

Thursday Sept 9th
Commences with strong winds at N. with thick fog most of the time, Ship lying by the shore in company Middle and Latter part fresh gales at N. with fog squalls Ship standing on opposite tacks saw Nothing but Ships

No obs Lat by account 68.45 Long by account 178.00

Friday Sept 10th
Commences with strong winds at N. with thick weather Nothing in sight but Ships, middle part the same, Latter part strong winds at N. steered from S.E. to S.W. saw Nothing but Ships At 10 P.M. spoke Ship Benj Morgan Chappell & Whales Lat by obs 68.17 N Long by obs 177.40 W

Saturday Sept 11th
Commences with strong winds at N. steering S.W. At 4 P.M. saw 2 Whales lower to no purpose Middle part strong winds at N. Ship on opposite tack, Latter part strong winds at N. with overcast weather saw several Whales lower to no purpose, 12 Ships in sight

No obs Lat by account 68.00 Long 177.35 W

Sunday Sept 12th
Commences with light winds at N. with thick fog squalls saw several Whales lower to no purpose, at 5 P.M. spoke Bark Oscar Dexter & Whales Middle part thick fog, Ship under short sail, Latter part the same saw 2 Whales didn't lower Lat 68.04 N Long 177.30 W

Monday Sept 13th
Commences with light winds at N. with thick fog squalls, at 1 P.M. the fog lifted saw several Whales lower, parted and drove, Chase more Whales to no purpose, 17 Ships in sight Middle part lay by under short, Latter part strong winds at N. saw quite a number of Whales lower and Chase to no purpose

Lat by obs 68.08 N Long by obs 177.38 W

Tuesday 14th
Commences with light winds at N. Whales in sight Boats of Chasing to no purpose, at sunset shorten sail, 17 Ships in sight, middle part light, at daylight made sail saw Whales, at 8 lower, parted and Fished, at 10 took the Whale a long sight No obs Lat by account 68.00 Long 177.08 W

Wednesday Sept 15th
Commences with light airs and Calms, at 2 P.M. commenced cutting, at 5 finished Middle part Calm employed cleaning up the Decks Latter part light winds at S. with fine pleasant weather, saw Whales lower parted and drove, Chase more Whales to no purpose 14 Ships in sight

Lat by obs 68.27 N Long by obs 177.00

Thursday Sept 16th
Commences with light winds at S. Whales in sight Chase to no purpose At 4 P.M. commenced Reeling Middle part variable, Latter part fresh winds at N.W. saw Whales lower and Chase to no purpose, Employed Reeling, 12 Ships in sight No obs Lat by account 68.20 N Long 177.20 W