

Ship La Fayette Towards N.W. Coast

Tuesday April 14th

Lat. 19. 1 N } Strong winds and rugged weather Steering
Long 132. 31 W } N.W. Mid and Latta part much the same

Wednesday April 15th

Lat. 20. 59 N } Strong N.W. trades and squally weather Steering
Long 134. 41 W } N.W. took in J.S. sails and reefed the fore
Sails Mid and Latta part the same
very uneasy saw nothing

Thursday April 16th

Lat. 22. 48 N } Strong winds and rugged weather Steering
Long 135. 12 W } N.W. by N. Mid part heavy squalls doubt
reefed the fore sails took in the main sail
Latta part much the same

Friday April 17th

Lat. 24. 27 N } Strong winds and rugged weather with
Long 136. 31 W } heavy squalls from N.W. by E Steering
Chas 136. 52 } N.W. by N. main close reef fore sails
Mid part the same Latta part more
moderate saw B. Fish

Saturday April 18th

Lat. 25. 05 N } Strong breeze from N.W. and squally
Long 138. 28 W } weather Steering N.W. Mid and Latta
Chas 138. 40 } part much the same

Sunday April 19th

Lat. 27. 20 N } Strong wind from N.W. and squally
Long 140. 51 W } Steering N.W. by W. Mid and Latta
Chas 140. 51 } part the same

Monday April 20th

Lat. 28. 49 N } Strong breeze from N.W. and fine weather
Long 142. 50 W } Steering N.W. by W. Mid and Latta part the same
Latta part more pleasant

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Tuesday April 21st

Lat. 30. 31 N } Commenced with strong breezes from
Long 144. 2. 20 W } N.W. and squally weather Steering N.W.
Mid and Latta part the same

Wednesday April 22nd

Lat. 32. 28 N } Strong breezes from N.W. and squally
Long 145. 1 W } heading N.W. at 9 P.M. took in J.S. sails
and reefed the fore sails Mid part the
same Latta part more pleasant

Thursday April 23rd

Lat. 34. 29 N } Commenced with light winds from E and
Long 145. 30 W } pleasant Steering N.W. by W. the wind inclining
to the S. Mid part more from S.E. Latta
part employed in mending fore and fore
top sail saw nothing

Friday April 24th

Lat. 36. 18 N } Commenced with light winds from S Steering
Long 144. 40 W } N.W. by W. employed in mending fore top sail
Mid part the weather much the same
at 8 AM the wind shifted to N.W.
Latta part squally with fog

Saturday April 25th

Lat. 38. 33 N } Light winds from N.W. and clear weather
Long 144. 30 W } heading N.W. at 4 P.M. took in fore top sail
light air and calm Latta part light breezes
from S.W. employed in mending main sail

Sunday April 26th

Lat. 38. 55 N } Strong breezes from S.W. and fine weather
Long 146. 30 W } Steering N.W. by W. employed in mending main
sail and main fore sail Mid part the same
at 11 AM saw Right Whales to windward
got ready to lower for them