

Bound to the Western Islands.

to the Eastward, Middle part Calm, at 6 A.M. saw a Bark to windward
Steering to the westward, latter part light winds from the S.E. so ends
Monday. Lat. by obs. 35° 29' N. — Long. 62° 24' W.
Sept. 10th First part from the N.E. Steering to the E.S.E. by the wind at 6
A.M. took in the P.G. Sails, at 8 D.O. Double reefed the P.S.
at 5 A.M. let out the reefs, Middle and latter part strong winds
from the E. by N. so ends variously employed. —
Lat. by obs. 35° 21' N. — Long. 61° 59' W.
Sept. 11th First and middle part winds from N.E. to S.S.E. steering to the
S.E. by the wind, at 8 A.M. Single reefed the P. Sails at 1/2 past
D.O. tacked Ship to the Northward at 5 A.M. let out the reefs and
set the M. P.G. Sail, at 6 D.O. saw a Sail astern, latter part clear and
fine so ends variously employed,
Lat. by obs. 35° 28' N. — Long. by Obs. 60° 35' W.
Sept. 12th Commences with brisk winds from the S.E. and fine weather at
1/2 past Meridian set the Fore & Mizzen P.G. Sails and Fly Jib
at 4 P.M. Equally attended with rain took in the P.G. Sails and Fly
Jib, at 6 D.O. Double reefed the P. Sails, at 7 D.O. took in the Fly
& Spanker, at 2 A.M. more moderate let out the reefs, at 5 D.O.
made all Sail, latter part clear and pleasant so ends the Day
Lat. by obs. 36° 27' N. — Long. by Obs. 58° 39' W.
Sept. 13th Commences with strong winds from the S.E. Steering to the E.
by the wind Sail set, saw two sail to windward, at 7 D.O. took
in the Fly Jib at 9 D.O. took in the Fore & Mizzen P.G. Sails at 6
A.M. made all Sail latter part moderate so ends. —
Lat. by obs. 37° 05' N. — Long. by Obs. 56° 37' W.
Sept. 14th All these 24 hours fresh breezes from E.S.E. to S.E. by S. Steering
to the N.E. by the wind all sail set variously employed —
Lat. by obs. 38° 34' N. — Long. by Obs. 54° 25' W.
Sept. 15th Commences with fresh Gales from the S.E. and pleasant Steering
to the Eastward by the wind, Middle part Calm, latter part
light winds from the S.S.E. and fine weather, at 6 A.M. saw a
Sail to windward so ends nothing more to be remarked
Lat. by obs. 39° 08' N. — Long. by Obs. 53° 06' W.
Sept. 16th Commences with light winds from the S.S.E. and fine
weather Steering to the Eastward by the wind Middle and latter
part variable winds from the westward Steering to the E.S.E.
Lat. by obs. 39° 19' N. — Long. by Obs. 50° 39' W.

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Monday. Sept. 15th. Commences with winds from the N. Steering to the E.S.E.
at 4 P.M. the wind veered to the E. by S. attended by the wind at 7 D.O.
took in the P.G. Sails and Fly Jib Middle and latter part
variable winds from the Eastward are equally attended with rain
at 6 A.M. made all Sail, Steering on different tacks by the wind
so ends these 24 hours a number of sail in sight
Lat. by obs. 38° 27' N. — Long. 50° 14' W.
Sept. 16th. Commences with fresh Gales from the S.W. and equally attended
with showers of rain, Steering to the E.S.E. at 8 P.M. took in the
P.G. Mizzen P.G. Sails and Fly Jib, at 1 A.M. made all Sail Middle
and latter part winds from the W. S. W. and fine weather
at 11 A.M. saw a break on the weather quarter, more ship and
braced sharp by the wind at noon bore away our course again
so ends these 24 hours in company with several sail.
Lat. by obs. 38° 24' N. — Long. 46° 46' W.
Sept. 17th. All these 24 hours brisk winds from the S.W. by S.W. and fine
weather, Steering to the E. by S. 1/2 S. all sail set, at 1 P.M. spoke
the Bark D. Franklin of Westport 13 Days out, latter part
saw the D. Franklin take a Blackfish, so ends variously employed
Lat. 38° 23' N. — Long. 44° 04' W.
Sept. 18th. Commences with pleasant Gales from the S.W. and fine weather
Steering to the E.S.E. at 5 P.M. Capt. Parker went onboard
of the D. Franklin, at 7 D.O. returned again, at 6 A.M. saw sperm
Whales, and lowered the Boats, at 4 D.O. the Starboard and Waist Boats
fastened, at 11 D.O. took two Whales to the ship, the remainder
of the day employed in rigging cutting gear &c. &c.
Lat. by obs. 38° 31' N. — Long. 44° 04' W.
Sept. 19th. At 1 P.M. commenced cutting at 4 D.O. finished at 8 A.M. com-
mence boiling, winds from the S.W. by W. heading to the South-
ward by the wind under easy sail, so ends these 24 hours boiling
Lat. by obs. 39° 08' N. — Long. 40° 02' W.
Sept. 20th. Commences with fresh Gales from the S.W. and sea, Steering
to the Southward by the wind, at 7 P.M. spoke the D. Franklin
boiling, put away to the E. by S. 1/2 S. Middle part cloudy
latter part equally attended with heavy showers of rain at 10 A.M.
finished boiling, winds from the N.E. heading to the E.S.E.
by the wind so ends these 24 hours. — No obs.