

1) Saturday, May 8. 1852

These 24 hours begins with strong gales from the E. S. E. ship have two heading N. E. at 3 P. M. were ship to the S. at 6 begins to moderate the weather still continues thick. saw nothing. the middle and latter part strong breeze at 8 a.m. were ship to the Eastward. saw nothing ship under short sail.

Lat. 55° 11' N. Long 157° 1' W.

Sunday, May 9.

These 24 hours begins with fresh gales from the South. ship under short sail. heading E. S. E. so rigged to whale at 6 P. M. wind came to the S. W. the middle continues much the same. the latter part strong breeze the weather clear and very bright. ship under double reef top sails at 9 a.m. hoisted 2 quarter boats for R. Whaley. at 7 bells came on board the whaler on the weather quarter. Linn 15. 13

Lat. 54° 33' N. Long 157° 22' W.

Monday, May 10.

These 24 hours begins with fresh breeze from the S. S. E. with a heavy swell. on cold rollers lashed and chained in at 4 past 5. came on board steered by the wind to the S. S. W. wind S. E. the weather looks threatening. as usual at sea set took in sail for the night. the middle and latter part strong gales from the S. E. to S. S. E. with clear weather. bad sea on. ship heading to the S. W.

Lat. 54° 30' N. Long 157° 22' W.

Tuesday, May 11.

These 24 hours begins with strong gales from the S. S. E. ship have two heading S. W. at 5 P. M. wind came to the S. S. W. at 6 P. M. were ship to the S. E. were heavy sea running. the middle part continues much the same. the latter part wind came to the S. S. E. the weather drizzle. ship under short sail. heading East. saw nothing.

Lat. 54° 38' N.

Wednesday, May 12. 1852

These 24 hours begins with strong gales from the S. S. E. accompanied with thick rainy weather ship have two heading East. at 6 P. M. were ship to the S. W. saw a school of Whales close to the ship. the middle and latter part continues strong gales and thick weather ship under short sail heading S. S. W. this day no observation.

Thursday, May 13.

These 24 hours begins with strong gales from the S. S. E. accompanied with thick rainy weather. at 5 P. M. the gale begins to moderate at 10. the wind came to the South and moderate with thick rain. ship heading to the Westward. were ship to the S. S. E. at 11 a.m. the latter part fresh breeze and rigged ship under whole top sails. steering by the wind E. S. E. at 8 a.m. hoisted for the day at 4 past 12 came on board so rigged could not get the run of the Whales. Lat. 54° 53' N. Long 157° 52' W.

Friday, May 14.

These 24 hours begins with moderate breeze from the South ship under all sail heading to the Westward. saw several fair harks. at 8 took in sail for the night. the middle part continues much the same. the latter part squally winds from the E. S. E. ship under whole top sails. heading S. at 9 a.m. hoisted 2 quarter boats for R. Whaley. star boat went on the whaler deck. at 11. came on board put the ship under double reef top sails. so rigged to be towed several Whales. Lat. 54° 41' N.

Saturday, May 15.

These 24 hours begins with strong gales from the East accompanied with rain and sheet. at 2 P. M. took in fore top sails. at 6 P. M. were ship to the N. E. the middle part continues the same. the latter part ends with strong gales and clear weather. at 4 a.m. saw R. Whaley. so rigged to loom. Lat. 54° 54' N. Long 157° 53' W.

Sunday, May 16.

These 24 hours begins with strong gales from the Eastward ship have two heading N. E. at 6 were ship to the S. by E. the gale increases the weather drizzle. the middle part wind came to the South. the latter part moderate. at 11 a.m. set whole top sails hoisted by the wind to the Eastward saw 2 Whales going quick did not loom. Lat. 54° 53' N. Long 157° 43' W.