

Saturday Aug. 17th 1872

All day fresh breezes from the S.W. In the A.M. fine weather but some cloudy in the P.M. cloudy with rain and strong breezes and at 6 a gale from the W. at 2 P.M. spoke the Bk. Ennaran Gifford of New Bedford 14 mos. out with 200 Bbls sperm Oil. Capt. G. came on board and jammed until 5 1/2 P.M. No Obs.

Sunday Aug. 18th 1872

Came in with strong gales from the N.W. and overcast. Ship steering E by S by compass for the W. S. Nothing in sight all day.

Lat 40.43
Long 34.50

Monday Aug. 19th 1872

All day moderate breezes from the N.E. and quite fine weather all day. Ship steering S by E with all sail out. Nothing in sight all day but two schools of porpoises in the A.M.

Lat 40.00
Long 32.30

Tuesday Aug. 20th 1872

All day light baffling winds from the N.E. and fine pleasant weather. Ship steering through the passage between the islands of Lays and Kure for Huala. with light air and calms - two sail in sight - at 4 P.M. sent a boat on board of Bk. Kate Williams, lying off Star, Lays. Flores, for letters. The W. W. was out 10 days from Boston. Received letter from Sheriff & Perry informing me of provisions being sent out for another year's cruise.

Wednesday Aug. 21st 1872

Came in with light baffling air from the S. and clear weather. Ship by the wind to the S.E. for Huala - saw Grampuses & Killers porpoises &c. Flores & Lays in sight in the A.M. at 11 saw Huala bearing S.E. per compass. - One sail in sight in the A.M.

Thursday Aug. 22nd 1872

All day light air from the S. and fine weather. Ship to the N.W. of Huala cruising with all prudent sail out. One sail a whaler in sight to the windward working up for Huala.

Friday Aug. 23rd 1872

All day light breezes from the S.W. and fine weather. Ship by the wind cruising. at 1 P.M. spoke the Bk. Ohio Woodland of N.B. 4 mos. out with 40 Bbls Sperm Oil. Ship working toward Huala.

Saturday Aug. 24th 1872

All day light breeze from the S and fine weather. Ship in the A.M. off and on at Huala - at 8 P.M. went on shore with boat and saw Capt. Howland, who had come out to send the ship on other season to the South. Capt. H. had brought out provisions for a six months cruise. Capt. H. has also brought out provisions for Bk. Pacific to be forwarded by us to River Platte. at 4 P.M. went in to anchor in 16 faths of water with starboard anchor, found only three sail in Huala among them the Bk. Fredonia.