

Remarks on board ship Thomas Dickason, of New Bedford

Lat $53^{\circ}25'$ north Sunday May 3rd 1863.
Forepart, moderate southeasterly winds. The ship
under all sail; steering N.W. At 4 P.M. passed
to the westward and within about 20 miles of Attou
one of the westernmost island of the Aleutians.
Middle, and latter part, strong southeasterly wind;
the ship under prudent sail; steering N.W. & N.E.

Lat $56^{\circ}33'$ north Monday 4th
Variable easterly winds; forepart, strong;
latter part, light. Steering north with prudent sail.

Lat $58^{\circ}28'$ Lon $170^{\circ}28'$ E Tuesday 5th
Variable easterly winds, with some snow.
The ship under all sail; steering N.E.

Wednesday 6th
Middling strong easterly winds; with
some snow. The ship on opposite tack
under prudent sail. Spoke the German bark Braganza.

Thursday 7th
Middling strong variable northeasterly winds in the
forepart; latter part more moderate. The ship, on
the eastern tack; under easy sail.

Friday 8th
Moderate variable northeasterly winds. The ship
under prudent sail on the eastern tack. Course N.

Latitude $58^{\circ}40'$ Lon $172^{\circ}25'$ Saturday 9th
Light variable winds; with some snow. The ship
under topgallantails; working to the northward.

Lat $59^{\circ}40'$ Lon $175^{\circ}39'$ Sunday 10th
Light variable northwesterly winds. The ship
under all sail working to the northward.

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Lat $60^{\circ}40'$ north Monday May 11th 1863.
Light variable winds, with spittings of snow. Saw some
light ice at 2 P.M. to the northward and eastward.
Worked up to it to look for whales. Latter part cruising
in and around the ice. The ship under requisite sail
throughout the day. Spoke the ship Henry Howland of N.B.

Lat $60^{\circ}51'$ Tuesday 12th
Light variable winds. The ship cruising in, and
around, the ice. Saw several "Sperits".

Lat $61^{\circ}03'$ Wednesday 13th
Light, variable, winds, with some clouds. The ship
working to the northward, through light, and
scattering, ice. Carrying prudent sail.

Lat $61^{\circ}26'$ Thursday 14th
Light, variable winds, with some snow. The
ship cruising in, and, around ice; with requisite sail.

Lat $61^{\circ}06'$ Lon $178^{\circ}28'$ E Friday 15th
Moderate, variable winds, with some snow. The
ship under requisite sail, working to the northward
and eastward. Spoke the bark Henry, of N. Bedford.

Lat $61^{\circ}20'$ Saturday 16th
Light winds, principally, from the northward. The ship
under all sail, working to the northward and eastward,
through, and around, ice. Spoke ship George Howland of N. Bedford.

Lat $61^{\circ}38'$ Sunday 17th
Light variable northeasterly winds. The ship under
all sail working northward, through ice part of
the time. Saw two bow-head whales, and lowered the
boats for them. Saw land on the Kamtschatka
shore bearing N.E. nearly forty miles distant.
Saw the Henry Howland, Braganza (Killing) and S. Howland.