

EXTRACT FROM CHIEF OFFICER'S LOG BOOK

Voyage from ROTTERDAM towards BALTIMORE -
14th and 15th May, 1953.

At Sea, Thursday, 14th May 1953.

Courses: 00.00-24.00: 242 (Gyro) - 251 (Standard) -
261 (Steering) ; WIND: WSW, WSW, S, WSW, SW, SSW;
FORCE: 6/5, 6/7, 6/7, 6/7, 6/7, 5/6; BAROMETER:
29-47, 29-51, 29-41, 29-37, 29-44, 29-47, 29-43;
TEMPERATURE: 56, 54, 56, 58, 56, 558

04.00 Strong breeze, cloudy wr. good vis., rough sea labouring
and pounding occasionally.
08.00 Strong breeze, cloudy and occasional showers, rough sea
labouring mod'ly and pounding at times, good vis., mod.
swell.
12.00 Strong breeze, o'cast, occ. raining, rough sea, mod. swell
mod. vis., labouring, pounding & stern racing occ'ly.
16.00 Strong breeze, partly cloudy wr., good vis., rough sea &
mod. swell, labouring mod'ly & pounding occ'ly.
20.00 Strong breeze, cloudy, good vis., rough sea & mod. SW swell
ship labouring & pounding at times. - Clocks retained 20 mins.
24.00 Strong to fresh breeze, fine clear, rough sea, Mod. swell,
good vis., labouring & pounding occ'ly.

At Sea, Friday, 15th May, 1953.

Courses: 00.00-13.00 : 242 (Gyro) - 252 (Standard) 263
(Steering) ; Wind: SW, SW, SSW, SW, SW, SW, ; Forces: 6/7;
Barometer: 29-39, 29-43, 29-49, 29-49, 29-53, 29-54 ;
Thermometer: 55, 58, 59, 50, 56, 56° F.

04.00 Strong breeze, cloudy wr., good vis., rough sea, mod. swell,
labouring mod'ly & pounding occ'ly. -Clocks retained 20 Mins.
Keeping on (+1)
08.00 Strong breeze, fine clear, vis. good, rough sea, & mod. swell,
ship labouring heavily & bottom pounding.
12.00 Strong breeze, fine clear, good vis., rough sea, mod. swell,
labouring & pounding heavily.
16.00 Strong breeze, fine clear, good vis., rough sea & mod. swell,
labouring heavily & pounding occ'ly.
20.00 Strong breeze, fine clear, good vis., rough sea and heavy
WSW swell, ship labouring heavily and pounding at times.
24.00 Strong breeze, fine clear, good vis. rough sea and heavy
swell, labouring heavily and pounding occ'ly.

Sgd. ... Master

Sgd. ... Chief Officer



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