

Remarks On Board Ship *Hesperus*
Tuesday May the 25th 1847
These 24 hours strong breeze saw
finbacks the Land in sight
Lat 73-42

Wednesday May the 26th 1847
The first and middle strong wind the
latter more moderate saw one ship
and a brig and blackfish
Lat 73-27 Long 74-58

Thursday May the 27th 1847
These 24 hours light winds saw
finbacks and blackfish
Lat 73-20 Long 74-58

Friday May the 28th 1847
These 24 hours light winds saw black
fish
Lat 73-01 Long 74-58

Saturday May the 29th 1847
These 24 hours light winds the first
part heading S W the middle steering
N E the latter steering N E and
2 boats for blackfish got none
Lat 72-17 Long 75-42

Sunday May the 30th 1847
These 24 hours light winds steering to
the Northward the Land in sight
Lat 70-40 Long 76-40

Monday May the 31st 1847
These 24 hours light winds steering to the
Northward the latter we got up the masts
and bent them Lat 69-04 Long 75-21

Tuesday May the 1st 1848
These first of these 24 hours strong breeze
at 2 PM we came to anchor in front of
the Cape being here at 3 PM the Captain
went ashore the latter we got out some
fresh water light winds but a small
breeze

5 fathoms of water

Portsmouth Island R. Jones Master
Sunday June the 20th 1847
These 24 hours light winds and fine
weather saw blackfish and finbacks
steering N W Lat 69-02 Long 76-40

Monday June the 21st 1847
These 24 hours light winds steering
to the Northward and Westward saw
finbacks towing the stage
Lat 71-40 Long 76-40

Tuesday June the 22nd 1847
These 24 hours light winds steering
N W saw finbacks
Lat 71-11

Wednesday June the 23rd 1847
The first of these 24 hours
bowed 3 boats for blackfish the
Starboard got a the Port Boat
bowed 3 the latter light winds we com-
menced boiling blackfish bowed the
boats for blackfish got none
steering N W Lat 71-15 Long 76-40

Thursday June the 24th 1847
The first light winds at 4 PM
bowed for blackfish the Starboard
boat got a the Port Boat
the middle light winds we finished boiling
the latter we sent down the foretop sail
to wind saw finbacks Lat 71-52 Long 76-40

Friday June the 25th 1847
The first of these 24 hours light winds
at 2 PM bowed for blackfish the
Starboard Boat got a the Port Boat
we bent the foretop sail
the middle and latter light
winds and thick weather we are boiling
fish

Lat 71-21