

Remark on Board Bark Maria of New Bedford

Tuesday April the 15th 1862

First part steering W. by S. with very fine breezes from the East & light squally at sunset saw many porpoises took in the flying jil. & Gaff Top sail. Middle & latter part fine breezes at 10 A.M. on last flying jil. to repaired saw one fin back so into the S. Latitude by obs 20° 33' South Longitude by Chron 149° 46' West

Wednesday April the 16th

First part steering West still repaired flying jil at 3 P.M. finish & cleared at sunset took in sail Middle & latter part fine weather steering West at Daylight set main Top Gallant sail saw many fin backs so into the Day Latitude by obs 20° 07' South Longitude by Chron 149° 56' West

Thursday April the 17th

First part steering W. by S. W. with fine weather & light squalls saw many fin backs at sunset took in main Top Gallant sail steering S. by W. by S. Middle part rain squall latter part very light air saw many fin backs at 10 A.M. on last main Top Gallant sail to repaired so into the Day Latitude by obs 5° 50' miles South Longitude by Chron 102° 54' West

in the Pacific ocean looking for Spinn. W. Scales

Friday April the 19th 1862

First part light breezes from the East steering S. by W. by S. at sunset wore ship to the South with all sail set steering South by W. Middle part light breezes from the East latter part rain until 4 P.M. at Day light fin back insight several rain squalls at 10 A.M. commenced repaired the fore Top Gallant sail so into the Day Latitude by obs 10° 14' South Longitude by Chron 103° 23' West

Saturday April the 19th

First part fine breezes from the East & rain squalls at 3 P.M. saw a leech & porpoises steering South by W. took in main Top Gallant sail & flying jil. at sunset fine weather Middle & latter part light wind at Daylight set main Top Gallant sail saw many fin backs so into the Day Latitude by obs 20° 46' South Longitude by Chron 104° 13' West

Sunday April the 20th

First part fine light winds steering South saw many fin backs & porpoises at sunset steering by the wind Middle & latter part strong breezes from S.E. at Daylight more moderate set main Top Gallant sail saw many fin backs & porpoises at Meridian kept off W. S. W. so into the Day Latitude by obs 4° 21' South Longitude by Chron 103° 21' West