

Bark Shepherds Arctic

Sunday Aug 14th

Begins with light breezes from South and smothery weather close in close to the land so that I saw Baker saw no whale once ship bound off to the Eastward thru the night calm with heavy rain last part cleared up fine breezes from S.W. stood in to the land

Thus Ends 13th Day
Lat. 58° 06 Long 141° 25

Monday Aug 15th

Begins with pleasant breezes from S.W. sent two of the boats in shore at night came off they saw three Shearwater whale chased them did not get past A.M. stood in for the land all three boats went in shore saw one humpback saw three hares under the boats saw timber of all sizes from a barrow to a carpalmost drift wood of any quantity

Thus Ends

Tuesday Aug 16th

Begins with calm weather saw one humpback and one polar whale calf at night the boats came fore thru the night calm last part pleasant breezes from S.W.

Thus Ends

Lat 58° 25 Long 142° 0

Wednesday Aug 17th

Begins with pleasant breezes from S.W. run down close to Cape Moutkanica saw nothing hauled my wine bound to the Eastward at 6 A.M. saw three Shearwater heading to the westward last part fine breezes from S.W. saw nothing

Thus Ends

Lat 58° 18 Long 146° 00

Thursday Aug 18th

Begins with pleasant breezes from S.W. steering E by S last part calm and cloudy Ends No Observe

By Sec Lat 57° 41 Long 149° 00

Cruising for whale in Octalok Sea

Sunday August 19th

Begins with calm weather and cloudy at 6 P.M. heaved up fresh from S.E. for a while with rain took in sail thru the night winds baffling with heavy puffs from S.E. last part fresh breezes from South heading E by S

Ends No Observe

By Sec Lat 57° 30 Long 150° 00

Monday August 20th

Calm with fresh breezes from South heading E by S saw nothing but humpbacks middle wind West steering S.E. last part strong breezes from S.W. with thick fog

Ends No Observe

By Sec Lat 56° 00 Long 152° 00

Tuesday August 21st

Begins with strong breezes from S.W. with thick fog steering S.E. at night took in sail continued foggy and no whale middle fresh gales with rain took in the foresail close reef the main topmast last part wind hauled to the westward cleared up sun set Double reef topmasts hauled off steering East

Thus Ends No Observe

By Sec Lat 55° 30 Long 153° 00

Wednesday Aug 22nd

Begins with fresh gales from S.W. steering East with Double reef topmasts set at 4 P.M. took in sail have to under a close reef main topmast at night blow on heavy wind wear round to the Southward A.M. fine weather made all sail steering S.E. saw nothing

Ends

Lat 56° 18 Long 152° 54

By Lunar Observe 152° 10

Thursday Aug 23rd

Begins with calm weather and pleasant with a heavy swell heaving from the Northward on board the foretopmast appeared at last again last part gales from S.E. with rain

Double reef the topmasts

Thus Ends No Observe

By Sec Lat 55° 30 Long 154° 00