

Ship Mary & Susan cruising in the Chesote Sea

Monday
July 3^d
1848
Variation 2.6
These 24 hours commences with light winds from the Southward heading to the westward thick fog and smooth employed stowing up deck forward finish stowing set the watch at 7 P.M. saw 1 right whale going quick to the S.E. Middle hours light winds and smooth at 8 P.M. it came in thick fog latter hours employed setting the main hatch boiling and setting up sheets the fog cleared off and the wind increasing, W. Hynes came on duty

Lat Obs 56.36 North Long 150.26 East

Tuesday
July 4th
1848
Variation 2.6
These 24 hours commences with smooth pleasant weather the wind S.E. heading S.W. under short sail employed no sheets and boiling and setting the tynele caught in fire on the spar and several shot castles and pipes of the Middle hours light winds and variable S.E. & S.W. made sail and stood to the S.W. saw 2 seals and a dead whale run off to it. found her good look but along light winds and thick fog latter hours light winds and thick fog

Lat by Det 56.30 North Long 150.21 East

Wednesday
July 5th
1848
Variation 2.6
These 24 hours commences with light winds from the S.E. and smooth at 3 P.M. light up to the whale and the bow out of the head finish cutting at 8 P.M. the tide in sail set the watch Middle hours light winds and fog with light showers of rain latter hours the wind changed to S.W. heading N.E. employed stowing up deck the fore hatch and in the eyes of her thick fog and very smooth

Lat by Det 56.33 North Long 150.30 East

Thursday
July 6th
1848
Variation 2.6
These 24 hours commences with light winds from the N.W. and fog heading N.E. employed stowing up deck forward and boiling at 5 P.M. saw 1 ship boiling with topgallant sails out standing directly for us light winds and smooth at 7 P.M. spoke the Huntsville of Cape Spring Smith 8 P.M. meeting at 16 or 18 miles Middle hours light winds and thick fog employed boiling latter hours light winds and thick fog perfectly smooth employed stowing up forward and boiling out dry castles latter off duty side

Lat by Det 56.36 North Long 150.35 East

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Friday
July 7th
1848
Variation 2.6
These 24 hours commences with light winds from N.W. heading N.E. under short sail thick fog and perfectly smooth employed boiling, heating out dry castles and setting up sheets and other small jobs of ships duty at 4 P.M. the fog cleared off saw the Huntsville of the lee quarter with her main yard aback to by 19 sails Middle hours light winds and thick fog latter hours the fog cleared off made sail and stood to the N.W. saw 3 ships employed setting up sheets and boiling

Lat Obs 56.26 North Long 150.23 East

Saturday
July 8th
1848
Variation 2.6
These 24 hours commences with light winds from N.W. heading N.W. by the wind at 1 P.M. saw 1 small right whale lower darkened and not get below came on board at 6 P.M. could avoid out of blubber at 8 P.M. boiled in sail heading N.W. light winds and thick fog Middle hours light winds and thick fog at 5 P.M. began to heat at the fore hatch and shift water latter hours the fog cleared off light off N.E. employed stowing up deck the fore hatch

Lat Obs 56.56 North Long 149.46 East

Sunday
July 9th
1848
Variation 2.6
These 24 hours commences with fresh winds from the S.W. stowing N.E. at 3 P.M. came in thick fog finish stowing at 6 P.M. stood off at 7 P.M. left to by the wind heading N.W. strong winds and thick fog set the quarter watch Middle hours fresh winds and fog at 3 P.M. the fog cleared off at daylight saw 2 whales might could not see latter hours strong gales and clear employed stowing up and cleaning line

Lat Obs 57.40 North Long 150.13 East

Monday
July 10th
1848
Variation 2.6
These 24 hours commences with strong gales from N.W. heading N.W. under clear employed cleaning line all hatches stood it below took in the fore sail and ship heaving S.E. by 1 rough and cloudy made all secure for the night Middle hours strong gales and rough at 6 P.M. made sail light off N.E. clear pleasant weather latter hours pleasant employed blacksmithing saw 1 small whale lower chased the latter was started to sleep

Lat Obs 57.54 North Long 151.18 East