

Bark Canton Packet Bay of Whales.

Sunday November 17th 1856

Begins with moderate breeze and pleasant weather from the S.E. course S.W. employed in ships day middle and latter part much the same Latitude 30.24.5 Longitude 163.48.0.

Monday November 18th

Begins with moderate breeze and pleasant weather from the S.E. course S.W. employed in ships day middle and latter part much the same Latitude 31.20.5 Longitude 163.00.0.

Tuesday November 19th

Begins with strong breeze and pleasant weather from the E. course S.W. employed in ships day middle and latter much the same Latitude 32.10.5 Longitude 162.50.0.

Wednesday November 20th

Begins with moderate breeze and pleasant weather from the S.E. course S.W. employed in ships day middle and latter part much the same Latitude 33.01.5 Longitude 161.38.0.

Thursday November 21st 1856

Begins with moderate breeze and pleasant weather from the S.E. course S.W. employed in ships day middle and latter part much the same Latitude 33.19.5 Longitude 160.49.0.

Friday November 22nd

Begins with strong breeze and pleasant weather from the S.E. course S.W. employed in ships day middle and latter part much the same Latitude 34.00.5 Longitude 160.00.0.

Saturday November 23rd

Begins with strong breeze and pleasant weather from the E. course S.W. employed in ships day 1 sail in sight middle part pleasant latter part at day light saw sperm whales at 9 S.W. toward and in pursuit of a whale the boat got capsize and jolice the whole the Elizabeth also and the chase of fair weather in company with still in chase of the whale Latitude 34.50.5 Longitude 159.50.0.

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Sunday November 24th

Begins with strong breeze and pleasant weather from the S.E. at 1 P.M. the Elizabeth the boat struck a large whale and killed him at 8 P.M. took him to the Elizabeth and since taking him the piece fore of and lost about 1 third of his middle and latter part being fresh Latitude 35.00.5 Longitude 159.50.0.