

Thursday Sept 5 1850
Through the day calm and fine weather
but signs of whales about here and myself
Lat 32 02 167 25 W

Friday Sept 6 1850
all the 24 hours calm and I saw signs
of sperm whales at 7 pm Spauke Ship
& Mitchell Montachet had seen whales
once in the last month Lat 31 50 W

Saturday Sept 7 1850
first part calm and fine weather at 8
saw a tail latter part calm saw signs
of whales Lat 31 03 W

Sunday Sept 8 1850
first part calm and fine weather
at 12 pm Spauke Ship Canton packet
Hawland master 35 months out 800 sperm
all well latter part a moderate breeze
from the S ships heading in to the E
Lat 30 42 168 01 W

Monday 9 Sept 9 1850
all the 24 hours light airs from S
heading to the E Lat 30 32 S 168 05

Tuesday Sept 10 1850
first part moderate breezes fine
weather latter part strong wind from
the westward ship steering S by S
signs of whales Lat 31 17 171 45 W

Wednesday Sept 11 1850
first part strong wind from west
ship steering E latter part moderate
wind from S

Thursday Sept 12 1850
Through the day strong winds from S
saw signs of whales 80 Lat to Long

Friday Sept 13 1850
first part strong from S ship heading
to the latter part moderate winds with a heavy
breeze at 6 AM saw Mr Jones getting
down on his back out aloft he was ordered
by the mate to stand up or come down on
deck which he did not do either until
called down by my self when as he knew
he did not know that it was against my
orders to get down on the back out which
he assumed to do in a very improper manner
that he would get down whenever he pleased
to do so with many other words of insult
and profanity which I ordered him to leave my
cabin so he has taken up his quarters in the
fore castles Lat 30 55 Long 171 38 W

Saturday Sept 14 1850
the day begins with strong breeze from
S ship heading to the Eastward signs
of whales Lat 31 05 171 30 W

Sunday Sept 15 1850
Through the day moderate winds from
S ship heading E by S signs of
sperm whales Lat 31 05 171 55 by 173 30

Monday Sept 16 1850
Through the day strong winds from
S signs of sperm whales have
to leave me home Sweet home
from thee I fight
Lat 31 27 170 57 W