

July 2nd 1858 Fine weather light breeze from the E. running down along the ice to the northward. dried and stowed the store of our last whale. in the fore hold. land in sight yet. saw. Rip-Sack whales. and a plenty of Walrus. Lat 65° 31' N.

July 3rd Hazy weather strong breeze from the E. S. E. steering S. E. under double reefed top sails. split the main top this noon had to send it down sent up a new cotton Duck sail and bent it saw fin back and Rip-Sack whales. the sun sets here at 7 P.M. and rises at 12 past 8 o'clock A.M. Lat 66° 5' N. Long 179° 5' W.

July 4th Stormy and foggy strong breeze from the S. S. E. steering E. under double reefed top sails saw two sails in our weather quarter they were running before the wind. also saw rip-sack whales. and fin backs. two men got sent to meet them last night for not turning out.

July 5th Hazy weather light breeze from the S. S. E. steering E. under all sail saw land on our lee. bow at 6 o'clock P.M. also saw plenty rip-sack whales. Lat 67° 28' N. Long 180° 29' W.

July 6th Fine weather one more light breeze from the S. S. W. running along the coast to the Eastward. broke out for water back and forth repairing. the old main top sail a canoe came off shore but could not catch up with us as we were going about 5 knots the canoe was about 15 miles from shore. the cooper is down below sick. Byron is no better yet. saw a top sail schooner to right on our weather beam. Lat 68° 17' N. Long 179° 22' W.

July 7th Pleasant weather strong breeze steering several different courses to the eastward. land in our lee quarter saw ice on our lee bow run down to it but saw nothing but rip-sacks and walrus. later part of the day fine weather light breeze steering S. E. by E.

July 8th 1858 Foggy weather most of the day light breeze from the S. W. steering S. W. in company with the Annula at 11 o'clock last night spoke the Annula Capt. Desvent. thirty four months out seven ton hunked bbls of oil. at seven o'clock her Captain came on board of us joined with her until 8 o'clock P.M. saw a plenty of rip-sack whales. also obscure no receiving Lat 68° 10' N. Long 169° 58' W.

July 9th Hazy and foggy strong breeze from the S. S. W. steering S. E. under double reefed top sails saw two sails one was the Annula and the other was the Chassee. also saw a plenty of rip-sack whales. saw obscure no receiving.

July 10th Fine weather calm all day no steering on the ship. land all around us. saw rip-sack whales this morning lowered away all four boats the bow boat got fast the first iron strip parted and the second iron darning and we lost him. made a new spudle and broke out anew one for the bow boat. this afternoon Lat 68° 21' N. Long 171° 38' W.

July 11th Sunday Fine weather light breeze run into the St Lawrence Bay this morning saw eighteen ships in the bay grounded with the Bark Harmony of New London brig agate of New London. the Europa a Dutch Bark Erie of Fair Haven. 70 months out 5 hundred bbls of sperm saw the Japan America. Annula. Chassee. Jereh Perry Anasot. and several others. the fleet is going to the southward. saw plenty of rip-sack whales. Lat Long. 172.

July 12th Fine weather light breeze part of the day steering to the southward. parted by Indians Point this morning at 3 o'clock saw 5 ships at anchor in Plover Bay. lowered three boats after rip-sack whales but without success. broke two oars. repaired an old main top sail unbent the new main top sail sent it down sent up the one we repaired and bent it broke out for beef. pork. molasses. butter. water and wood. latter part of the