

Thurs 11 July

Friday June 29

Begins with fine pleasant weather Barks chasing whales game then up and came on board at 8 A.M. 3 ships in sight all chasing Middle part fine Latter part the same wind till at 8 A.M. raised whales lowered & Batt without success. Landed & came with the James Mearns.

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Lat by Magnetic Altitude 17.58.5  
Long by Chronometer 116.30.8

Saturday June 30

Begins with light airs & calms all sail set three sails in sight Middle part fine Latter part calm employed breaking out masts & c. Sailed.

Lat by Magnetic Altitude 17.57.5  
Long by Chronometer 116.47.8

Sunday July 1st

Begins with light airs from NW all sail set heading variously game with the Newark. Middle part a moderate breeze from the westward all sail set steering S.W. & Latter part a moderate breeze with frequent rain squalls from S.W. Ship by the wind the sails in sight & c. Sailed.

Lat by Magnetic Altitude 17.59.8  
Long by Chronometer 117.11.6

Monday July 2

Begins with light breezes with light breezes and fine weather from South & Westward the sails in sight and sailing near ship by the wind all sail set Middle part a moderate breeze heading South. Latter part a moderate breeze from SW all sail set steering S.W. & c. Sailed in light water variously employed & c.

Lat by Magnetic Altitude 18.06.8  
Long by Chronometer 118.01.6

Tuesday 3 July

Begins with a brisk breeze from NW all sail set steering N.W. & by the wind heading NW three sails in sight Middle part moderate ship by the wind heading S.W. & saw the James Mearns sailing. Latter part overcast wind S.W. ship by the wind over the track. at 10 P.M. raised a Hump Back lowered the boats dined and shifted to the Larboard Boat. Sailed.

Lat by Magnetic Altitude 17.54.5  
No observations

Wednesday 4 July

Begins with moderate overcast weather from S.W. ship with all sail out by the wind on Starboard tack heading S.W. & c. lowered twice for Hump Back without success. Middle part moderate Latter part a strong breeze from S.W. ship by the wind on Starboard tack the sails in sight. parted the fore top gallant back stay. Sailed.

Lat by Magnetic Altitude 18.06.5  
Long by Chronometer 117.55.6