

5 Remarks on Board the Bark Corn on Whaling Voyage Humphrey Quarman Master

Thursday Feb 6<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part a brisk breeze from the N.E. steering by the wind to the N.W. at 2 P.M. were ship heading to South at 4 P.M. spoke the Lavin of New Bedford 8 Whales fine pleasant weather Middle and latter part the same Lat 44.27 Long 178.35 East

Friday Feb 7<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part a fine breeze from S.W. steering by the wind to the S.E. fine pleasant weather one ship in sight Middle part calm at 1 P.M. a breeze from N.W. & latter part a fine breeze and pleasant weather steering S by W. Per compass saw 3 ships Lat 45.02 Long 178.22

Saturday Feb 8<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part a strong breeze from N.W. & steering S by W fine pleasant weather Middle part the same at 1 P.M. the wind veered to South latter part strong breeze and pleasant weather saw one ship Lat 45.37 Long 176.48

Sunday Feb 9<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part light breeze from South Middle and latter part a light breeze from the N. Lat 45.53 Long 176.07

Monday Feb 10<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part light airs from the S.E. at 2 P.M. saw a right whale going quick to the Westward heard our boats but without success at 6 P.M. saw another heard our boats never got to him until dark Middle and latter part light breeze from the S.E. 2 ships in sight Lat 46.02 Long 176.16

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Tuesday Feb 11<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part light breeze from the S.E. steering S.W. fine pleasant weather at 4 P.M. got a Lunar Observation by measuring the distance of the sun from the moon Middle and latter part a fine breeze on from North and pleasant weather saw 4 ships at 5 P.M. spoke the Danut Webster Sagharbour Lat 46.30 Long 174.12

Wednesday Feb 12<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part a brisk breeze from N. steering S.W. at 4 P.M. spoke the Roman of New Bedford 3000 Bbls Middle part the same at 8 A.M. the wind hauled to S.W. saw a red right whale heard our boats and it came in thick fog at 11 A.M. heard saw another whale heard our boats did not see him again Lat 46.23 Long 172.32

Thursday Feb 13<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part strong breeze from S.W. steering by the wind to Westward under double reef topsails Middle and latter part light breeze and calm saw one ship Lat 46.10 Long 172.35

Friday Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part a fine breeze from N.E. steering South at 4 P.M. saw a right whale going quick to the N.E. at sun set left to heading to the S.E. and took in sail Middle part light breeze from the N. latter part the same at 7 P.M. saw one right whale going quick to the N.E. heard our boats but without success at 9 P.M. saw a right whale heard our boats heard our boat struck and drove so ends this day Lat 46.38 Long 172.33

Saturday Feb 15<sup>th</sup> 1840

Fore part of this day a fine breeze from N.W. & steering by the wind to Westward at 2 P.M. spoke the Mary and Manfield of Hudson 300 Bbls Middle and latter part light breeze from E. at 9 P.M. cleared off saw a school of black fish heard our boats and got 2 so ends Lat 46.38 Long 172.40