

A Voyage from Providence to the Pacific

Monday October 26th

Strong gales from the north heading to the west
middle in reefing the fore topsail our cooper fell overboard
from the yard lowered the boat but did not find him he
was a man very much beloved and a very great loss
to us Later strong winds

Tuesday October 27th

Heavy gale from the north heading west. Laying to
under close reefed Main topsail and staysails
Middle more moderate but the topsails reefed later
fresh winds with an heavy swell running one sail
in sight
Lat 52.27 Long 78.57.00



Wednesday October 28th

Strong from the west steering N.W. one sail in
sight middle and later light Lat 50.55 Long 78.31

Thursday October 29th

Light from west steering on the wind to the N.W. by
nothing in sight the track employed in ships way
middle light later fair from the N.W. so ends

Friday October 30th

Fresh winds from the N.W. steering N.W. by S with all
sail set at the best advantage nothing in sight
middle strong later the same so ends
Lat 47.23. Long 78.34

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Saturday October 31st

Strong from the N.W. steering N.W. by S nothing
in sight middle more moderate later the
same Lat 44.24 Long 79.05.00

Right whales

Sunday October 31st

Fine from the south steering N.W. with all
sail set at the best advantage middle at 5pm
saw right whales middle fine later the same
Lat 42.25 Long 79.50.00

Monday October 1st

Fine from the S.W. steering N.W. with all sail
set at the best advantage middle fine later
the same Lat 40.00 Long 79.15.00

Right whales

Tuesday November 2nd

Fine from the south steering to the N.W. at
5pm saw right whales lowered fastened to a cord and
calf and sank the calf and saved the cow took
her along side and began to cut at 9pm finished
middle and later fine Lat 38.37 Long 79.25.30

Wednesday November 3rd

Fine from the N.W. steering N.W. by S nothing in
sight middle fine later the same Lat 36.11 Long 79.45

Thursday November 4th

Fine from the N.W. steering North on the account of bad
middle fine later the same at light saw the Island of Juan