

Remarks on board the Bark Core on a

Thursday Nov 28th 1839

For part of this day a strong breeze at 3 P.M. moderate and veered to N.W. steering by the wind to the South at 5 P.M. the wind hauled to the N.W. at 5 P.M. the wind veered to N.W. and latter part a strong breeze Lat 43.28 Long 176.42 E

Friday Nov 29th 1839

this day begins with fine pleasant weather at 2 P.M. the wind hauled to the S.E. and a strong breeze steering by the wind to the S.W. by S. Middle and latter part the same steering S.W. by S. Lat 44.05 Long 175.11 E

Saturday Nov 30th 1839

For part of this day a brisk breeze from S.E. by E steering S.W. by W. Per compass saw a number of fin backs Middle part a fresh breeze at 5 A.M. saw a ship steering to the Westward latter part a strong breeze from the E.S.E. steering by the wind to the south Lat 45.27 Long 174.57 E

Sunday December 1st 1839

For part of this day a strong breeze from the E.S.E. at 11 past meridian wore ship heading to the N.E. at 3 P.M. ~~the~~ double reef the top sails slowly weather Middle part a fresh gale at 12 the wind moderate at 4 A.M. the wind from the westward at 5 wore ship steering E.N.E. per compass latter part a light breeze and a heavy swell from the Eastward and slowly Lat 44.52

Long 175.59 E

Whaling Voyage Humphrey Sherman Master

Monday Dec 2nd 1839

For part of this day a light breeze from the Westward a heavy swell from the Eastward and Roudy at 6 P.M. saw a shoal of sperm Whales going quick to the N. board our boats but without success Middle part light breeze latter part calm Lat 44.29

Long 176.56 E

Tuesday Dec 3rd 1839

For part of this day calm at 2 P.M. a light breeze from S.E. steering N.E. per compass at 11 P.M. the wind veered to S.W. at 5 P.M. wore ship heading to the N.W. latter part a fresh breeze Lat 43.55 Long 177.01 East

Wednesday Dec 4th 1839

For part of this day a brisk breeze from the N.W. steering by the wind to the N.W. Middle part a strong breeze at 1 A.M. wore ship heading to the E.N.E. latter part a strong breeze from the N. and pleasant weather Lat 43.37 Long 177.72 East

Thursday Dec 5th 1839

For part of this day a strong breeze from the N steering by the wind to the E.N.E. saw a number of fin backs at 6 P.M. saw a shoal of sperm Whales going quick to the windward board our boats but without success Middle part the wind from the N latter part wind from the N.W. at 5 A.M. wore ship heading to the N.W. Lat 43.20 Long 178.00

Friday Dec 6th 1839

For part wind from the N.W. and rainy steering by the wind to the N.W. at 1 A.M. wind from N.W. steering N.E. latter part a fine breeze Lat 42.56 Long 178.51 East