

Ship *Minerva* & cruising for Whale Near The coast of
 Remarks on board Sunday June 10th

Commenced with pleasant weather and a fine breeze from W.S.W. Ship with all sail set steering N.W. by N. by the wind at 8 P.M. took in sail for the night Mid Part lying under Double Reefed Main Sailsail & Fore Sail Latter Part under Moderate breeze and Pleasant at 4 A.M. made all sail on the ship Wind W.S.W. Ship by the wind heading N.W. by N. and wind S.W. Ship heading W by N

Lat by Account 51° 28' N
 Long " " 163° 19' East

Remarks on board Monday June 11th

Commenced with pleasant weather and a moderate breeze from S.W. Ship steering by the wind all sail set having W by N Ship a number of Whale Bids at 9 P.M. saw Whales to the number of four boats for them proved to be Hump Backs Mid Part lying under easy sail Latter Part under Moderate breeze from S.W. and fair weather some for occasionally Ship with all sail set steering S.W. by S thus End saw a number of Hump Backs

Lat by Acc 51° 30' North
 Long " " 164° 45' East

Remarks on board Tuesday June 12th

Commenced with fair weather and a light air from E.S.E. Ship all sail set steering a Bow S.W. Mid Part a moderate breeze from E.N.E. Ship all sail set Bow as above Latter to fair weather a moderate breeze from E.N.E. the Bow as above thus End

Lat by Acc 50° 48' N
 Long " " 160° 10' East

Kamtschatka commanded by Wm. H. Sherman 1849
 Remarks on board Wednesday June 13th

Commenced with a moderate breeze from N.E. Ship with all sail set steering a Bow S.W. fore trim at standing sail at 8 P.M. took in fore sail and flying jib altered the ship bow to S. Mid Part moderate steering South Latter Part moderate & thick fog thus End wind to the Eastward N.E.

Lat by Account 49° 45' N
 Long " " 158° 46' E
 from 12 until 9 P.M. 3 knots S.W. by W. bow
 " " until noon 2 1/2 knots S.W. " "

Variation 6° Eastward

Remarks on board Thursday June 14th

Commenced with a moderate breeze from S.W. and thick weather Ship all sail set by the wind heading S.W. at 6 P.M. took in sail Mid Part Ship lying under Double Reefed Main Sailsail & Fore sail heading S.W. by S Latter Part thick weather at 4 A.M. set Double Reefed Sailsail a fresh breeze from E.S.E. Ship heading S.W. by the wind at 9 A.M. took in sail again having the appearance of a gale of wind and a gale of wind Ship under Double Reefed Main Sailsail & Fore sail at 6 P.M.

Lat by Account 48° 50' N
 Long " " 157° 30' East

Dist then 24 hours 74 hours corrected for L.W. & Variation S.W. or thereabouts

Remarks on board Friday June 15th

Commenced a moderate gale of wind from E.S.E. and thick weather Ship under Double Reefed Sailsail & Fore sail heading S.W. by W at 6 P.M. took in fore sail closed Reefs the Main Sailsail Mid Part thick fog more moderate Latter Part moderate & thick at 6 A.M. wore ship set the fore sail End Ship heading N.W. by E at 6 P.M.

Lat by Account 46° 00' N
 Long " " 157° 00' E