

Ship Isaac Howland

Sunday

August

20th

Begins with strong trades and
rough sea at 5 P.M. saw
A large breach to windward
latter part more moderate
standing in E.

Lat by Obs 6° 08' 6"
Long by Chron 102° 36' 10"

Monday

August

21st

Good whale weather saw 2 ships
All kept her away and
and set all drawing sail

Tuesday

August

22nd

Beautiful weather nothing in
sight at 6 P.M. hauled on
A wind to the N. at 12 P.M.
wore to the N.E.

Lat by Obs 6° 10' 6"

Wednesday

August

23rd

These 24 hours good whale
weather saw 2 ships standing
to the N.E. steering different
courses

Lat by Obs 6° 40' 5"

Thursday

August

24th

Several ships in sight
no whales spoke ship
Vesperin of Boston 12 m 250

Whaling in the Pacific 1837

Friday

August

25th

Spoke ships Charles Carroll
Chase 12 months out 600 George
Howland Tabor 32 m 2766 Barque
Leader Weeks 26 m 500. Latter
first strong breezes and slowly
at meridian raised whales
and lowered for them



Lat by Obs 5° 58' 9"
Long by Chron 108° 30' West

Saturday

August

26th

At 4 P.M. gave up the chase
and came on board the
Vesperin in sight in chase
of whales

Lat 6° 00'

Sunday

August

27th

All at 7 raised A Lion
whale lowered killed and
took him to the ship at
8 and began to cut good
B. Boat weather

Lat 6° 05' South

Monday

August

28th

At 2 P.M. finished cutting
wore ship and stood for
A gallies whale lowered
2 boats did not get fast
the Vesperin & George Howland
got each of them a whale this
P.M. Latter first moderate
employed boiling our whale
So. A.