

Barge Midas of New Bedford Captain

Friday the 27

this day begins with strong gale and equally wetter from the W N W ship steering E by S under double reef foretop sail and single reef main and foresail middle and latter part strong gale and equally from the W N W ship steering E by S under double reef fore and maintop sail and foresail so ends this day

Lat 45° 11' 30"
Long 139° 11' 35" E

Saturday the 28

this day begins with a gale and equally wetter from the W N W ship steering E by S under double reef fore and main top sail and foresail middle and latter part strong gale and equally from the W N W ship steering E double reef fore and maintop sails and foresail so ends this day

Lat 46° 03' 00"
Long 144° 11' 17" E

Sunday the 29

this day begins with strong gale from the Westward ship steering E double reef fore and maintop sail and foresail middle and latter part strong breeze from the S W ship steering E by N all sail set so ends this day

Lat 45° 47'
Long 148° 11' 34"

Monday the 30

this day begins with strong breeze and good wetter from the S W ship steering E all sail set in the fore part clear middle and latter part light breeze and good wetter from the S W ship steering E all sail broke and 3 barrels of meat one chest of tea meat and coffee so ends this day

Lat 46° 11' 08"
Long 151° 11' 32"

Tallman Bound on a Whaling Voyage.

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this day commences with strong breeze and good wetter from the N ship steering E all sail set middle and latter part strong breeze and good wetter from the N ship steering E by N all sail set broke and one cask of bread and water so ends this day

Lat 46° 15' 50"
Long 156° 25'

Wednesday the 2

this day begins with strong breeze and pleasant wetter from the N ship steering E by N all sail set bound to the squares of New Zealand middle and latter part light breeze and good wetter from the N ship steering E by N all sail set broke and for flour so ends this day

Lat 47° 11' 15"
Long 159° 11' 40"

Thursday the 3

this day commences with light breeze and pleasant wetter from the N ship steering E by N all sail set fore driven some sheathing on deck middle part calm latter part light breeze and foggy wetter from the N ship steering E by N all sail set so ends this day

Lat 47° 21'
Long 160° 11' 54"

Friday the 4

this day commences with strong breeze and equally wetter from the S W ship steering E by N all sail set bound to the squares middle and latter part light breeze and pleasant wetter from the S W ship steering E all sail set so ends this day

Lat 47° 40'
Long 164° 11' 29"