

Brig Kate Cory

Remarks on board Saturday September the 17th 1859

This day commenced with a strong breeze from north east and raged with rain. St Marys to the northward and eastward of us at one o'clock were round to the eastward and set the foresail and foretopmast at three o'clock. Caught a fisher saw a merchant ship steering to the southward and captured at sundown took in the foretopmast haul. It rained the latter part of the night so ends.

Remarks on board Sunday September the 18th 1859

This day commenced with a strong breeze from south east and raged with rain at night. O'clock clear up some were round and at 10 o'clock set the jib and foretopmast stood in with in about eight miles of the land at sundown took in the foretopmast haul. Took in sail had a light breeze the latter part of the night better part than it came so ends.

Remarks on board Monday September the 19th 1859

This day commenced with fine weather but some sent down the foresail and made it better 36.37 longitude 25.00 at two o'clock hauled the foresail had light rain from the westward the latter part of the afternoon saw grampsis at sundown took in sail had a light breeze east had light rain through the night from the northward so ends.

Remarks on board Tuesday September the 20th 1859

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Set main stem gaff east the watchman then over hauling rigging saw a steam ship steering north west better 36.25 longitude 24.17 this afternoon saw a big Whaling to the southward and before at five o'clock saw blackfish and before for them but could not get for penance took in sail and fast to the wind heavier sail to south at twelve o'clock were round to the westward had a light breeze through the night so ends.

Remarks on board Wednesday September the 21st 1859

This day commenced with a light breeze from the northward and fine weather made sail away left off south south west the watch employed a making out for small stores, turned up the stowhouse boat and painted it better 36.06 longitude 24.00 saw grampsis at sundown took in sail and fast to the wind to the westward at twelve o'clock were round to the eastward had a light breeze through the night same fine weather so ends.

Remarks on board Thursday September the 22nd 1859

This day commenced with a fine breeze from north west and fine weather made sail away round and clear south south west saw grampsis better 35.30 longitude 23.49 this afternoon stowed south saw nothing nothing going on north remark at sundown took in sail and fast to the wind to the westward at twelve o'clock were round to the northward and eastward had a fresh breeze through the night so ends.