

Remarks On Board Ship Martha F. H. 1832

Saturday February 2th 1832

The first part weather fine with a
heavy sea on Meke and later part moderate
weather fine employed in stowing down
one ship in sight By Chas

Lat By Ch 31 14 Long 146.07 W

Chas Ret 10.00 44 1/2

Sunday February 3th

The first part weather fine and pleasant employed
in stowing down Meke and later much the same
spoke ship about 1000 sherrins 1800 W
see spars saw a mother ship to the windward

Lat By Ch 31 14 Long Chas 146.13.30

Monday Feb 4th Chas Ret 10.00 44 1/2

The first part weather fine all sail set
with light wind from the S & steering
SW by S at 3 PM spoke ship Barrow & offered
Paul Chas's Mast 15 Masts 700 Mils and later
part much the same lay up SW by S saw group of
two sail in sight saw end this 24 hours

Lat By Ch 31.24 Long By Chas 146.44.15 W

Chas Ret 10.00 45 1/2 slow

Tuesday February 5th

The first part weather fine and pleasant all sail set
Meke and later part much the same at 8 AM
made all sail saw nothing saw end

Lat By Ch 31.55 Long By Chas 147.25 West

Chas Ret 10.00 45 1/2 slow

Wednesday February 6th

The first part weather fine all sail set lay up
SW by S at 3 PM saw a large whale giving
Eastward and at 5 PM struck the whale wounded
and took the line could not get fast again at dark saw on board
hooked sail heading NW & forward up Meke and later part sail
at 9 AM saw another large whale and all boats Christ came
not quite fast whale giving North saw end boat chasing

Lat By Ch 32.05 Long By Chas at 3 PM 147.42 1/2

Long By Lat at 3 AM 147.20 Chas Ret 10.00 45 1/2

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Thursday February 7th 1832

The first part weather fine boats employed in chasing
at 4 PM saw on board whale giving quick to the North
Meke and later part much the same at 6 AM
saw a large whale and about 1000 saw end
got fast rain on board at 11 AM saw more whale
at 12 part 11 land for three large whale got up to them
and West there boats off chasing

Lat By Ch 32.34 Long By Chas at 12 PM 147.40

Chas Ret 10.00 45 1/2

Friday Feb 8th

The first part weather fine boats employed in chasing whale
at 8 PM gave up the chase and rain on board got up
to the whale number of times but could not fasten
Meke and later part again with strong breeze
two sail in sight saw of them by telling saw end
saw no whale at 2 PM

Lat By Ch 32.11 Long By Chas 147.55

Chas Ret 10.00 45 1/2

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Saturday Feb 9th

The first part weather some more clear with strong
wind from the SW at 4 part 4 raised a large whale
at 5 PM land the boat whale giving to the windward
and not quite fast at sunset rain on
board Meke and later part strong wind from
the South at 10 AM saw a school of large whale
and all boats and Meke a fine
saw end with no gain

Lat By Ch 32.08 Long By Chas 147.44.15

Chas Ret 10.00 45 1/2

Sunday Feb 10th

The first part strong wind from the south saw whale to
the windward Meke and later part more moderate
all sail set saw nothing saw end By Chas

Lat By Ch 32.29 Long By Chas 147.52 1/2

Chas Ret 10.00 45 1/2