

Ship Cambria Whaling about or near the Equator
Friday Decr 14th 1849 All there 24 hours
moderate breezes from N.N.W. to N.W. with pleasant weather steering by the wind
to the Westward employed seizing up the main rigging so ends.

Lat by Obs. 3.17 S Long by Obs. 178.00

Saturday Decr 15th 1849 Commenced
with a moderate breeze from the N.N.W. with fair weather at 4 P.M. to the
to the North middle and latter part wind from West to N.W. steering
North with all sail set friends. Lat by Obs. 2.00 South.

Sunday Decr 16th 1849 Commenced with
with a moderate breeze from the N.W. with cloudy weather steering North
saw Porpoises at sunset took in the light sails middle and latter part
light airs and calm with showers of rain friends.

Lat by Obs. 1.33 South Long by Obs. 177.49

Monday Decr 17th 1849 Commenced with
a light air from the N.E. with more and then a Scotch mist steering N.W. at sunset
took in the light sails middle part steering West at day light made sail latter
part steering S.E. employed putting new seizings on our fore rigging
so ends.

Lat by Obs. 1.33 South Long by Obs. 178.35 West

Tuesday Decr 18th 1849 Commenced with
a moderate breeze from the N.E. with pleasant weather steering S.E.
middle part much the same some showers of rain latter part steering
by the wind don't know what to do or where to go Lat 3.28 South.

Wednesday Decr 19th 1849 Commenced
with a moderate breeze from the N.E. with cloudy weather steering
S.E. at 6 P.M. set the 3 Top mast standing sail middle part as in at a track
latter part wind N.N.E. repaired the main spencer back part 11 saw a ship to the
Eastward of us backed up for her this day caught a Porpoise friend.

Lat by Obs. 5.13 South

Thursday Decr 20th 1849 Commenced
with a brisk wind from N.N.E. at 2 P.M. packed baited the main top sail
aback for the other ship to run down at 4 spoke her the Hector 18 months
out 400 bbls. had been in chase of Whales this morning middle part very
strong breezes took in the light sails steered by the wind to the Eastward
at sunrise saw breaches of the weather beam supposed them to be sperm
Whales saw them breaching for an hour or longer at half past 7. took but
saw nothing after this at 12. took again to the Eastward so ends.

Lat by Obs. 5.08 South Long by Obs. 177.11 West

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Friday Decr 21st 1849 Commenced
with a brisk wind from the North East standing to the Eastward at 1 P.M. took
to the N.W. middle part more moderate latter part the same friends.

Lat by Obs. 4.52 South Long by Obs. 177.48

Saturday Decr 22nd 1849 All there
24 hours moderate breezes from N.E. to E.N.E. and pleasant steering
by the wind to the North with all sail set so ends.

Lat by Obs. 3.43 S Long by Obs. 178.00

Sunday Decr 23rd 1849 Commenced with
moderate trades from the E.N.E. with fine pleasant weather standing to the
North with all sail set middle part brisk trades and equally took in the light
sails latter part brisk trades and pleasant friends. Lat 2.06 Long 177.55 West.

Monday Decr 24th 1849 Commenced
with fine trades and pleasant standing to the North all sail set middle
part much the same latter part equally took in the light sails
sent the M. S. G. mast down and prepared the other friends.

Lat by Obs. 2.00 " 38 South Long by Obs. 178.6

Tuesday Decr 25th 1849 Commenced
with very strong trades from the N.E. standing to the N.W. but one reef in
the top sails sent the main S. G. mast up & set up the rigging middle part
more moderate at day light let the reefs out & A. H. backed latter part
repaired the M. S. G. sail's fore lower moderate trades and pleasant friends.

Lat by Obs. 2.00 " 15 North.

Wednesday Decr 26th 1849 All
there 24 hours moderate trades and calm with a few rain squalls.
standing to the S.E. with all sail set friends. Lat by Obs. 1.14 Long 178.40

Thursday Decr 27th 1849 All
there 24 hours light airs from East to E.S.E. and pleasant steering
by the wind with all sail set friends. Lat by Obs. 2.03 Long 178.10

Friday Decr 28th 1849 Commenced
with a light air from the E.S.E. with pleasant weather standing to the N.E. at 5
P.M. wore ship steered W.S.W. middle and latter part light airs and calm
saw Porpoises friends. Lat by Obs. 2.02 S Long by Obs. 178.44 West.

Saturday Decr 29th 1849 All there
24 hours light airs from the N.W. with fine pleasant weather
standing to the Westward with all sail set friends.
Lat by Obs. 2.18 Long by Obs. 178.33