

Arnold this morning. They had taken nothing this season. Lat. 31.30.

26th Light wind - fine weather. Finished cutting in the whale. Sent down the tackles and started the works. Saw fin backs. Lat. 32.09.

27th Calm. Very warm weather. Cutting blubber and trying out. Saw fin backs.

28th Light wind - Weather warm. Trying out. Saw a strange sail on our lee bow. Wore ship. Raised a sail to windward. Set our colors and Capt. Porter, of the Rambler, lowered a boat and came on board. She had not taken any oil since we last saw her. We learned the ship to leeward was the Martha, of Fairhaven. Lat. 31.52.

29th Light wind - fine weather. Finished trying out. Cleared up the decks and washed them. Made sail. The whale turned up 87 bls.

30th Calm. Very warm. A sail on the weather quarter. Breaking out the fore hold and stowing oil. Saw grampuses.

31st Light wind - fine weather. Stowing down oil. Haul astern. Finished stowing the oil. We stowed down 80 bls., making 776 bls. in the ship.

Sept. 1st. Stiff breeze - fine weather. Coopering and repairing casks. Sailed on our lee beam. Course - E by S.

Spoke the Hope at sunset. They had taken 60 bls. Let them have a barrel of salt.

2d Stiff breeze - fine weather. Ran down to the Hope and let them have a cask of bread, some shoes and segars. Braced forward, bound Eastward. We commenced to wet the hold, once a week, to-day, to prevent the oil from leaking. 7 P. M. set sea watches, bound for a port. Close hauled - S. E. Lat. 31.20 N. Long. 170.02 E. Took the trades

3d Light wind - fine weather. Close hauled - S. E. Tacked - N. N. E. Lat. 29.50 N. Long. 171.01 E.

4th Light wind - fine weather. Tacked - S. E. Tacked - N. E. by E. Lost the trades. Lat. 29.53 N. Long. 171.29

5th Light wind - fine weather. Close hauled. N. E. by E. Cleaned the rail and bulwarks with lye. Lat. 29.04. Long. 172.47

6th Light wind - fine weather. Course S. E. by E. Unbent the foresail to mend it. Calm during the night. Lat. 28.43 Long. 173.51.

7th Calm. Mending flying jib. Lat. 28.38 N.

8th Calm. Very warm. Unbent gaff topsail. Scrubbing the outside of the ship on the starboard side, and scraping and painting the chains. About 9 at night a light wind from the northward sprang up. Course, S. E. by S. Lat. 28.22 Long. 173.37.