

Ship Isaac Howland.

Monday
April 16th Wind as East and strong.
double reef in Heaving
up S & E. Latter part
light airs set all drawing
skib bent over homeward
bound fore topmast and tree in
pieces an old D.D.

Lat 29° 01' S

Long 115° 00' West

Tuesday
April 17th 1837 at 1 P.M. saw a large
sperm whale going moderately
by to the South. Toward
my boats at 4 P.M. fastened
to him with 1 iron line and it
drewed Mielte part calm
and clear

Lat 29° 30' South

W.B.D. From

Wednesday
April 18th 1837 Calm and clear
hoisted in the waste boat
and put a new boat out

From the off shore ground Bounet to Tatukano Coast of Chile

Thursday
19th Calm and cloudy with
some rain repaired the old
waste boat for to set in
Tatukano coast the 21st
and mended it all at work
on an old fore topmast latter
part calm and clear

Lat 29° 40' South

Long 115° 40' W

Friday
The 20th Begins with calm and clear
weather, mending an old
topmast latter part fresh S.W.
winds and flying clouds
sterning East by compass
set fore and main topmast
and topgallant studding sails

Rejoice boys we have a favourable wind

Saturday
The 21st Commences with fresh S.W.
winds and cloudy steering
an East course at
meridian wind at N.W.
and clear Lat 30° 31' South