

Round the Ladrone Islands

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Wednesday Jan 26th

Begins with squally weather from NE ship at anchor saw one whale no chance hands snappage at various jobs about ship last part employed watering and repairing a boat so ends this day showing

Thursday Jan 27th

Begins with strong wind from NE with squally weather ship at anchor hands employed setting up shacks and taking off water and other jobs saw nothing

Friday Jan 28th

Begins with strong wind from NE with squally weather ship at anchor employed setting up shacks and taking off water and stowing it away saw three humpbacks board got nothing so ends this day

Saturday Jan 29th

Begins with strong wind and pleasant from NE ship at anchor employed setting up shacks and taking off water middle and last part the same saw whales board got nothing so ends this day

Sunday Jan 30th

Begins with fine pleasant weather from NE ship at anchor middle part squally last part pleasant saw two whales board got nothing so ends this day

Monday Jan 31st

Begins with fine pleasant weather from NE ship at anchor employed setting up cash and taking off water saw whales board got nothing so ends this day

At the Island of Tinian

Tuesday Jan 30th

Begins with pleasant weather from NE middle part passing squalls of rain last part pleasant ship at anchor employed setting up cash saw whales board got nothing

Wednesday Jan 31st

Begins with a fresh breeze from NE with squally weather ship at anchor employed setting up cash middle and last part the same saw several whales board got nothing had one missed so ends this day

Thursday Feb 1st

Begins with a strong breeze from NE with squalls ship at anchor middle and last part the same saw whales board got nothing so ends this day slim chance for whales

Friday Feb 2nd

Begins with fresh breeze from NE saw whales board struck one last one by the line straggling middle part calm last part light of 4 AM took the anchor around back to Sypan saw one whale board without success so ends this day

Saturday Feb 3rd

Begins with a fine breeze from N and pleasant at 7 PM let go the anchor at Sypan in 11 fathoms of water gave the ship 30 fathoms of chain last part saw whales board no chance whales off shore and very shy so ends this day

Sunday Feb 4th

Begins with fresh breeze from NE with light showers of rain middle and last part moderate and pleasant saw whales off shore no chance