

August 1893

Sept

Monday 28th first Part Light breeze from N. E. Latter part from N. E. increased to a gale & ships in sight at obs 27-40 N

Tuesday 29th Begins with strong gales from North which change as with Cape breeze to gale the day. No chase Vicks of Duty Lat 27-41 N

Wednesday 30th Begins with strong gales from North strong to N. W. Small prospect of seeing or getting whales any more this season. I spare no obs

Thursday 31st Throughout the day Pleasant weather if a gale of wind from East and can be called so. Day ends with heavy squalls. Lat obs 28-34 N

Friday 1st Sept. mole moderate spoke ship. Pooh-hoos at Almatu the 24 man 12:00 hrs. Lat 29-01 N

Saturday 2nd Pleasant weather & N. W. Whales Lat obs 29-45 Several sail in sight

Sunday 3rd Throughout the day fine weather Wind to S. W. Several ships in sight Lat obs 29-16 N

Monday 4th Throughout the day fine weather Wind light and variable Spoke ship Coles of Portland had got one whale since spoke before Lat 29-23 N Long obs 111-50 W

Tuesday 5th Begins with fine weather Wind North No whales No whales can see Lat obs 29-26 N Long obs 111-51 East

Wednesday 6th Begins with strong breeze from North strong to N. W. at 9 A. M. Saw a shoal of whales 3 or 4 Boats and struck on Iron dred and whales went off Lat obs 29-15 N

Thursday 7th Begins with strong breeze from N. E. at 3 P. M. Saw whales 3 Boats at 5 without success. Day ends the day I sail in sight Lat obs 28-50 N Long obs 111-08 W