

Remarks on Board off Chiloe

September 1847

Wednesday the 1st

Begins with light winds from S S W fine weather saw 2 whales at 5.30 the Larboard Boat got fast the whale run to the windward til dark & then they cut the line Middle Part fine weather.

Latter Part fresh gales from N W W and thick rainy weather No Obs.

Thursday the 2nd

Begins with a gale from N W W Middle Part a gale from the Westward Latter Part a gale from N W W so ends in Lat 42° 57'

Friday the 3rd

Begins with a gale from N S W Middle Part more moderate Latter Part light winds from the Westward saw a right whale.

Lat 43° 10' Long 78° 05'

Saturday the 4th

Begins with fresh gales from the N W Middle Part a strong gale from the N W W with rain Latter Part the Westward

Lat 43° 17'

Sunday the 5th

Begins with a gale from the Westward Middle Part the same Latter Part squally weather saw 2 right whales Lat 42° 35'

Long 77° 20'

Monday the 6th

Begins with a gale from the S W Middle Part Latter Part moderate weather Lat 43° 17'

Long 77° 24'

Tuesday the 7th

Whose 24 hours light winds from the S W & fine weather ship heading S S E Lat 43° 50'

Long 76° 50'

Remarks on Board Homeward Bound

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Wednesday the 8th

Begins with light winds from W steering S by W sent the fore-top-gabant-yard aloft & the fore-top-mast-studding-sails bottom Middle Part strong gales from W to N W W steering S by W Latter Part strong gales from N W W with rain took in the lee Boats &c No Obs

Thursday the 9th

Begins with a strong gale from the N. N. W. with rain, scudding S. by W under or close reefed Main Top-sail, at 2 P. M. hove too heading W. Mid part more moderate, made some sail. Lat part moderate winds from the S. S. E. under double reefs, heading to the West. the watch emp in receiving some new running Rigging, and other jobs of Ships duty Lat 46° 55' South Lon. 78° 08' West

Friday the 10th

Begins with moderate winds from the S. Ship heading W. S. W. emp as above. Middle Part veerable winds from S by E to W S W & squally heavy sea from the S W Latter Part a strong breeze from the S ship heading W S W Lat 46° 48' Long 78° 55'

Saturday the 11th

Begins with strong winds from the S ship heading to the W S W Middle Part ship heading E S E Latter Part light winds from W ships coars S by E the watch employed in ships duty are ship in sight steering S

Lat 47° 22' Long 78° 40'