

Ship *Miner* In The *Adelphi* Sea 1849

Remarks on board Sunday Sept 2nd

Commence a light air from the Eastward and fair weather ship steering to the South all hands employed in boiling fat & 1st m. lowered our boat for a Whale &c. Wind last light air from the N.E. latter part calm & pleasant weather thus ends a ship in sight

Lat by Obs 48° 02' N
Long " 146° 52' East

Remarks on board Monday Sept 3rd

Commence with pleasant weather and calm all hands employed in boiling lowered our boat for a Whale but without success at 2 P.M. finished boiling Mid Part a moderate breeze from the S.E. ship heading S.W. latter part a gale of wind and rainy weather employed in stowing down all the crew

Lat by account 49° 50' N
Long " 146° 30' E

Remarks on board Tuesday Sept 4th

Commence a gale of wind from the S.E. and rainy weather ship heading S.W. under double reefed main topsail & foresail employed in stowing down all Mid Part ship lying under that reefed main topsail heading as above latter part more moderate the wind S.W. ship heading S.E. employed in stowing down all ends the weather fair

Lat by Obs 47° 28' N
Long " 146° 03' E

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Remarks on board Wednesday Sept 5th

Commence a fresh breeze from the S.W. and fair weather ship steering S.W. under double reefed topsails a ship in sight Mid Part ship under easy sail heading S.W. the wind from the Westward and pleasant weather latter part a gale of wind from the N.W. a heavy sea on ship under reefed topsails and close reefed main topsail heading S.W. at 1 P.M. the watch employed in scraping bone

Lat by Obs 48° 13' N
Long " 146° 45' East

Remarks on board Thursday Sept 6th

Commence a gale of wind from the N.W. and clear weather ship heading S.W. under reefed topsails & close reefed main topsail at 3 P.M. let the reef out of the topsails & the ship to the Westward more moderate Mid Part a heavy swell on latter part a moderate breeze from the Eastward and pleasant weather ship with all sail set thus ends two ships in sight

Lat by Obs 47° 54' N
Long " 146° 55' E

Remarks on board Friday Sept 7th

Commence with fair weather and a moderate breeze from the S.E. ship with all sail set heading S.E. & saw a Whale a going fast Mid Part ship lying under easy sail latter part a fresh breeze from the Eastward and cloudy weather ship all sail set saw a number of Whales going fast thus ends one ship

Lat by account 48° 10' N
Long " 150° 20' E