

Bark John A. Robb. Toward New Holland

Monday March 28th 1859

This day comes in with light air from W. N. 4. the Bark Steering S. by W. Middle part calm latter part gentle breeze from the N. Saw nothing, the sick ones are all well and gone to duty

Lat 15.15° Long 117.04° E.

Tuesday March 29th

Comes in with fresh breeze from W. S. W. the Bark Steaming S. by the wind. Middle and latter part much the same spoke Ship General Williams. 6 months out 600 Whales from Desolation bound North

Lat 16.09 Long 117.26

Wednesday March 30th

Comes in with moderate breeze from W. S. W. the Bark Steaming to the South. Middle part fresh breeze, latter part Moderate at 10 A.M. Tacked to the S. W. Saw something making white water, but could not make out what it was

Lat 17.33 Long 117.48

Thursday March 31st

Comes in with light winds and calms the Ship heading to the South. Middle and latter part much the same saw porpoises and other small fry.

Lat 17.33 Long 117.31

Friday April 1st

This day comes in with light air from W. S. W. the Bark Steering to the South Middle and latter part calm Saw a finback

Lat 17.49 Long 117.08

Saturday April 2^d

These twenty four hours light baffling winds and calms the Bark working to the Westward Saw nothing

Lat 17.53 Long 116.5

Bark John A. Robb. Crossing over to New Holland

Sunday April 3rd 1859

This day comes in with light breeze from S. W. Steaming by the wind to the Westward Middle part calm. Saw nothing Ends with fine breeze from South. Steering W. S. W.

Lat 18.01 Long 115.43° E.

Monday April 4th

Comes in with fine weather and a moderate breeze from South the Bark Steering W. S. W. Middle part calm latter part fine breeze from S. S. E. Saw finbacks.

Lat 18.24 Long 114.35° E.

Tuesday April 5th

These twenty four hours light breeze from S. E. the Bark Steaming to the S. W. Saw Blackfish and tried for them without success.

Lat 19.12 Long 113.29° E.

Wednesday April 6th

Comes in with fine weather and moderate breezes from South the Bark Steaming to the W. S. W. Middle part moderate, latter part good breeze. Saw nothing. saw new mounted sail braces Manila

Lat 19.49 Long 112.22

Thursday April 7th

This day comes in with fine weather and strong breeze from South the Bark Steering W. S. W. Middle and latter part quite a fresh breeze Saw nothing. one man off duty sick

Lat 20.30 Long 110.43

Friday April 8th

Comes in with fine weather and strong breeze from S. E. the Bark Steaming S. W. by W. Middle part calm and latter part much the same. The Bark is leaking since yesterday about 3000. Sticks in 24 hours. The leak is forward somewhere about the bows.

Lat 22.00 Long 108.19° E.