

Bark Shepherdess No. 312

Sunday March 31st Carry the time
one day a head for East longitude

Came with pleasant
breeze from the southward steering N by W with
all sail set Incompleting with Ship Nathaniel P
Talmage Cold Springs middle and last part light breeze
with fog squalls subside the mainmast sail reduced it sent it again
Lat 56° 12' Long 162° 16'

Monday April 1st
Came with pleasant breeze from the southward steering
N by W with all sail set saw flocks of birds in company
with Ship Nathaniel P Talmage Cold Springs
middle and last part fresh gales with sun fog parted
the flocks stood down in the soundness of the sun in the room
Lat 58° 19' Long 161° 46'

Tuesday Apr 2nd
Began with fresh gales from south and smoky weather
steering N by W middle and last part moderate gales
attended with rain and fog Thus Ends N. Olsen
By Acc Lat 41° 58' Long 161° 40'

Wednesday Apr 3rd
Came with light gales from south steering
N by W at 4 P.M. wind hauled N by W in a few
hours squall took in sail have to under a close
reef mainmast on the starboard back middle
and last part heavy gales attended with hail
squalls Thus Ends N. Olsen
By Acc Lat 41° 10' Long 161° 15'

Thursday Apr 4th
Came with heavy gales from S by W leading "W" S by W
middle and last part moderate breeze in company
with Ship Talmage Thus Ends
Lat 41° 48' Long 161° 00'

Bound for Arctic Ocean

Friday Apr 5th
Came with moderate breeze from S by W steering N by W
at night took in main gallant sail flying jib
blows on fresh from S by W Double reef the topsails
took in jib and mainsail last part fresh gales
from West with rain and fog Thus Ends N. Olsen
By Acc Lat 43° 11' Long 161° 00'

Saturday April 6th
Came with gales from West attended with rain at 4
P.M. wind hauled North then after moderate first
part of the night moderate breeze from East with heavy
rains last part fresh gales from S by W took in sail have
to Thus Ends N. Olsen
By Acc Lat 44° 00' Long 161° 00'

Sunday Apr 7th
Came with moderate gales from S by W at 2 P.M. wind hauled
South moderated heavy rains and thick foggy steering
to the Northward middle weather about the same last part
fresh gales from S by W Thus Ends
By Acc Lat 46° 14' Long 161° 00'

Monday Apr 8th
Came with fresh gales from S by W with sun foggy steering
N by W with Double reef topsails set at 4 P.M.
Strong gales from South attended with rain and foggy
took in sail have to last part gales which held on
foggy attended with plenty of rain Thus Ends
N. Olsen By Acc Lat 48° 00' Long 161° 00'

Tuesday April 9th
Came with moderate gales from South with cold rain
weather set the foresail top off steering North at
night took in foresail and mainmast sail have to on the starboard
back leading S by W took in the waist last at 12 wind hauled
out N by W for two hours it blew a hurricane last part
gale abated sun Thus Ends N. Olsen
By Acc Lat 49° 00' Long 161° 20'