

Sunday Bark Petrel June 21<sup>st</sup> 1891

This day Began with gale wind from West heading S.W. by S under Lower main Topsail & Fore staysail. Sizing to on Starboard tack middle part moderate. Set fore Topsail latter part clear weather. Set upper Topsails. Steering S.W. Employed in Ship's duty. Break out Back Reef to Bble

Lat 69° 58 North  
Long 32° 55 West

Monday June 22<sup>nd</sup>

This day Began with clear weather fresh breeze from S.W. Steering S.W. at night took in upper Topsails. Pump Ship at 4 o'clock P.M. middle part raining & strong wind from N.E. Latter part strong wind & clear weather. Saw finback

Lat 60° 05 North  
Long 34° 40 West

Tuesday June 23<sup>rd</sup>

This day Began with very strong wind from S.W. heading N.W. under Lower Topsails at 6:30 P.M. raised a whale on weather bow coming to the leeward then the whale turned to the windward again. So did not sound for him. middle part blowing very hard. Latter part moderate rain squalls under from Eastward heading S.S.W. Set Foresail & jib. Saw a finback

Lat 59° 55 North  
Long 35° 25 West

Wednesday Bark Petrel June 24<sup>th</sup> 1891

This day Began with squally weather wind from E.S.E. under Topsail & Fore sail at 7 o'clock took in Fore sail & jib heading N.E. middle part blowing hard rain & thick fog. Began murrin stay sail. Latter part Employed in breaking out main Topsail & murrin stay sail. Bend them on break out water.

John Gilles return to his duty again

Thursday June 25<sup>th</sup>

This day Began with moderate wind from S.E. heading S.W. under Lower Topsails. middle part clear up fresh wind from East. Latter part tack Ship heading N.E. Set all the Topsails and main Gallant sail at 12 o'clock. Pack Ship again heading S.W. Employed in repairing murrin stay sails.

Friday June 26<sup>th</sup>

This day Began with thick fog fresh wind from East at 7 o'clock took in light sails heading N.W. middle part clearing fine weather. Latter part the same under all sails at 7 A.M. Pack Ship heading S.W. at 12 o'clock Pack Ship again heading N.W.

Lat 59° 20 North  
Long 35° 47 West

Saturday June 27<sup>th</sup>

This day Began with fine weather light breeze from East heading N.E. under all sails at 2 o'clock P.M. raised a school of sperm whales join to the windward quick sound. Starboard & Mast Boat whales join quick Boats. Came on board middle part clear weather. Latter part the same under all sails wind from N.E. Employed in breaking out water.