

Remarks on board Rk Burham C. Fisher

Thursday July 8th Light northwesterly breeze and fine weather heading S by N at 4 PM had a squall & wind & rain from E & changed light breeze to moderate S. Water part light breeze at 10 PM had 1 saw grampases

Friday July 9th Light air and calm at 2 PM saw white water several times about 10 miles off did not make it out Middle part moderate easterly breeze steering N. Water part much the same great number of Blackfish in sight. Lat 135° Long 120.44

Saturday July 10th Light, baffling northwesterly air and fine weather steering N. at 1 PM a steamer in sight off 1/2 quarter coming toward us Middle part light breeze at 4 PM had 1 saw grampases. Lat 135° Long 120.44

Sunday July 11th Light, baffling westerly breeze and fine weather heading S by N at 3.30 PM Cape raised a school of sperm whales off water. Rovers began going a little faster at 4.10 PM lowered bearing three boats at 5.30. Boat fastened shortly after the bow & starboard boats strove higher. Took the last whale along side about 9.30. Got supper and set the water. Much squally breeze but S. Middle part moderate breeze with heavy rain getting ready for cutting. Water part light westerly breeze at daylight hooked on one in at 9.45 got breakfast and commenced on the second one got it fairly in and had to stop on account of heavy squally wind and rain. Fish hauled at 1.30 commenced again finished cutting at 11.20. on some the fall and got dinner.

Vigster. Cruising in the Booboo sea off Cape Rivers

Tuesday Aug 10th Light southwesterly breeze fine weather steering different courses from S to S by E at 4 PM changed the top sails and shifted to 1/2 S. Moderate breeze. Broughted in at 3 PM Middle part light baffling air. Water part much the same heading in for Cape Rivers. 75.7 945.87

Wednesday Aug 11th Light southwesterly breeze and fine weather heading S by N at 4 PM changed to 1/2 S. Moderate breeze steering N. Water part light southwesterly breeze and fine weather steering N. at 4 PM employed hunting boats. Blackfish porpoises and grampases in sight.

Thursday Aug 12th Light southwesterly breeze clear weather heading northwesterly. Middle part light easterly air steering N. at 4 PM had 1 saw grampases. Water part light air and calm employed hunting boats. Blackfish in sight.

Friday Aug 13th Light air and calm weather very warm heading westerly, but a new squall. S. Middle part light southwesterly breeze steering N. at 4 PM had 1 saw grampases. Water part steering N. Employed hunting boats.

Saturday Aug 14th Light northwesterly breeze and fine weather steering different courses from S by E at 4 PM shifted to 1/2 S. Moderate breeze steering N. at 4 PM had 1 saw grampases. Water part light southwesterly breeze steering N. at 12 PM shifted to 1/2 S. Blackfish in sight.