. and steering S.W. at 7 P.M. kept off S.W. the middle part a fine breeze at 5 P.M. wind held to N.E. and a fresh breeze took in Topgallant Sails and the latter part the same 3 ships in sight Lat 38.59 N Long 59.40 W

Thursday June 28 begins with fine weather wind E. at 6 P.M. veer away E. the middle part a breeze from S.W. Steering S.W. the latter part Steering E. by S. hands employed about ship duty Lat 38.09 N Long 55.10 W

Friday June 29 1849 begins with a fine breeze from N.W. Steering E. by S. and hands employed about ship duty the middle part the wind held to the S.E. latter part S. and raining and a fresh breeze Lat 38.00 N Long 53.05 W

Saturday June 30 begins with a squally weather and sun at 3 P.M. soon raining down it blowing on at 6 took in the Main Topgallant and clear up the fore it blowing a gale from N.W. at 9 P.M. hove to under close reef Main Topgallant &

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Fore Topgallant staysail it blowing very heavy at 1 P.M. the gale abated some and the wind held to N.W. and a heavy sea on at 6 P.M. kept off E. so small with rough weather Lat 38.38 Long 60.55 W

Sunday July 1st 1849 begins with strong wind from N.W. Steering E. at 5 P.M. got the Main Topgallant Sail on the middle part wind held to the South latter part rainy & Steering E. one sail in sight ahead Lat 38.55 Long 59.10 W

Monday July 2nd 1849 begins with rainy weather wind S.W. and Steering E. at 4 P.M. raise the lead and a fine breeze the middle fine latter part down rainy wind S.W. one ship in sight hands employed about ship duty Lat 40.10 N Long 55.40 W

Tuesday July 3rd 1849 begins with a fresh breeze from S.W. & Steering E. by S. at 6 P.M. blowing on a feet high double reef Topgallant the weather thick & heavy the middle and latter part blowing a gale from S.W. and raining would double reef Fore & Main Topgallant & Fore Sail so would two ships in sight Steering East Lat 41.13 N Long 54.30 W

Wednesday July 4th begins with strong wind from S.W. & Steering E. by S. the middle and latter part a thick fog and green water so would these 24 hours Lat 41.05 N Long 47.40 W

Thursday July 5th 1849 begins with fresh wind from S.W. and Steering S.E. would short sail the weather thick the middle rainy & wind held to the North and lead of fine and Steering S.E. so small fine weather Lat 40.13 N Long 45.05 W