

Ship Isaac Howland
 Sunday Jan^{ry} 24th 1836 These 24 hours strong SE trades and clear weather standing to the South employed boiling blubber at 3 A.M. went ship to the NE at 10 saw the back of A sperm whale saw nothing more of him at meridian tacked to the Southward

Monday Jan^{ry} 25th 1836 These 24 hours strong SE trades and clear weather standing to the Southward till employed cooping oil till all hands employed stripping down oil at 9 A.M. raised A sperm whale going quick to the windward did not show the South so ends this day tacked to the South at 10 A.M. Lat by Obs 5-00 Long 108-45

Tuesday Jan^{ry} 26th 1836 First part of this day fresh trades and clear standing to the NE 2 ships in sight to the windward standing South at 4 A.M. tacked to the SE employed storing down oil so ends these 24 hours nothing in sight

Wednesday Jan^{ry} 27th 1836 Strong trades and clear weather standing to the southward at 4 P.M. spoke the *Benque Osprey* of Bedford Captⁿ Hays on 7 months out 75 lbs at 7 tacked to the NE at 3 A.M. tacked to the South Middle part squally with showers of rain latter part strong breezes and hazy so ends this day saw nothing of the whale kind Lat by Obs 4-31 South Long 109-40 West

Thursday Jan^{ry} 28th 1836 First part strong breezes and hazy standing to the NE at P.M. tacked to the South at 10 A.M. tacked to the NE A ship in sight to the windward standing SE Middle part squally so ends this day nothing in sight in shape of A whale Lat 4-30 Long 109-20 West

Cruising in the South Pacific in 1836
 Friday Jan^{ry} 29th 1836 Winds and weather as yesterday flying to windward with sail set to advantage A ship to windward standing SE so ends this day Lat by Obs

Saturday Jan^{ry} 30th 1836 First part of these 24 hours strong SE trades and cloudy standing to the NE exchanged colors with A ship to the windward supposed to be the *Alpha* tacked to the South at 7 A.M. at 9 A.M. raised A school of sperm whales large and small lowered 4 boats and killed 2 large whales at meridian took them to the ship latter part pleasant so ends this day Lat 4-00 South

Sunday Jan^{ry} 31st 1836 Well employed cutting at 6 P.M. finished 1 whale and shortened sail for the night A.M. employed cutting & boiling at meridian finished cutting middle part wind stood to the South A ship in sight ahead fine weather throughout so ends these 24 hours Lat by Obs 4-28 South Long 109-00 West

Monday Jan^{ry} 1st 1836 These 24 hours pleasant weather flying to windward employed boiling blubber tacked ship as requisite at 10 A.M. spoke the ship *Alpha* of Antigua Chase master 600 lbs 18 months out rather frosty for the season so ends this day Lat by Obs 4-50

Tuesday Feb^{ruary} 1st 1836 Long by Obs 104-35 West *Alpha* cutting A whale