

The Journal of the Ship Margaret of St. John's N.S.

Saturday September 22^d

This Day begins with light winds from N.E. and pleasant weather. At 5 P.M. shortened sail for the night. Latter part, strong Gale, and thick squally weather. Saw a number of seals, but could not see one as being clogged, got nothing. Five seals in sight. So ends. L.S. Ob.

Sunday September 23^d

This Day begins with strong Gale from N.W. and thick squally weather. At 5 P.M. spoke Ship Benjamin of Boston one whale. Latter part, strong Gale from S.W. and cloudy weather. Nothing in sight. So ends. Lat Obs. 35 37 S.

Monday September 24th

Sixty of. This Day begins with strong Gale from S.W. and cloudy weather. Latter part much the same as the first, saw a number of seals. In squally part of the lower, Nothing in sight remarkable. So ends. Lat Obs. 35 37 S.

Tuesday September 25th

This Day begins with strong Gale from S.W. and squalls of hail and rain. Latter part light winds from N.W. and pleasant weather. Saw several fine Buck seals. So ends. Lat Obs. 35 40 S.

Wednesday September 26th

This Day begins with light winds from N.W. and pleasant. At 10 A.M. raised anchors, lowered get nothing. Latter part strong Gale from N.W. and thick cloudy weather. Nothing in sight. remarkable. So ends. L.S. Ob.

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Thursday September 27th

This Day begins with strong Gale from N.W. and thick weather. Latter part light winds and pleasant weather. Nothing in sight remarkable. No ends. This Day. Lat Obs. 35 45 S.

Friday September 28th

This Day begins with light winds from N.W. and pleasant weather. Latter part the same. At 11 A.M. spoke Ship Atlas of Legon 1 whale. Three seals in sight. So ends. This Day. L.S. Ob.

Saturday September 29th

Capt. of. This Day begins with light winds from N.W. and pleasant weather. Latter part strong winds from N.W. and thick heavy weather. Nothing in sight remarkable. So ends. This Day. Lat Obs. 35 35 S. Long. by Sun 7 15 W.

Sunday September 30th

This Day begins with strong winds from N.W. and thick heavy weather. Latter part the same as the first. Nothing in sight. So ends. Long by Sun 7 40 W. L.S. Ob.

Monday October 1st

This Day begins with strong winds from N.W. to S.W. and pleasant weather. Saw a number of Lion Back seals. Latter part light winds from N.W. and thick weather. At 1 A.M. spawny the 1st boom. At 10 A.M. took it in and got out another. Nothing in sight remarkable. So ends the Day. L.S. Ob.