

Saturday Feb 10<sup>th</sup>

Light wind from N.E. to E

E and Calm, Heading from N.W. to N.E., Sky overcast, Saw a Barque in sight to the East of us, Standing to the North, Saw a Humphrey going N.W.E., Making gunwain, Making a steel fore topmast staysail, Cooper & Carpenter putting the fore & aft poles in a new main topmast, The Rev. Charles Wether here for work, Saw an Island to the West of us.

Lat to West of 18° 15'

Sunday Feb 11<sup>th</sup>

Strong wind from N.W.E., Wind hauled with rain & overcast through the day, Heading to the N.W.E. Carrying all sail, Saw 5 Ships & Barques beating to the N.W., Saw a large Lark running off N.W. Light blue water in shore, Killed a Sheep.

Lat about 19° 20'

Monday Feb 12<sup>th</sup>

Fresh breeze from N.W.E. and good water, Standing upon opposite tack, Carrying all sail, Beating to the N.W.E., A merchant Barque in sight, Saw a Lark with Mast down, Beat up to her and sent a boat to her, She was fishing but anchored, Light green water, Making a new staysail, Overhauled our California Potatoes, Carpenter making buckets, Employed on the Digging.

Lat by obs 19° 55' Long by Ch 125° 3'

Tuesday Feb 13<sup>th</sup>

Strong wind from N.W.E. to N and clear water, Standing upon opposite tack & the most of the time heading E by N, Latter part of the day took in galland sails and at 5 Reup'd the topsails, Blowing on from N, In the morning saw the Barque off to

the leeward of us, heading to the N.W. by N, went down

the main rope & yard & shortened the rope on the foot, repaired the Lookout House & Cross mast, Dried the Studding Sails, Cooper making buckets and Carpenter making a fish davit,

Lat by obs 30° 30' Long by Ch 127° 0'

Wednesday Feb 14<sup>th</sup>

Fresh wind from N. and Chaplin standing upon opposite tack, Saw a Brig, repaired the Mizzen top sail & Mizzen galland sail, At 1 P.M. Saw a Right whale breaching and then saw a group of them in the same place, Lowered 4 boats and Mr. Warren struck and the whale ran some and then he brought to but Mr. Warren could not kill him finally the whale broke the line after being fast to him 3 hours, We saw 8 Right whales and still, Saw a fine chance to catch a Right whale.

Dark green water

Lat by obs 30° 34' Long by Ch 127° 00'

Thursday Feb 15<sup>th</sup>

Light wind from N.W. and fine weather, Hove to last night under short sail, Hoping to see whales to day, but don't see any on the same ground, Worked to the Windward through the fore noon and in the afternoon run off 15 miles, At 4-30 P.M. luffed by the wind, to the N.W.E., wind fresh, Dark green water, Saw sea weeds and little fishes, repaired the Mizzen galland sail and bent it, Broke out whale line and Coiled same, Carpenter making a fish davit, Cooper making buckets, Wind Chaplin.

Lat by obs 30° 55' Long by Ch 127° 40'