

Ship Grace Howland
 at 4 P.M. raised whaler ahead 6 miles off
 nearly calm lowered 3 boats in chase at
 6 P.M. fastened to and killed 1 whale cut
 10 took him to the ship. All cut him in
 better part calm so ends these 24 hours

These 24 hours light baffling winds and
 beautiful weather till force of the
 deep being as smooth as glass employed
 boiling for several ships in sight
 cutting boiling for

First part fine weather - working to
 windward employed boiling at 2 P.M.
 finished boiling. All employed cooping oil
 so ends these 24 hours

First part of these 24 hours light SE trades
 and clear heading to the South at 6 P.M. tacked
 to the NE. middle part strong trades took in light
 sails P.M. employed cooping oil. All employed
 stowing down oil so ends these 24 hours

First part squally with showers of rain
 P.M. employed stowing down oil
 latter part strong trades and clear
 so ends these 24 hours Lat by Obs 5° 31' South
 Long by Chronometer 104° 30' West

These 24 hours strong trades and squally with
 frequent showers of rain working to the
 windward with single reefed topsails
 several ships in sight so ends these 24 hours
 Lat by Obs 5° 10' South

Long by Chronometer 104° 47' West

Cruising in the South Pacific 1836
 Tuesday These 24 hours squally with rain
 March under single reefed topsail working to
 8th windward spoke ship Beverly Chase
 1836 of A. Wellford 8 months out 50 bls the
 President of Antioch in sight so ends
 these 24 hours Lat by Obs 5° 27' South



These 24 hours strong trades and squally
 with frequent showers of rain working
 Wednesday to windward under 4 reefs of canvas
 March 9th several ships in sight no whales spoke
 1836 ship Plymouth of Edgarton 27 months out
 1600 bls. All lowered for whales did
 not fasten going to windward eye out
 so ends these 24 hours Lat 5° 20' South
 Long 104° 00' West



First part of these 24 hours strong
 Thursday trades and clear standing to the SE
 March at sun set saw breaches of the Dec
 10th beam. All saw sperm whale breaches
 1836 to the windward at 2 A.M. tacked South
 latter part more moderate so ends
 Lat by Obs 5° 52' South



P.M. saw whales to the windward
 Friday lowered 3 boats did not succeed in fasten-
 March ing at 7 P.M. took in light sails
 11th Lat 2 A.M. tacked to the South. All
 1836 nothing in sight so ends these 24 hours
 Lat by Obs 5° 30' South



First part of this day strong trades
 Saturday and clear standing SE 2 ships in
 March sight under our lee at 6 A.M. wore ship
 12th and steered S 3/4 W ends with strong trades
 1836 no fish in sight Lat by Obs 5° 39' South