

Bark Constance of New Bedford bound on a Whaling

Monday Jan 16th

First part rainy weather and strong W N W heading S W by the wind at 4 Am wind S heading W by S E at 8 steered N W by W latter part pleasant wind W S W heading N W by E at 6 Pm wore ship to the S W by S set whale main top sail & fly jib so ends this day

Lat by obs 54.51 S
Long by Chron 77.30 W

Tuesday Jan 17th

First part thick cloudy weather with moderate gales from W N W heading S W under short sail latter part the same pitched away the outer Bobstay to it in so ends this day

Lat by obs 54.59 S
Long by Chron 78.30 W

Wednesday Jan 18th

First part fresh gales from W to W N W heading S W & S S W latter part the same so ends this day

Lat by obs 55.16 S
Long by Chron 78.43 W

Thursday Jan 19th

First part fresh gales from W N W heading S W latter part the same at 4 Pm wind N W more moderate saw one sail steering to the E N E so ends this day

Lat by obs 55.47 S
Long by Chron 79.00 W

Friday Jan 20th

First part pleasant with strong breezes from W heading S S W under moderate employed fitting a Bobstay set double reefed top sails & courses so ends this day

Lat by obs 56.21 S
Long by Chron 79.15 W

Voyage to the North Pacific Ocean in 1860. Script Master.

Saturday Jan 21st

First part pleasant with fresh breezes from S to W S W steering N W by W under all sail latter part steered N W by N wind W S W at 4 Pm squally double reefed so ends this day

Lat by obs 56.13 S
Long by Chron 80.15 W

Sunday Jan 22nd

First part cloudy weather & strong breezes from W N W heading N by the wind under short sail latter part the same wore ship to the S W so ends this day

No obs

Monday Jan 23rd

First part cloudy weather & strong breezes from N N W heading W by the wind latter part moderate set double reefed top sails courses & jib at 4 Pm thick fog & rain so ends this day

Lat by obs 54.56 S
Long by Chron 81.20 W

Tuesday Jan 24th

First part pleasant with fresh breezes from W S W heading N W by N under all sail employed breaking out provisions & water latter part wind W N W heading N took in the light sails so ends this day

Lat by obs 54.23 S
Long by Chron 81.17 W

Wednesday Jan 25th

First part squally weather & light breezes from W N W heading N by the wind latter part the same at 4 Pm wind S W steered N W so ends this day

Lat by obs 53.33 S
Long by Chron 79.56 W