

Remarks On Board of Bark Pacific J. B. Allen

Tuesday June 13th 1865

at 8 A.M. took the anchor and the tug took us in tow with all hands on board and proceeded to sea. 3 P.M. tug left us and we made it alone. thick hazy weather the rest of this day steering to the Eastward. Some of the boys sea sick. from this time to the first of July I shall embrace in one days work as I have been pretty busy in tending the sick and my accustomed work. Employed as usual on former voyages such as filling the boats and craft and numerous other things. Saw Blackfish three or four times and caught seven. So Ends

Saturday July 1st

Moderate breezes throughout these 24 hours from S.W. Steering E. S. E. Watches variously employed. Nothing in sight worthy of remark.

Latt Obs^d 44.40 N. Long by Chron 38.40 W.

Sunday July 2nd

First part fresh breezes from S.W. Steering E. S. E. and rainy thick dirty weather. Saw Blackfish. watches employed variously. Under new breezes from the N.W. Steering E. or S. E. J. B. Allen to mention seeing sea vases some 20 days ago.

Latt Obs^d 44.55 N. Long by Chron 32.05 W.

Monday July 3rd

First part fresh breeze from N.W. Steering E. S. E. Middle part increasing to a Gale. Took in all sail but 2 Reefed M. S. Sail and Stay Sails. Latter part the same heading to the North. Saw a Strange Sail. Finback &c.

Watches employed in various jobs &c.

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Tuesday July 4th 1865

Commenced Strong Gale from N.W. heading for the most part of the to the N.E. Saw Finback and 2 or 3 Strange Sails. Watches variously employed.

Latt Obs^d 45.30 N. Long 28.28 W.

Wednesday July 5th

Continues thick dirty hazy weather from the Westward heading by the wind to the N.W. E. Middle and latter part strong breeze from the N.W. heading by the wind to the N.W. 3 or 4 Strange Sails in sight. Watches employed in various jobs.

Latt Obs^d 45.25 N. Long by Chron 28.31 W.

Thursday July 6th

Commenced strong breeze from N.W. and cloudy weather heading by the wind to the N.W. E. Middle part the same heading N.E. Latter part strong breeze from N.W. heading S.W. Saw a Bark and Finback. Ends cloudy. 2 ships in sight.

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Friday July 7th

Continues strong Gale and thick weather wind from N.W. heading to the N.E. Rather more moderate through the night heading N.E. Latter part strong ship heading to the Westward. Saw Finback and one sail. Watches employed variously.

Latt Obs^d 45.32 N. Long by Chron 28.03 W.

Saturday July 8th

Fresh breezes from the North and West heading to the Westward moderate through the night. Latter part light breeze from the S.W. Steering by the wind to the N.W. one ship in sight. Finback &c. caught a Porpoise.

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