

Bark Mars of New Bedford

Wednesday March 6th 1844

These 24 hours begins with very light
airs from the NE headed to the East & 2 PM
saw a ship in the weather bar running
before the wind at 5 saw a whale going
to the NE lowered and hauled until sundown
going quick could not get on saw the ship
take a whale a long side middle calm
last part moderate headed to the East
Wind NE clear 3 sail in sight Bar 30-
Lat Obs 34-46 N Long 160-06 E Course

Thursday March 7th 1844

These 24 hours moderate breezes from NE
to NW clear and pleasant weather saw
large schools of Black fish headed to the
East the 24 hours Bar 30 saw a ship cutting
Lat 35-15 N Long 161-17 the James Super

Friday March 8th 1844

These 24 hours moderate breezes from NE
to NW headed to the West in the day time
West at night Lat Obs 35-22 N Long 162-09 Bar 30.6 (10.1)

Saturday March 9th 1844

These 24 hours moderate breezes from NE
to NW clear weather & 6 AM took to the West
on the Western took the rest 24 hours Bar 30 to 30.1
Lat Obs 34-56 N Long 162-05

Sunday March 10th 1844

These 24 hours moderate breezes from NE
clear weather running to the West Bar 30-1
Lat Obs 34-22 N Long 160-36 E Course

in Pacific Ocean Whaling A Bunnell's Bark

Monday March 11th 1844

These 24 hours begins moderate breezes from NE
clear middle and last part fresh and uncelled
run to the West at 6 have two to four run to NE Bar 30
Lat Obs 34-45 N Long 159-34 E Course

Tuesday March 12th 1844

Commences with moderate breezes and clear weather
from NE middle the last part strong breezes and
hazy true too at night headed to the East at day light
run NE at 1 saw 3 sail 2 headed to the East one the ship
Lat Obs 34-51 N Long 158-44 falling 29-09

Wednesday March 13th 1844

Commences with strong gales thick cloudy Wind NE
middle strong with a heavy gale & 12 miles true too
headed to the East took up the boats and lay the
rest of the 24 hours & 10 AM hauled round to the West
out to NW at 12 miles and strong no Obs Bar falling & 29-09

Thursday March 14th 1844

Commences with a heavy gale and strong Wind
NW have took under some Spencer some reef
Main top sail at 4 AM took in the Main boat
& 12 AM broke a way cleared headed to the West
Wind & 6 AM more still at the fore sail at 9 AM
some reef fore top sail & 10 AM saw Whales
had just got out the Main boat saw a ship running
to the North struck with the Starboard boat
& 11 AM the rest cleared Bar rose Bar 29-06
one up to 29-07 & 12 miles Lat Obs 34-36 N Long 158-26

