

Ship Isaac Howland

Monday

August
The 29th 1837

Good calm weather nothing in sight at 12 P.M. cast down the try works for the want of black.

Lat by obs 6° 16'

Tuesday
30th

Fresh breezes and passing clouds nothing in sight

Lat 6° 16'

Wednesday
31st

Wind and weather as yesterday. All running off to sea. Watches employed cleaning ship making black strops &c.

Lat by obs 6° 20'

Long by Chron 105° 12'

Thursday

September
1st
1837

Nothing in sight strong trades and clear

Lat 6° 16' South

Friday

September
2nd 1837

Nothing in sight strong winds and rough sea

Lat 5° 19'

Long by Chron 104° 48'

Saturday
Sept 3rd

Fresh winds and clear weather nothing in sight working to windward under single reefs

Lat by obs 6° 02' South

Whaling in the North Pacific

Monday
Sept 4th

1837

Begins with fresh winds and clear weather. Tackled up at 12 P.M. tacked to the Southward nothing in sight

Lat by obs 6° 18'

Tuesday

Sept 5th

1837

Wind and weather as yesterday at 6 P.M. tacked to the S.E. watches employed on various necessary jobs so ends this day

Lat by obs 5° 35' South

Wednesday

Sept 6th

Fresh breezes and passing clouds at 7 A.M. tacked South saw 2 ships to the Seward of us under short sail

Lat by obs 4° 40'

Long 103° 00' South

Thursday

Sept 7th

At 9 P.M. spoke ship Hamilton Delano 500 bls saw plenty of whales last week. Tatter part clear sterning with

Lat by obs 4° 37'

