

Ship Loan in South Pacific Ocean Oct. 1858
Sat. Oct. 15th Smart breeze from S.E. Set the fore sail
at 5 P.M. vessel Ship to the S.E. by S. middle wind light
to S. latter more moderat Set the fore top sail full & set
sail at 4 P.M. Spoke an English Brig name unknown
Bound to Vanuatu from the latter with loss
of fore & sail & fore & gallant sail saw a Barque Ship
to the westward heading to the S.E. on a wind &c.
Lat. by obs. 44.42 Long by acc. 143.48 East

Sun. Oct. 14th Strong breeze from S. heading to the
S.E. under double reef top sail at 7 P.M. Tacked to
the S.W. middle weather the rain latter moderat
wind veering to the S.E. made all sail cloudy weather
Lat. by obs. 44.55 Long by Chron. 144.14.45 East

Mon. Oct. 15th light breeze from S.E. middle
light breeze wind from S.E. & steering East latter
latter wind from S.E. W. steering S. by S. & light
fog Squalls &c.
Lat. by obs. 45.04 Long by Chron. 145.55.15 East

Tue. Oct. 16th Strong wind from S.W. & Squalls
steering S.E. by S. middle latter moderat rain at
7 P.M. kept up S.E. by S. wind West saw kelp
Lat. by obs. 44.43 Long by Chron. 149.20.15 East

Wed. Oct. 17th Smart breeze from West S. by S.
steering S.E. by S. all sail on latter smart Squalls.
Saw plenty of kelp & saw a right Whale &c.
Lat. by obs. 42.51 Long by Chron. 152.43.31 East

Thu. Oct. 18th Strong wind from S.W. & Squalls
steering S.E. by S. middle more moderat latter
pleasant breeze from S.W. sent up the prison &
sail yard & brooch yard &c.
Lat. by obs. 40.39 Long by Chron. 154.58 East

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Oct. 19th Strong wind from S.W. steering
S. with all sail on saw right Whales in back
black fish we find another dead porpoise on the
harbor bow & by examining it found it to have in
by the means of the bone holding both drawing
it about 12 inches back of the jaw and drove the
boat home and that shaped it, the boat head no
fore bolt on & was only have threw the out side
plank & sealing &c.
Lat. by obs. 39.01 Long by Chron. 158.00.00 East

Sat. Oct. 20th Strong wind from S.W. steering
to the S.E. employed fishing cutting penants and painting
the harbor & Ward boat saw right Whales &c.
Lat. by obs. 39.44 Long by Chron. 160.15.00 East

Sun. Oct. 21th moderat breeze from S. in a wind
to the S.E. took in the Starboard boat and put
a plank in & put her out again middle some
rain latter overcast saw finbacks &c.
Lat. by obs. 39.15 Long by Chron. 162.28.00 East

Mon. Oct. 22nd light wind from S.E. & cloudy
on a wind from the Eastward with all
sail Set latter at 9 P.M. Spoke the English barque
Wilmore from Sydney bound to New Zealand employed
in ship duty &c.
Lat. by obs. 39.09 Long by Chron. 164.55.15 East

Tue. Oct. 23rd light winds & pleasant weather &
a very smooth sea wind from S.E. & wind from
S.W. from S.E. by S. middle employed fishing Ship &c.
Lat. by obs. 39.54 Long by Chron. 166.50.00 East

Wed. Oct. 24th Smart wind from S.W. & heading
East at 3 P.M. tacked to the S.W. by S. middle strong
winds double reef the sails at 8 P.M. Spoke the finbacks
to report, saw the harbor lighter fore lighter was ported about the
harbor saw &c. Lat. by obs. 39.19 Long by Chron. 166.40 East