

Ship Given Howland Cruising

This 25th of July commences fine weather light trades steering to the N middle & latter part the same
Lat 31° 38' N Long 167° West

Lat 25th all this day fine weather light trades at day light saw whales lowered by boat chased them till 11 AM came on board at 2 PM lowered again. Bow Boat struck got stove took a tub of air & cut chased him till gun down took in sail and kept her off West Lat 31° 18' N Long

June 26th all this day fine weather light trades steering by the wind Lat 31° 13' N Long 168° 09'

June 27th all this day fine weather light trades steering by the wind. Sailed employed repairing the B Boat Lat 32° 02' N Long 167° 39'

June 28th all this day fine weather light trades steering to the S & Eastward. Sailed employed repairing the B Boat Lat 31° 48' N Long 167° 48' West

June 29th fine weather strong trades steering to the S & Eastward Lat 31° 26' N Long 167° 34' W

June 30th All this 24 hours fine weather strong trades steering to the N near Lat 31° 48' North Long 167° 04' W

This 31st all this day fine weather light trades steering to the N at 12 AM tacked to the S & E Lat 33° 09' N Long

Lat 1st of August 1840 commences calm & squally middle and latter part light trades steering to the S & Eastward Lat 32° 40' N Long 166° 57' W

In Japan in August 1840 H. B. Baker Master

Lat August 2nd commences fine weather and calm middle and latter part light trades with squalls of rain steering to the S and Eastward Lat 32° 03' North

Monday 3rd first and middle part light trades and squally latter part fine light breeze steering to the S and Eastward so ends this Lat 30° 46' North Long 166° 12' West

Tues 4th this day light trades with squalls of rain steering to the S & Eastward bent a new spanker Lat 29° 48' North Long 166° 38' West

Weds 5th first and middle part squally at day light saw a sail off the lee beam at 10 AM saw another all steering to the S & Eastward at 4 PM spoke the Furna of Boston 23 miles out 4330 lbs the other is the L C Richmond Capt Wood 30 miles out 2300 lbs latter part fine weather heading S 2 by E Lat 29° 38' North Long 166° 07' West

Thurs 6th all this day fine weather strong trades steering to the S & Eastward the Furna off the lee beam the L C Richmond astern all steering the same course at 4 PM shifted P top sail Lat 28° North Long 165° 12' W

This 7th all this fine weather strong trades heading S 2 by E the watch employed repairing the sails. A sail in sight off the lee quarter Lat 27° 25' North Long 164° 02' W

Lat 8th all this day fine weather strong trades steering ESE the watch employed breaking out and cooping 13 peas betwixt decks Lat 26° 06' North Long 162° 54' West