

Remarks on board the ship Betsy Williams of Stonington.

Saturday, March 15th, 1851— The past 24 hours has been attended with fine breezes from S.W. the weather fair, steering N.W. by N. per compass, the ship under all sail, the watches employed at painting &c. thus ends.

Lat 1° 51' N. Lon 37° 22' West.

Sunday, March 16th, 1851— The first part moderate breezes from N.W. the weather fair, at 10 P.M. took a heavy squall of wind & rain, from S. & split the flying jib, the latter part fine breezes from S.W. steering N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail except the flying jib, thus ends.

Lat 3° 13' N. Lon 38° 41' W.

Monday, March 17th, 1851— All these 24 hours fine breezes from N.W. the weather fair, steering N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail except the flying jib the watches employed at repairing the flying jib, thus ends.

Lat 5° 45' N. Lon 40° 37' W.

Tuesday, March 18th, 1851— All these 24 hours fine gales from S.W. steering N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail, so ends.

Lat 7° 44' N. Lon 42° 42' W.

Wednesday, March 19th, 1851— All these 24 hours fine gales from S.W. steering N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail, the weather fair, so ends.

Lat 10° 27' N. Lon 45° 04' W.

Thursday, March 20th, 1851— These 24 hours fine gales & pleasant weather, steering N.W. by N. per compass under all sail, the watches employed at a few sundry jobs, wind S.W. the ends.

Lat 12° 54' N. Lon 47° 43' W.

Friday, March 21st, 1851— All these 24 hours fine gales from S. the weather fair, steering N.W. by N. per compass under all sail, this A.M. the watches employed at painting the sail inside at 7 P.M. we passed by a brig that was steering West. the same time we set the main top galant, & fore top mast studsails, thus ends.

Lat 15° 06' N. Lon 50° 00' West.

Saturday, March 22nd, 1851— These 24 hours passed fine gales from S. the weather fair, steering N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail the watches employed at painting the sail inside, thus ends.

Lat 16° 57' N.

Sunday, March 23rd, 1851— The past 24 hours moderate breezes from S.W. the weather fair, steering N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail the watch this P.M. employed at painting, so ends.

Lat 18° 12' North. Lon 53° 07' W.

Monday, March 24, 1851— Begins with moderate breezes from S.W. the middle & latter part fine breezes from S. the weather fair, steering N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail, thus ends.

Lat 20° 02' N. Lon 54° 55' W.

Tuesday, March 25th, 1851. These 24 hours fine breezes, the first part from S. the middle & latter part from S.W. the weather fair, steering N.W. by N. under all sail, the watches employed at sundry jobs about the ship.

Lat 21° 43' N. Lon 56° 31' W.

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Wednesday, March 26th, 1851— Begins with a fine breeze from S. the middle & latter part moderate baffling breezes from S. the weather fair, attended with light squalls, steering N.W. by N. per compass under all sail, thus ends.

Lat 22° 55' N. Lon 58° W.

Thursday, March 27th, 1851— Begins with moderate breezes from S. the weather fair till 10 P.M. thence calm & rainy till 4 A.M. then took a light breeze from N. with rain, the first part steering N.W. per compass. at 5 P.M. we took a heavy squall of wind & rain, from S.W. we took in flying jib & top galantsails, then clewed down & double reefed the topsails, & furled the mainsail, steering by the wind heading N.W. by W. thus ends.

Lat 23° 33' N.

Friday, March 28th, 1851— The past 24 hours strong gales & squally weather from S.W. the ship under double reefed topsails, jib & foresail & main spencer, steering by the wind heading N.W. by W. per compass.

Lat 24° 25' N. Lon 60° 56' West.

Saturday, March 29th, 1851— All these 24 hours strong gales from S.W. the weather fair, steering by the wind heading N.W. by W. per compass, under double reefed topsails, jib, foresail, & main spencer, at 11 P.M. the S. watch bent a new mainsail, so ends.

Lat 25° 25' N. Lon 62° 24' W.

Sunday, March 30th, 1851. These 24 hours strong gales from S.W. the middle part squally, at 2 P.M. we shook the reefs out the topsails, & set the main top galantsail steering by the wind heading N.W. per compass, at 7 A.M. we set all sail, thus ends.

Lat 27° 08' N. Lon 64° 30' West.

Monday, March 31st, 1851— All these 24 hours fine gales the first part from S.W. till 8 P.M. thence from S. steering N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail, this A.M. we hoisted the trymacks overboard, thus ends.

Lat 29° 10' N. Lon 66° 36' W.

Tuesday, April 1st, 1851— These 24 hours fine breezes from S. the weather fair steering N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail, the watches employed at painting, at 5 P.M. we spoke the Brig Welham of Buenos Ayres, thus ends.

Lat 31° 11' N. Lon 68° 18' W.

Wednesday, April 2nd, 1851— The first part moderate breezes from S.W. steering by the wind heading N.W. by N. per compass, under all sail, the middle & latter part calm, the watches employed at painting the ship outside, thus ends.

Lat 31° 57' North Lon 69° 12' West.

Thursday, April 3rd, 1851. Begins with a calm the weather fair, at 1 P.M. the wind breezed from S. the weather fair, steering N.W. by N. per compass, at 11 P.M. the wind changed to S.W. the latter part fresh breezes, ship under all sail, the watches employed this P.M. at painting, thus ends.

Lat 34° 15' N.