

Barque Cherokee bound to the Japan sea
contin

Middle part cloudy with fresh breezes
from S E steered N E under two reefed sails

Last part cloudy with strong breezes
from N E to S W steered to N E saw goats at daylight
made all sail rounded the California saw another
sail and three right whales did not lower

carried sail to suit convenience Manual off duty
6/1 Friday April 7 1848

Ran with cloudy squally weather and
some rain and strong breezes from S W to S steered N E
saw Sulphur at 5 P M Ring W of distant 40 or 50 leagues
rounded the California she was in co with the Sarah
Parker of Nantucket running under easy sail

Middle part cloudy with fresh breezes
from W N W steered to N E till 11 P M tacked to S W
at 6 A M tacked to N N W under small sail

Last part cloudy with strong breezes and
heavy squalls from W N W headed to N at 10 A M saw
the land all along on the weather bore two ships in
sight Manual of duty carried sail to suit the time

Latitude by obs 34° 20' North
Longitude per Chron 128° 55' East

6/2 Saturday April 8 1848

Ran with fine weather and brisk
breezes from S W steered N E all sail set entered the
straits of Korea at noon the California in sight saw a
number of whales in passing through

Middle part cloudy with fresh breezes from
S W to N N E came N E steered to the E by the end at
4 A M tacked to N N W at 5 tacked to E S E

Last part cloudy with fresh breezes
from N E at 7 A M tacked to N N W at 11 A M tacked to
E S E all drawing sail set saw the land and Harp-bark
Scribbs and some right whales Manual of duty

Latitude by obs 35° 15' North
Longitude per Chron 130° 00' East

Jacob L Cleveland Master

6/3 Sunday April 9

Ran with cloudy weather and fresh breezes
from N E steered by the wind to E S E at 5 A M tacked
to N N W put Hole saw a number of right whales

Middle part cloudy and squally with rain
rounded top of Galle at 12 P M tacked several times since N E

Last part cloudy and squally with rain
at 7 A M two reefed the top sails at 9 went to S E at 10
saw the land bearing S W Manual off duty

Latitude by obs 35° 55' North
Longitude per Chron 130° 20' E

6/4 Monday April 10 1848

Ran with cloudy squally weather and
fresh breezes from E N E went to N E at a reef off at 5 P M
saw the land under the sun at sunset

Middle part fine weather and light
breezes from N E at 11 P M tacked to S E all sail set

Last part fine weather and light breezes
from E steered to N W byed the fore top sail Manual off duty

Latitude by obs 35° 50' North
Longitude per Chron 130° 09' E

6/5 Tuesday April 11 1848

Ran with fine weather and light breezes
from E S E steered to N E saw Harp-bark but the all
Scribbs saw the land

Middle part fine weather and light breezes
from E S E steered N E by N all sail set

Last part fine weather and light breezes
from E S E steered to N E all hands on duty well until
the cable saw the Island of Sagit saw two sail and 8
right whales rounded them boats in chase at noon

6/6 Wednesday April 12 1848

Ran with fine weather and light
breezes from E S E the Harp-bark got a whale the L B
killed it took him to the ship at 4 P M and cut him
in got through at 8 and made sail to S by the wind
saw any quantity of whales