Ship Nimrod On Her Passage Towards The Arctic Ocean

Commanded By Thomas H. Sherman " 1850

H.	H.	H.	Courses	Winds	Lat.	Remarks on board Monday April 22d
2			E by S	N.W.		Commences with imperiate & pleasant
4						weather Ship with all sail set steering
6			E.S.E.	N.E.		by the wind at 6 P.M. taken Ship
8						Mid Part wind & weather as above
10						at 12 Midnight taken again
12			N.E. by N.	N.E.		Latter Part pleasant the watch
2			E.N.E.	N.		variously employed saw a grate number
4						of Fin Backs at 4 & 6 P.M. taken Ship
6						again thus ends
8						
10			E by S	N.N.E.		Lat. by Obs. 39° 45' N
12			N.W.	"		Long. " " 153° 05' E

H.	H.	H.	Courses	Winds	Lat.	Remarks on board Tuesday April 23d
2			N.W.	N.N.E.		Commences with a fresh breeze & plea
4						sant weather Ship steering by the wind
6						with all sail set Mid Part took in
8						the light sails a heavy head beat Sea
10						on.
12			"	"		Latter Part more moderate the
2						Main Topgallant sail set the watch
4						variously employed thus ends
6			N.W.	N.E.		
8						
10						Lat. by Obs. 38° 25' N
12			"	"		Long. " " 152° 00' E

H.	H.	H.	Courses	Winds	Lat.	Remarks on board Wednesday April 24
2			N by W	N.N.E.		Commences with fair weather & mod
4						erate breeze Ship steering by the wind
6						Main Topgallant sail set at 8
8			N.N.E.	E.		Mid Part set the light sails the
10						weather moderate the wind canting
12						more to the Eastward
2			N.E.	S.E.		Latter Part a fresh breeze on
4						Ship steering a Course the watch
6						employed in fitting a Boat
8						thus ends
10						
12			"	S.S.E.		Lat. by Obs. 38° 05' N
						Long. " " 153° 20' E

H.	H.	H.	Courses	Winds	Lat.	Remarks on board Thursday April 25th
2			N.E.	S.S.E.		Commences with a strong breeze & fair
4						weather Ship steering a Course with all
6						sail set the watch employed in fitting
8						a Whale Boat Mid Part no material
10						alteration in the wind the weather come
12			"	S.		cloudy
2						Latter Part a strong breeze &
4						fair weather Course as above thus ends
6						
8						
10						Lat. by Obs. 40° 18' N
12			"	S.S.W.		Long. " " 156° 10' E

H.	H.	H.	Courses	Winds	Lat.	Remarks on board Friday April 26th
2			N.E.	S.S.W.		Commences with fair weather and a strong
4						breeze Ship with all sail set steering
6						a Course, the watch variously employed
8						at 4 P.M. bent a Fore sail & beat
10						down the Fore & Mizzen royal yards
12			"	S.		Mid Part as above
2						Latter Part the weather hazy having
4						the apearance of Fog thus ends
6						
8						
10						Lat. by Obs. 40° 14' N
12			"	S.S.W.		Long. " " 159° 10' E

H.	H.	H.	Courses	Winds	Lat.	Remarks on board Saturday April 27th
2	7		N.	S.S.W.		Commences with strong breeze and
4	7		N. by E.			hazy kind of weather Ship steering a
6	7					Course saw a grate number of birds
8	7					at 6 P.M. saw a Right Whale cowed
10	7					three Boats for him but not get fast
12	7		N. by E.	S.S.W.		Mid Part weather as above steering a
2	5			S.W.		Course all sail set Latter Part a
4	5					moderate breeze and thick weather ends
6	4					no Obs
8	4					
10	4					Lat. by account 43° 36' N
12	4		"	S.S.W.		Long. " " 161° 40' E