

Ship Gratitudes of New Bedford Alfred

Monday June the 10<sup>th</sup>  
Commenced fresh winds from  
S. S. W. steering N. W. E. Middle  
part water much the same  
at 6 P.M. kept the ship with  
Lat. by Obs 16.34 S.

Tuesday June the 11<sup>th</sup>  
Commenced fresh winds from  
E. S. E. heading N. E. at sunset,  
hoist top under storm sails at  
daylight set double reefed Top sails  
heading N. E. by N. wind from  
E. by S. Lat. by Obs 15.17 S.  
Long. by Obs 107.21 E.

Wednesday June the 12<sup>th</sup>  
Commenced more moderate heading  
N. E. by N. under whole Top sails,  
nothing to be seen but Sea serpents  
Middle and Latter parts fresh  
winds from E. S. E. heading N. E.  
under all sail, Lat. by Obs 15.05 S.  
Long. by Obs 114.29 E.

Thursday June the 13<sup>th</sup>  
Commenced fresh winds from  
E. by S. heading N. E. by N. under all  
sail, Middle and Latter parts  
fresh winds from East to E. S. E.  
heading from N. E. to N. W. E. with  
all sail out, Lat. by Obs 12.01 S.  
Long. by Obs 119.01 E.

Fisher Master Cruising for Whales

Friday June the 15<sup>th</sup>  
Commenced fresh winds from  
E. by S. heading N. E. by N. with  
Top gallant sails in, Middle and  
Latter parts fresh winds from  
E. S. E. heading N. E. with top gallant  
sails furled, Lat. by Obs 16.07 S.  
Long. by Obs 114.52 E.

Saturday June the 16<sup>th</sup>  
Commenced fresh winds from E. S. E.  
heading N. E. at 9.20 P.M. made the  
Island of Sandelwood or Sandwood  
Island bearing N. E. dist. 12 Leagues  
at sunset double reefed the Top sails  
and more off shore saw numerous  
fires on the island, at 2 P.M. gave  
Ship, and stood in shore but  
could find no harbour.

Sunday June the 17<sup>th</sup>  
Commenced fresh winds from  
E. S. E. cruising along shore for  
a harbor until dark, then  
set reefing with any success  
we kept off N. W. W. from Sumbawa  
straits, at 8 P.M. made the island  
of Sumbawa, dist 5 Leagues, and  
run down the shore, which  
appeared very uneven and  
covered to the water's edge  
with trees on the South side,  
Lat. by Obs 9.12 S.