

Bank Mass of New Bedford in

Sunday Feb 25th 1844

Comences with a calm middle so last part
some light airs from South headed to the East
at 2 PM saw a large Whale near the ship going
so fast we could not get near him & said in night
have been boring the 24 hours Bar 30.00

Lat 34-52 S Long 158-31 E Good

Monday Feb 26th 1844

There 24 hours light baffling airs from
the N & with fair weather finished boring
at 3 PM headed to NE at 12 miles tacked to South
on the Southers tack the rest of the day & wind
broke out the time held to stem down Bar 30.00
Lat Obs 34-56 S Long 158-35 E Good

Tuesday Feb 27th 1844

There 24 hours hours moderate breezes from
N & to NW with fair weather on different tacks
and barking clear of vessels got all stowed down
at 4 PM 62 blb 3 said in right one boring Bar 30
Lat Obs 35-15 S Long 159-21 E Good

Wednesday Feb 28th 1844

There 24 hours moderate breezes from NW to
N & and fair weather headed to the East until
at 1 PM went to the West & spoke the Ship James
Laper Skantucket 650 shoon Oil Bar 29.00
Lat Obs 35-15 S Long 159-21 E Good

Thursday Feb 29th 1844

Comences with small showers from NW
middle the and latter part Wind SE moderate
fair weather & said in right Bar 29.00
Lat Obs 34-38 S Long 159-55 E

Pacific Ocean Whaling & Brownell Boat

Friday March 1st 1844

Comences with moderate breezes from the NW headed
to the West at 12 PM spoke the Bark Arabion of
London Capt Collins 33 Months 1500 blb spinner. Oil
middle light breezes to NE but had heavy strong
current to NE Bar 30 rising 30.00
Lat Obs 34-27 S Long 159-21 E Good

Saturday March 2nd 1844

Comences with a calm at 6 AM got a light breeze from
the South continued to bore and with a fine breeze
and fair weather Bar 30.00
Lat Obs 35-14 S Long 158-40 E Good

Sunday March 3rd 1844

There 24 hours strong breezes and fair weather
ran to the South at 6 PM hauled to the E Wind
SE Wind NW to NE Bar 30 said in right
Lat Obs 35-30 S Long 159-40

Monday

Tuesday March 4th 1844

Comences with fresh gales from the West at 4 PM
spoke the Ship George of New Bedford Capt
Mc Cleane 6 me out 60 shoon 700 blb do spoke
Bk baggage of 7 shoon Skatun 32 blb out 400 the
700 blb so he said middle so at 12 PM equally
showing shifted to NE broke away breez the rest
Lat Obs 35-31 S Long 159-45 Bar 30

Wednesday March 5th 1844

Comences with strong gale from the SE to NE
middle and last part baffling airs from the NW
at 1 PM to the NW of us amongst Whales but could
not get down one of them so at 12 PM did not see any
more whales Lat 34-58 S Long 159-41