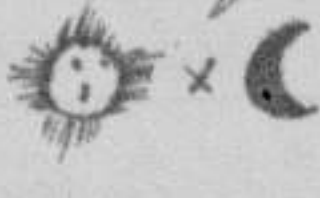


Thursday) September 11th 1834 Bish breezes & clear pleasant weather. Steered to the N & E by the wind. At 4.30 P.M. took a Lunar Observation and the longitude deduced was $156^{\circ}48'45''$ W. At Noon Sperm Whales were raised from the Row by Wm G. Gifford, three points off the lee bow.  Lat Obs $26^{\circ}14' N$.

Friday) Sept. 12th Fresh breezes and pleasant weather. At 1 P.M. the three Boats were lowered for Whaling. Starboard Boat got one of about 20 Blb. Got it alongside and cut in by Sunset. Steered to the N & E. At 6^{1/2} A.M. raised Sperm Whales from the Row by James D. Swift. At 8 A.M. lowered. Waist Boat got one of about 35 Blb.  Lat Obs $26^{\circ}29' N$.

Saturday) Sept. 13 Strong breezes and fair weather. At 2 P.M. took up the Boats. At Sundown had the Waist Boats Whale cut in. At 10 P.M. commenced boiling. Steered to the S & E by the wind. At 4 A.M. tacked to the Northward. Lat Obs $26^{\circ}41' N$ Long $157^{\circ}30' W$.

Sunday) Sept. 14th Fresh gales and pleasant weather. Steered to the S & E by the wind. Reefed the Topsails. Tying out Blubber. Saw nothing Lat Obs $25^{\circ}47' N$ Long $156^{\circ}46' W$.

Monday) Sept. 15th Strong breezes and fair weather. Steered to S & E. At 5 P.M. went to the Northward. Wind E & S to East. Under Reefed Topsails. Lat Obs $26^{\circ}45' N$ Long $156^{\circ}30' W$.

Tuesday) Sept. 16th First part strong breezes and, clear weather with passing cloudy occasionally. Steered by the wind to the Northward. Wind East to N & E. Latter part more moderate & smoother sea. Lat Obs $28^{\circ}22' N$ Long $157^{\circ}05' W$.

Wednesday) Sept. 17th 1834 Moderate breezes & pleasant weather. Steered by the wind to the South & East. At 8 A.M. tacked to the Northward. Wind E & S to East. Lat Obs $28^{\circ}00' N$ Long $156^{\circ}50' W$.

Thursday) Sept. 18th Moderate breezes and pleasant weather excepting some slight rain squally at night. Steered to the North & East by the wind. Wind East to E & S. Saw nothing Lat Obs $28^{\circ}52' N$ Long $155^{\circ}40' W$.

Friday) Sept. 19th Wind and weather the same as yesterday. Steered to the North & East by the wind. Wind East to E & S. Lat Obs $30^{\circ}26' N$ Long $154^{\circ}33' W$.

Saturday) Sept. 20th Gentle breezes and pleasant weather. Steered to N & E by the wind. A long swell from the N & E. Wind East to E & S. Lat Obs $31^{\circ}14' N$ Long $153^{\circ}03' W$.

Sunday) Sept. 21st Fresh breezes and variable, with occasional squalls & rain. Steered to the N & E by the wind. At 6 P.M. tacked to the Southward. At 3 A.M. tacked to N & E. Wind from N & E to S & E. Lat Obs $32^{\circ}05' N$ Long $151^{\circ}57' W$.

Monday) Sept. 22nd Bish breezes from the S & E and pleasant weather. At 2 P.M. raised several scattering Sperm Whales from the Row by Henry Luce. Lowered the Boats for them, and Starboard Boat fastened to a large whale. Afterward the other Boats, and got him secured alongside at Sundown. At Daylight commenced cutting in. Lay too under close reefed Topsails heading up East, off N & E. Lat Obs $32^{\circ}20' N$ Long $151^{\circ}40' W$.

Tuesday) Sept. 23rd First part fresh breezes & pleasant weather. At Sundown had the Whale cut in & head & jink on deck. Through the night squally with rains. Steered to the S & E by the wind under close reefed Topsails & Bow Course. Wind S & W to S.W. Latter part it blew a violent gale from S.W. Lay too under close