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Passage from N Bedford to the Sandwich Islands

Nov 11/11

under Close Rpt Min top sail & Pumpst Ship found considerable water. One week to day since I left home, what a contrast between my situation to day & one week ago. Then every thing was quiet and serene now a gale of wind. To be it middle part winds increased to a severe gale. Boreas Main top sail sheet & latter part heavy swell coming from the N.W. with squalls of wind & rain steering E by S wind N.W.

Thursday Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>

Lat by Obs 33° 45'  
Long Obs

Even with squalls of wind & rain from the N.W. steering E by S. Under bare poles at 2 P.M. let the fore sail. Saw a ship astern steering to the S. Middle part squalls of wind & rain. latter part still continues uncomfortable weather. Employed in setting up Main topmast Backstays &c. So ends this sea day.

Lat by Obs 33° 45'  
Long Obs

Friday Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>

Even with squalls of wind and rain from the N.W. steering E by S. Middle part about the same steering E by S. latter part all hands employed in ship's duty. This ends the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of

Lat  
Long

Saturday Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>

Even with light baffling winds from the Westward steering E by S. All hands employed in ship's duty. Middle part moderate breeze from the N.W. steering E by S. latter part saw white birds then stored backs

Lat by Obs 37° 11'  
Long Obs 154° 52'

Sunday Nov 3<sup>rd</sup>

Even with light fresh breeze from N.W. steering E by S. Middle part (much part strong winds from the South Rpt top sail & latter part all hands employed in putting boats to sea at last