

Ship Montpelier Cruising For Whales

Sunday November 26th

Commences with fresh breezes at 4th steering S. E. at 1 P.M. spoke Ship Lucrick Benken. Latter part steamed N. W. W. under short sail, at 6 A.M. ran 3 Whales yawning quick to the East didn't luvver at 7 ran one Whale luvvered with out success ends with light winds at 8 S. E. and over cast, Ship heading East. Employed Stowing dunnage Sat by Ob 37.12.9

Monday November 27th

Commences with light winds at S. E. and over cast Ship heading S. E. at 5 P.M. finished Stowing dunnage at 12 past 5 ran one Whale luvvered with out success Middle part much the same at daylight made all sail heading N. W. E. Nothing in sight at 1 P.M. Wane Ship to the S. E. the third S. E. at 11 ran one sail. Employed mainly by 30 ends Sat by Ob 37.02.9. Day by Ob 16.0.04. West

Tuesday November 28th

Commences with light winds at S. E. and over cast Ship heading S. E. all sail set, at 2 P.M. ran 2 or 3 Whales yawning quick to the East didn't luvver Employed Bundling Beams Middle and Latter part fresh breezes N. W. E. Ship heading East at daylight made sail saw several Whales luvvered with out success one Ship in sight, so ends Day by Ob 159.40. West

Sat by Ob 37.40. South Day by Ob 158.48

Wednesday November 29th

Commences with fresh breezes at N. W. E. saw Whale luvvered with out success 4 Ships in sight one a Cutter at sunset Boned Barque Ship Mangott Barnell from Port Pelop. low South Wales with Passengers Bound to Delapour or Latter part strong winds at N. W. E. and rugged Ship standing on different tacks & Ships in sight saw no Whales Employed in Ships duty thus ends No Ob.

In The Pacific Ocean November 1843

Thursday November 30th

Commences with strong winds at N. W. E. and rugged at 3 P.M. spoke Ship Mercury of Hongington & Whales this rear ran at 12 past 5 P.M. spoke Ship Mangneat Scott Smith of New Bedford & 2 or 300 lbs. Middle and Latter part strong winds from N. W. E. to N. W. W. and thick over cast weather saw Nothing but 2 Ships thus ends

Sat by Ob 37.49. South

Friday December 1st 1843

Commences with fresh breezes at N. and thick foggy weather with rain Ship standing on different tacks & Ships in sight but no Whales Middle and Latter part fresh gales at N. W. E. and N. E. Ship heading N. W. and N. W. by N. at Noon part a French Barque standing East so ends

Sat by Ob 37.34. South Day by Ob 154.18. West

Saturday December 2nd

Commences with fresh gales at N. W. E. and thick weather at 5 P.M. saw several or Whales to rugged to luvver Middle and Latter strong gale from N. W. E. to N. W. W. and thick rainey weather with fog Ship lay by under storm sails, saw Nothing, thus ends

No Ob.

Sunday December 3rd

Commences with fresh gales from N. and thick rainey weather with fog Ship lay by under storm sails Middle part much the same Latter part moderate winds from N. to N. W. and over cast at daylight made all sail stood on different tacks saw one Ship but no Whales thus ends

Sat by Ob 37.41. South Day by Ob 154.54. West