

March 24th

Commences with a fresh breeze at S.W. and a violent stormy N.W. All drawing sail set. Employed repairing the Main Tapsail. At 4 P.M. sent the Main Tapsail, Middle and Latten part fresh gales and hard gales with rain squalls. Steered N.W. and tack in sail as current required. At 4 P.M. sent the Main Tapsail. Steered the Ship to and close up the Main Tapsail at day light steered N.W. at 7 steered N.E. All forward sail set. Employed repairing in the Main Tapsail. saw a school of Black Fish. Sent by Ch 34, 14. N. Long by Ch 14, 14. E.

Sunday March 26th

Commences with variable winds and weather. Ship working to the N. finished the Main Tapsail and sent it. Middle part strong gales at N.W. with rain. Ship heading N.W. at Midnight move Ship to the E. Latten part more moderate with haphing winds at day light move Ship loaded N.W. and made all forward sail. at 11 A.M. saw the coast of Japan near Anderson Point bearing per Compass W by E distant 40 Miles. saw several Humpbacks. Sent by Ch 36, 04. N. Long by Ch 14, 14. E.

Monday March 27th

Commences with a fine breeze at S.E. steering N.W. to N. the school of Whales in sight. Middle and Latten part haphing winds and squally Ship working to the N. at 3 P.M. in sight saw several Humpbacks. Steered to no purpose. Employed repairing a Tapsail. Sent by Ch 37, 11. N. Long by Ch 14, 14. E.

Tuesday March 27th

Commences with haphing winds and equally Middle part the same Latten part a moderate breeze at S.E. with thick weather. Steered N.E. by N. at daylight saw the Band distant 35 Miles. Sent by a glimpse of the Sun 38, 25. N. Long by Ch 14, 14. E.

Wednesday March 28th

Commences with a moderate breeze at S.E. with thick, rainy weather. Steering N.W. at 4 P.M. the wind shifted to N.W. and breezy on to a gale. Tackled Ship and shortened sail as current required. Ship heading N.E. Middle part strong gales at N.W. Ship heading N.E. to N.W. All forward sail set. saw nothing. Sent by Ch 39, 30. N. Long by Ch 14, 14. E.

Thursday March 29th

Commences with strong gales at N.W. Ship heading N.E. to N.W. Middle and Latten part light haphing winds from N.W. to W. saw nothing but Humpbacks. Employed mending shifting Boats. Tack in one Aba Boat and put one New Boat on. shifted the stern Boat. Sent by Ch 40, 14. N. Long by Ch 14, 14. E.

Friday March 30th

Commences with a moderate breeze at S. steering N.W. by W. saw a school of Black Fish. Steered to no purpose and got one. Fish. Middle part break breezes at S to S.W. Steered N.W. by W. Latten part light airs at W. saw several Humpbacks. Employed Drilling out the Black Fish. Sent by Ch 41, 11. N. Long by Ch 14, 14. E.