

1888 Schooner Hattie E. Smith J. E. Bourne Master

Thursday May 31st

This Day begins with fine clear Weather with North East Wind saw one Vessel bound East-Middle Part-light Weather latter Part fine clear light Weather with smooth Water saw considerable drift-stuff good Water for Whales Mr. Hutchinson about the same Mr. Worth better Crew employed at general Work so ends this Day

Lat 30° 38' North
Long 53° 50' West

Friday June 1st

This Day begins with fine clear light Weather with North East Wind Middle Part Calm latter Part Calm Water thick and no indications of Whales Mr. Worth better Mr. Hutchinson about the same sent in the Jib and began to repair it so ends this Day

Lat 30° 24' North
Long 54° 05' West

Saturday June 2nd

This Day begins with a calm at 4 P.M. finished repairing the Jib and sent it out again Middle Part Calm latter Part very light South East Wind and Calm Mr. Worth the same Mr. Hutchinson better Crew engaged breaking out Provisions so ends this Day

Lat 30° 34' North
Long 53° 49' West

Sunday June 3rd

This Day begins with light South East Winds and Calm Middle Part Calm latter Part good Breeze from the Eastward saw some Porpoises and small fish and wreck stuff Mr. Worth better Mr. Hutchinson the same so ends this Day

Lat 30° 07' North
Long 53° 57' West

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Monday June 4th

This Day begins with good Easterly Wind Vessels head south Middle Part fine Weather latter Part Wind hauled to the South and came up Rainy and squally saw a spout looked like a Humpback Mr. Worth returned to Duty Mr. Hutchinson no better Crew engaged at general Work so ends this Day

Lat 30° 26' North
Long 53° 32' West

Tuesday June 5th

This begins with Rainy squally Weather with South Wind and considerable sea Middle Part fine Weather latter Part fine clear Weather and smooth Water but the other forsook the our We were using having give out Mr. Hutchinson a little better Crew engaged at general Work so ends this Day

Lat 30° 41' North
Long 52° 56' West

Wednesday June 6th

This Day begins with fine clear Weather with South Wind and smooth Water Middle Part fine Weather latter Part fine clear Weather with South Wind Mr. Hutchinson better Crew employed at general Work so ends this Day

Lat 31° 24' North
Long 51° 55' West

Thursday June 7th

This Day begins with fine clear Weather and smooth Water good Breeze from the South Middle Part fine Weather latter Part fine clear Weather with South Wind and smooth Water saw one sail and a good many Porpoises Mr. Hutchinson better Crew employed at general Work so ends this Day

Lat 31° 43' North
Long 51° 32' West