

Remarks on board of *Alfred* in Arctic region

Monday Sept 20th 1857

These 24 hours begin with pleasant breeze from the S & W. to the S & E all hands employed in clearing away boards & cutting blubber at 3 P.M. commenced boiling water about heading W. Middle part much the same at 12 P.M. was Ship heading S & E. Latter part pleasant and fair breeze so ends sailing. Lat by Obs 4 34 N Long by Chron 10 10 E

Tuesday Sept 21st

These 24 hours begin with light & pleasant breeze from S & W. and Ship & Sailed off at 3 P.M. finished boiling at sundown buffed by the wind Ship heading N. Middle & latter Ship heading on N. and back at day light. Sailed S & E so ends sailing. Lat by Obs 4 34 N Long by Chron 10 11 E

Wednesday Sept 22nd

These 24 hours begin with light breeze from S & W weather smoky at 3 P.M. were Ship. Cooper employed in setting up pipe & hooks at sundown. Latter part at day light were Ship. Cooper employed in setting up gear to the gunner's gun.

Thursday Sept 23rd

These 24 hours begin with moderate breeze from S & W. Ship heading from S & E to S. Middle part at 12 P.M. was Ship. Latter part all hands employed in clearing away on the main hatch way at 1 1/2 P.M. finished sailing. Lat by Obs 5 10 N Long by Chron 10 21 E

Friday Sept 24th

These 24 hours begin with moderate breeze from the Southeast Ship heading from W to W & W. Latter part at 12 P.M. was Ship. Latter part all hands employed in clearing away on the main hatch way at 1 1/2 P.M. finished sailing. Lat by Obs 5 10 N Long by Chron 10 21 E

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Saturday Sept 25th 1857

These 24 hours begin with fresh breeze from S & W. Ship heading from S & E to S. Middle part at 12 P.M. was Ship. Latter part all hands employed in clearing away on the main hatch way at 1 1/2 P.M. finished sailing. Lat by Obs 5 10 N Long by Chron 10 21 E

Sunday Sept 26th

These 24 hours begin with light breeze from S & W. Ship heading from S & E to S. Middle part at 12 P.M. was Ship. Latter part all hands employed in clearing away on the main hatch way at 1 1/2 P.M. finished sailing. Lat by Obs 5 10 N Long by Chron 10 21 E

Monday Sept 27th

These 24 hours begin with fresh breeze from S & W. Ship heading from S & E to S. Middle part at 12 P.M. was Ship. Latter part all hands employed in clearing away on the main hatch way at 1 1/2 P.M. finished sailing. Lat by Obs 5 10 N Long by Chron 10 21 E

Tuesday Sept 28th

These 24 hours begin with light & pleasant breeze from S & W. Ship heading from S & E to S. Middle part at 12 P.M. was Ship. Latter part all hands employed in clearing away on the main hatch way at 1 1/2 P.M. finished sailing. Lat by Obs 5 10 N Long by Chron 10 21 E