

Ship St George of New Bedford in Bering sea Oct 15

Sunday October 13<sup>th</sup>

Commenced with moderate breeze from N E with light rain steering S E W all sail set in company with bargues John P West & Mercuri 6 P M steering S S W stowed main royal middle part 10 P M fresh breeze from N S W took in main top galant sail furled fore close reefed Mizzen topsail ship heading S by the Wind latter part 4 A M saw the West end of St Lawrence Island bearing E by S distant 15 miles set all sail ship heading S by E 10 A M Calm

Monday October 14<sup>th</sup>

Commenced clear & calm St Lawrence Island bearing N E distant 20 miles 2 P M Capt Sinker came on board 4 P M light breeze from N E steering S by W all sail set in company with barge John P West & P M Capt Sinker returned to his ship Middle & latter fresh breeze from N with passing snow squalls steering S by E under topsails 7 A M set all sail steering S E by S started the works 11 A M saw St Matthews Island bearing S E distant 15 miles  
Lat 62, 29 N  
Lon 172, 34 W

Tuesday October 15<sup>th</sup>

Commenced with fresh breeze from N with passing snow squalls steering S by E all sail set in company with John P West 4 P M East end of St Matthews Island bore N E distant 15 miles Middle and latter part stowed light sails 7 A M furled upper fore topsail covered S E 2 A M finished heeling Lat 57, 28 N Lon 171, 18 W

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Wednesday October 16<sup>th</sup>

Commenced blowing fresh from N W with passing snow squalls steering to S E under whole main close reefed fore & Mizzen topsails in company with John P West 5 P M steering E N E 6 P M bore ship to S W by the Wind stowed upper main topsail & foresail Middle part 11 P M had decreed to W and clear wire ship heading N E W latter part 7 A M saw St Pauls Island bearing E S E distant 15 miles set upper topsails jib & foresail bore up steering S S E 9 A M Wind decreed to S W & hazy braced by the Wind heading S S E employed stowing oil in fore hold 5 men off duty sick, ship leaking five hundred strokes in twenty four hours

Thursday October 17<sup>th</sup>

Commenced blowing fresh from N with light rains ship under whole topsails jib & foresail heading S S E in company with John P West 5 P M bore ship to N E W took in upper topsails & foresail Middle part strong gale from S W with passing sleet squalls ship heading N N W 10 P M took in jib & fore & Mizzen topsails latter part the same 6 men off duty sick ship leaking eight hundred strokes 11 A M set fore & Mizzen topsails split fore topmast staysail & bore in one  
Lat 57, 11  
Lon 17