

On Board Ship # Kneland Sept. 3rd /59
Saturday

Came in with fine clear weather and fresh NNE Wind all sail set steering W. At 8 P.M. Came by the wind heading E by S. Saw the ice to the North of us 6 miles off it looked to be packed together snug Middle part wind strong. Double reefed the topsails hauled the jib and hauled up the courses at 8 A.M. Came up to the ice and were to Northward at 5 A.M. Were to the East again at 8 A.M. steered S.W. to clear the ice latter part strong gale at 10 A.M. Close reefed the topsails and fished the courses steering S.S.E. several sail in sight some of them Bailing all steering to the Southward Saw three whales going to the S.W. fast did not lower for them

Sunday 4th

Came in with a fresh gale from the NNE and clear weather steering S.S.E. and S. along the shore from Leg Cape under close reefed topsails and fairsail at 8 P.M. spoke the ship Rebecka Gimes and Ship Julian and gamed till 9 P.M. When they went on board their ships and we steered S. the Julian was badly stove in the ice and was bound for St. Lawrence Bay to repair the Damages if they could gamed until 11 P.M. then steared S. until 1 A.M. then came by the Wind with head yards aback until 7 A.M. then steared from S.S.E. to S.S.W. at 10 A.M. turned a reef out of each topsail and set the fairsail Wind and weather the same as first of the day one sail in sight standing in shore saw no whales of Enny kind this day

Lat 69-02 N
Long.

On Board Ship # Kneland Sept 5th /59
Monday

Came in with a fresh gale from N.N.E. and clear weather steering S. ship under Double reefed topsails & fairsail at 1 P.M. out reefed but topgallant sails main royal jib fliegth topmast & topgallant staysails and steared S.S.E. at 3 P.M. passed Cape Lisburn close to at 4 P.M. hauled all the light sails and close reefed the topsails fished fairsail and came to with head yards aback close in shore to the South of Cape Lisburn ~~steared~~ ^{steared} aback Under the lee of the Land two at an anchor Middle part strong gale at 7 were off shore it took in four & mizen topsails at 1 A.M. Were in shore again at 8 A.M. were off shore Wind and weather the same one sail in sight bound south Cape Dyer 20 miles off Baring E. latter part wind and weather the same Lat 69-45 N

Tuesday 6th

Came in with a strong gale from the N.N.E. Laying to under a close reefed main topsail and four topmast & mizen staysail heading E. at 3 P.M. moderated set the four & mizen topsails close reefed and main topsails at 5 P.M. quite moderate spoke the Ship marsha off New Bedford and the capt. Came on board stayed until 9 P.M. and went on board his ship at 10 P.M. wind hauled to E. light wore ship to the North Middle part and latter part light Baffin air and Calms all sail set working to the West Several sail in sight doing nothing and No prospect of ever doing any thing