

1839

Ship Lalla Pookh Oct 12th

Saturday 12th

Strong heavy winds from E. imployed in hauling. Squally, rugged weather at 10 A.M. Spotted French Ship

Servant of her 15 months out with 1800. Bbls. of whale oil Lat 32.52. Long 172.00

Sunday 13th

Strong winds from S.E. at 6 A.M. commenced towing down 3 ships in sight

Ships head to the E. N.E. at 3 P.M. one whale going S.E. quick Lat 32.10.

Monday 14th

Moderate breezes from S.E. 3 sail in sight at 10 A.M. caught 2 small whales fine weather and smooth

Tuesday 15th

Lat 31.58. Long 170.50 W

First part Moderate breezes from S. at 2 P.M. commenced cutting at 6 P.M. fine night cutting the two whales

E. and in sight latter part strong winds from S.E. at 6 A.M. saw several whales going S.E. Struck one and sunk him Lat 32.24. Long 170.30. 4th Wednes day 16th

Strong winds from E. and rugged throughout this day whales in sight at 8 A.M. Struck 2. and drew the irons one whale went of spairting blood all the whales going E. and E.S.E.

Lat 31.53. Long 170.28. 10th Lat.

Thursday 17th

First part Strong winds from E. 2 reefs in the top sails at 1 P.M.

Struck 2 whales and saved one at 6 took the whale along side

at 6. commenced cutting at 8 fine night one sail in sight Lat 31.58. Long 170.28

Friday 18th

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Moderate breezes with fine weather Ships head to the S.E. at 6 P.M. rose

Ship to the North ward at 8 A.M.

Steering S.E. fell in with a dead whale that was killed on the 16th took

him a long side and cut him in and saw 2 more going S.E. Lat 32.04 Long 170.20. 15th Saturday 19th

Moderate breezes from N.E. ships head to the E. imployed in towing

down at 9 A.M. saw one whale going E. all hands imployed in boiling and towing down no observation

Sunday 20th

Strong winds from N. Ships head to the E. imployed in towing down at 10 A.M. saw 2 whales going S.E. quick lost 2 boats without success. Sun obscured

Monday 21st

Commences with heavy winds from N. and thick rainy weather Ships head to the E. ward latter part a gale from S.W. laying to under close reefed main top sail and stay sails imployed in towing down in the fore hatch way Lat 32.54 Long 168.30

Tuesday 22nd

Strong winds from W. at 6 A.M. saw several whales at 7 A.M. Struck one and killed him at 9 took him a long side several more in sight

Lat 32.37. Long 167.04 (Lat)