

Thursday Sept 8th

Light Variable wind and fair weather, In the morning took the Anchor Set Sail, Saw whales towards the rocks breaching and going up Bay, Sent the boats off after them, Saw one taken, Run over to the Goat Shore and Anchored, Saw quite a show of whales.

Friday Sept 9th

Light variable wind and fine weather, Laying to anchor on the South Side of the Bay, In the morning Sent off 4 boats whaling, Several ships Cruising around the Bay, The Ontario anchored close by us, Capt Foster came on board and took dinner with me and I went on board the Ontario.

Saturday Sept 10th

Strong wind from E & E to S & E and a heavy swell, 4 boats off whaling, In the morning took the anchor, Set Sail, and stood over to S Head, Saw several whales off the head, 1 boat came aboard, Sent them off whaling again, At 3 PM got a whale, took him along side and beat out with the tide, At 1/2 PM Anchored to the N of S Head for the night.

Sunday Sept 11th

Light variable wind and calm, Laying to anchor off South Head, 4 boats off whaling, Saw plenty of whales up Bay, Bitten our whale, I went on board the vesper and Massachusetts, Set off baby Chave 9 shares of tuns and 1/2 all cotton tuns.

Monday Sept 12th

Light variable airs on calm fine weather, 4 boats off whaling, At 12 on two of them returned, Saw no whales, The whales have struck out of the Bay and I think that I shall strike out of the Bay, Several ships anchored off South Head.

Tuesday Sept 13th

In the morning had a breeze from S & E Took the anchor, Run up Bay for the boats, got the boats, Took the wind from E & S & E and blowed up a gale, Carried all possible sail to work out of the Bay, Saw a schooner, E. I. Frost, Caroline, J. P. Thomson in company, At 6 PM Close in to Striped Bluff, Got off shore heading E & E, Saw 2 ships to anchor off the Schooner Harbor, We are carrying close reefed topsails and fore sail.

Wednesday Sept 14th

Strong gales from W and clear weather, Saw several ships to the West of the rocks in S. W. Bay, I left S. W. Bay for Murkum Bay, Spoke ship Justine for 1/2 and a small whale took off the rocks, This afternoon Run through Shantow Bay, Saw 3 ships, One whale, Spoke the Kappes off Eagle point, Seen 4 whale lately, Bailed out our whale.