Sat 15 th. Lat 44° 29' 3 Long 32° 10'. Mat 40'.
Dist 271 m. Sun very bright going on well, 271 miles is the most we have done in a day yet.
Sun 16 th. Lat 44° 46' Long 36° 15'. Dis 174 m.
Several hie ballad porpoises about.
Caught some stormy Petrels Isb. birds.
Mon 17 th. Lat 45° 3' S Long 38° 53'. Dis 113 m.
Raining all day. A large whale seen.
Tues 18 th. Lat 45° 5' Long 42° 5'. Wind W.
Dist 137. Heavy swell & seas coming over, no sleep at night.
Several very large pieces of seaweed passed us, but we could not catch them with our hooks, vessel rolling heavily.
Thurs 20 th. Lat 45° 26' Long 48° 21'. Dis 106.
It is now 30 days since we sent our letters home, raining. Lots of birds about.
Fri 21 st. Lat 45° 4' Long 53° 17'. Dis 213.
A full rigged ship passed us. She was from Glasgow to Melbourne.
A very fine ship.