

Bark John A. Robb Cruising for Whales.

Thursday Sept 13th 1860

This day Comes in with fine Weather and pleasant breeze from the S.E. heading to the South Middle and latter part much the same at 6 P.M. Saw a dead Whale took him along side and cut him in finished about 3 A.M. latter part spoke the Plover and San Francisco both boiling



Lat 19.45 Long 60.45

Friday Sept 14th

Comes in with fine Weather and fresh trades the Bark on the Southern back boiling, the Plover & San Francisco in company latter part on the Northern back saw nothing but killed at daylight finished boiling.

Lat 20.29 Long 60.34

Saturday Sept 15th

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate breeze from the S.E. heading to the Northward Middle part heading to the Eastward latter part steering of S by E. Saw nothing Employed Hoisting oil and stowing it down

Lat 19.30 Long 60.34

Sunday Sept 16th

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate breezes from S.E. heading to the Eastward middle part much the same latter part steering to the S.W. Several vessels in sight

Lat 19.30 Long 60.45

Monday Sept 17th

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate breeze from the S.E. Middle and latter part much the same Saw no fish Several vessels in sight. at 5 P.M. spoke the Bark Wm. Wilson latter part heading to the Eastward

Lat 19.30 Long 60.45

Tuesday Sept 18th

Comes in with fine Weather and fresh Breezes from the S.E. Middle and latter part much the same. Saw nothing Employed repairing old Casks and Sundry other jobs.

Lat 19.56 Long 61.45

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Wednesday Sept 19th 1860

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate breezes from the S.E. heading to the E.N.E. at daylight Wm. Wilson to the Southward Saw nothing. latter part Employed repairing Main Spence, fitting Cutting Blocks Straps

Lat 19.06 Long 62.18

Thursday Sept 20th

These twenty four hours fine Weather and moderate breezes from the S.E. heading to the East & East Middle part quite moderate latter part heading S.E. Saw nothing of the fish kind. latter part quite moderate Saw the Island of Rodriguez bearing S.E. about 30 miles

Lat 19.04 Long 62.36

Friday Sept 21st

Comes in with fine Weather and moderate Breezes from the S.E. heading to the South by the Wind. Middle and latter part quite Moderate Saw several vessels Merchantmen & one Whale.

Lat 19.42 Long by Chron 62.25
Long by Lunar 62.30

Saturday Sept 22nd

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate Breezes from S.E. heading to the North Middle and latter part much the same Saw Grampuses, one Whale in sight a Bark heading to the Eastward.

Lat 19.32 Long by Chron 61.20
" of Lunar 61.06

Sunday Sept 23

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate Breezes from S.E. Middle and latter part squally Saw Lumpers, Ends with fresh Breezes. steering North

Lat 19.06 Long 60.55

This day Comes in with fine Weather and moderate

Breezes from S.E. heading to the S.W. at daylight Steered off S.W. Middle and latter part quite moderate Saw two Merchantmen

Lat 20.08 Long 59.55