

Shoerner Glacier Log Remarks on Board Thursday October 19th 1865

Commenced with a strong breeze from N.W. & squally weather. Steering by the wind under easy sail heading N.W. by E. Middle part light breeze & pleasant. Later part light air & calm. Employed stowing down oil. Weather job so ends this day.

Friday Oct 20th

These 24 hours commenced with light air from the N.W. & cloudy weather. By the wind on different tacks two sails in sight. Finished stowing down the two whale boats. 20 lbs. Middle part strong breeze from N.W. by N. Single reefed fore & mainsail. Later part a fresh gale blowing to under Balance reefed mainsail & double reefed foresail. Barometer 29.7 is falling so ends this day.

Saturday Oct 21st

This day comes in with a fresh gale from N.W. & cloudy weather. Laying to in the gulf stream under Balance reefed mainsail & double reefed foresail. A large sea running at 2 p.m. Close reefed the fore. Middle part moderate & squally. Later part the wind veered to N. & more around heading N.W. by E.

Sunday Oct 22nd

Commenced with a strong breeze from N.W. & squally weather. By the wind under easy sail up N.W. by E. Middle part a moderate gale from the N.W. by N. & squally with rain heading N.W. so ends this day. Lat 39.53. Long 52.16 W.

Homeward Bound

Remarks on Board Monday October 23rd 1865

These 24 hours commenced with a strong breeze from N.W. & squally weather. By the wind up N.W. Middle part pleasant. Later part light breeze & cloudy. Made all sail. Employed boiling. Blackfish. Antone Harris off duty sick so ends this day. Lat 38.15 N. Long 51.44 W.

Tuesday Oct 24th

Commenced with light air from N.W. & cloudy weather. A large swell on. Steering by the wind heading N.W. by N. for the boiler. The Blackfish. Middle part strong breeze from N.W. by N. The wind up N.W. by N. Single reefed. Later part wind hauled to N.W. & more around heading N.W. by E. so ends this day.

Wednesday Oct 25th

This day comes in with light breeze from N.W. & passing rain squalls. Steering by the wind heading N.W. & large swell from the N.W. Lawrence Walsh still off duty sick. Antone Harris. Middle part light breeze from N.W. Later part light breeze from N.W. & rain. Steering N.W. by E. Employed filling salt water in the after hold to trim her by the stern so ends.

Thursday Oct 26th

Commenced with a fresh breeze from the N.W. & rainy weather. Steering N.W. by N. Working the mainsail. At 4 p.m. wind increased & double reefed the foresail. One sail in sight to the N.W. Middle part moderate & rainy. Purged the catch rope of the foresail. Later part light breeze from Eastward & rainy. The sick about the same so ends this day.