

Friday Aug 29 - 1874

First part of this day good breeze. Ship working to the E. Middle part finished boiling. Latter cleaned up. the whale turned up 3rd barrel. Saw several fin backs so ends.

Saturday Aug 30

Lat. 00.17° First part of this day light breeze from Long 169.23° the E & E. Ship working to the windward Middle and Latter parts the same. Saw one fin back and so ends this day.

Sunday Aug 31

Lat. 00.24° First part of this day good breeze from Long 169.37° the E & E. Ship working to the E. Middle and Latter part the same. Saw several fin backs and so ends this day.

Monday Sept 1

Lat. 00.16° First part of this day good breeze from the Long 169.43° E. Ship beating to the E. Middle and Latter parts the same. Saw several fin backs. Slowed down. Started butter and vinegar and so ends this day.

Tuesday Sept 2

First part good breeze from the E. Ship working to the E. Middle and Latter parts the same. Saw several fin backs. Employed cleaning iron work. Cooper repairing water cask.

Wednesday Sept 3

Lat. 00.06° First part good breeze from the E & E. Ship Long 169.22° working to the E. Middle and Latter parts the same. Saw fin backs. Employed cleaning iron work. Carpenter repairing waist-board and so ends this day.

Thursday Sept 4 - 1874

First part of this day good breeze from the E. Ship working to the E. about 11 A.M. Mr. Alexander raised a school of sperm whales going to windward. Lowered three boats and chased about five hours without success, and so ends this day.

Friday Sept 5

First part of this day good breeze from the E & E. Ship beating to the E. Middle and Latter parts the same. Employed cleaning iron work. Saw two schools of blackfish. Carpenter sick and Mr. Cook and so ends.

Saturday Sept 6

First part of this day good breeze from the E & E. Ship beating to the E. Middle and Latter parts the same. Saw a school of Blackfish. Employed in repairing the waist-boat and cleaning iron work and so ends this day.

Sunday Sept 7

First part of this day good breeze. Ship working to the E. Middle and Latter parts the same. Saw Blackfish and so ends.

Monday Sept 8

Lat. 00.23° First part of this day good breeze. Ship Long 168.54° working to the E. Middle and Latter parts the same. Saw Blackfish. Employed in repairing waist-boat and cleaning iron work. And so ends this day.

Tuesday Sept 9

First part good breeze from the E. Middle and Latter parts the same. Saw fin backs and pleasant Island. so ends this day.