

Remarks for May 21. 1858
Friday May 21st

First of this day fine weather
like breeze from W. steering
S. saw 1 whale in the sea
haired and chased him
did not get my him
middle part calm later part
like air and variable from
Westward, heading S.
saw 1 ship in the sea

Saturday May 22nd

First of this day calm at 5 am
like breeze from S.W. heading
W. middle part lying with
head yards aback later part
thick fog, wind S.W. heading
S. with all sail plenty of
ice in sight

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Saturday May 23rd

First of this day thick fog
wind S.E. heading S. at 11
at 6 am shortland sail blowing on
at 9 am moderate middle part
like breeze from E. heading S. at P. E.
later part fine weather like air
from Cape Clevean bearing S.
distant 30 miles

Lat 58. 17. N
Long 151. 40. E

Bark Midas of R. Tallman Master
Saturday May 24th

First of this day calm
spoke bark of John Wells
and joined middle part calm
later part like air and baffling
saw 20 ships 7 of them in the
see spoke the bark Wallace.
Lat 58. 20. N

Sunday May 25th

First of this day fine weather
like air and baffling lying
around the ice
middle part like air and baffling
ship lying with fore foresail to the
mast later part gaining with
ship Richmond of New Bedford
and bearing S. distant 25 miles
Lat 58. 20. N
Long of Cape Clevean

Wednesday May 26th

First of this day fine weather
wind S.E. at 3 am went in
the sea in company with 2 ships
middle part fine weather wind S.W.
heading S. at W. with 2 reefed
topsails and jib later part
thick fog heading S. at W.
with close reefed topsails
saw 22 ships all in the
see

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