

Monday May 6 1850

Through day strong winds from
SE at 1 pm spoke ship Charles at
SE Bedford 9 months out 100 sperm
all well bound in to the Arctic ocean
Lat 30 20 Lat 160 50 E

Tuesday May 7 1850

all the day strong winds from SESE
Ship Charles in sight to Eastward
Lat 30 29 N Long 161 10

Wednesday May 8 1850

Through the day strong gales
from SE Lat 30 01

Thursday May 9 1850

Through the day strong winds
from SE No chance for whales
Lat - - -

Friday May 10 1850

first part strong winds from SE
latter part moderate breezes from
SESE Ship steering to the westward
No signs of whales Lat 30 29 157 37

Saturday May 11 1850

first part moderate winds from
SESE Ship steering N by E by Compass
latter part calm saw a pair back whale
No signs of sperm whales here
Lat 31 24 N 159 00 E

Sunday May 12 1850

first part calm and foggy weather
No sperm whales seen
latter part calm saw a pair
back whale Lat 30 09 N

Monday May 13 1850

first part calm saw grampies but no
sperm whales latter part moderate
winds from South Ship steering SE
No signs of whales No obs to day

Tuesday May 14 1850

Through the day moderate winds
and fine weather Ship heading in to
the E wind Lat 30 16 161 08 E

Wednesday May 15 1850

Through the day moderate winds and fine
weather but No sperm whales here
Lat 30 44 N Long 161 40

Thursday May 16 1850

Through the day light airs from SW
weather fine latter part the same
No obs to day

Friday May 17 1850

all the 24 hours moderate winds from
the SE Ship heading to the SE
3 men sick at aft deck and myself
but little better Lat 30 48 N 165 51 E

Saturday May 18 1850

Through the day moderate winds from
SE No signs of sperm whales
here Lat 30 21 N Long 166 17 Lat 165 31

Sunday May 19 1850

Through the day moderate winds
fine weather No sperm whales
Lat 30 16 166 50 E

May 19 full course round