

Remarks on Board of Ship

Friday, Sept 19th 1845

This day commences with light & variable winds watch employed in croaking heads & sails in sight middle parts the same & at 5:30^{pm} toward the boats after a while Surber shines in the starboard boat & at 1:30^{pm} the whole going to fast & under water latter part strong winds so ends the day

Lat 53.10. N Long.

Saturday Sept 20th

This day begins with strong winds from the N.W. & strong out from the land & sails in sight light middle parts the same & latter part they do not know so ends this day of 24th hours

Lat 53.20. N Long.

Sunday Sept 21st 1845

This day commences with strong winds from the N.W. & strong by the at 10:30^{am} we had a tremendous shock of an earthquake so as to wake every man in the ship that is for myself I thought they would beat me to death with such humours with was under my berth at the time some poor unfortunate came up to get part of it Capt King asked John what was the matter up to the mast head he said old fire-iron showing what he could do if he had a mind to John made several remarks about it another light shock at 4:30^{pm} toward the starboard boat & went to a crack about it was a sea whale middle & latter part the same so ends the day

Lat 53.21. N

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Sunday Sept 22nd

This day commences with moderate winds from S.E. strong in for the land saw nothing but hump backs watch employed in ships duty middle parts the same & latter part cloudy & raining looks in sail at sunset latter part the same so ends the day

Lat 53.30. N

This day

Tuesday Sept 23rd

This day begins with moderate winds from the S.E. heading in for the land & sails in sight middle parts the same & latter part the same bore N by W 15 miles so ends the day, saw hump backs

Lat 53.40. N

Wednesday Sept 24th

This day commences with strong winds from the S.E. at 8 A.M. toward the boats to go in show saw whales chased them without success middle parts calm latter part strong off shore so ends the day

Thursday Sept 25th Lat 53.20. N

This day commences with light winds & variable at 8 A.M. toward the boats after a while some killers galled them spoke the City of Squabtown on the boat to the Lucy Ann boats in water middle parts the same & latter part the same so ends the day went a galling board the Lucy Ann

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