

Remarks on board the Bark Cora on a Whaling Voyage
 Humphrey Shearman Master

Wednesday June 17th 1840

Fore part strong breeze from N by W and pleasant weather steering E by S per compass all hands employed in stowing down oil Moulds and latter part strong breeze from W steering E by S
 Lat 27.15 Long 159.28

Thursday June 18th 1840

All this Day strong breeze from S by W and variable weather steering E by S per
 Lat 27.29 Long 157.14

Friday June 19th 1840

All this Day a brisk breeze from NW steering E by S per compass latter part in the Lib. Room and Lited it fine pleasant weather Lat 27.08 Long 154.53

Saturday June 20th 1840

All this day light breeze from S W steering E by N at 7 P.M. steering E by E fine pleasant weather Lat 26.45 Long 153.00

Sunday June 21st

Fore part begins with a calm at 5 P.M. a brisk breeze from S heading to NW at 8 P.M. wore ship steering by the wind to E by S rain at 12 o'clock a brisk gale took in the main top gallant sail and double reef the top sheet at 2 P.M. struck in main sail and Lib and fore top at 3 P.M. the wind hauled sudden to W in a heavy squall took in the fore sail the ship wore to the wind and head to the sea and made a pitch in the heavy sea and broke the Lib. Room of by the cab at 5 P.M. the wind moderated steering N E per compass

Lat 26.26 Long 152.12

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Monday June 22nd 1840

Fore part strong breeze from W and variable weather steering N E per compass at 4 P.M. the wind hauled to S by W at 3 P.M. the wind hauled to S E by E strong breeze steering N E Lat 24.55
 Long 150.39

Tuesday June 23rd 1840

Fore part strong breeze from E by E and pleasant weather steering by the wind to N E at 7 P.M. the wind veered to E by E latter part the same at 6 P.M. saw the island off Toobouki bearing N E by E Distance 10 leagues Lat 23.11 Long 149.40

Wednesday June 24th 1840

Fore part strong breeze from N E by E steering by the wind to N at 5 P.M. strong breeze from N E at 8 P.M. wore ship heading to Eastward under double reef top sails latter part a fine breeze from N E this day sent up the fore top gallant mast
 Lat 22.55 Long 149.20

Thursday June 25th 1840

Fore part a fine breeze from the N E and lovely weather steering by wind to E at 12 o'clock fresh gale from N by W took in the Lib and fore topsail and rose reef the main topsail at 1 P.M. for in the fore sail latter part brisk gale Lat 23.25 Long 148.40

Friday June 26th 1840

Fore part strong breeze from S W heading to N E at 9 P.M. moderated set the fore sail and fore topsail at 1 P.M. the wind veered to W by W steering by the wind to N at 2 P.M. made all sail latter part a fine breeze from S W steering by the wind to N E Lat 22.55 at 10 P.M. got a lunar obs Long 148.26 by measuring the Distance of the sun from the moon Long by lunar 148.50