

Ship Napoleon Pacific Ocean off Shore, James A. Crowell Master.

Sunday July 1st 1855

First part Strong Trades and Squall at 6 P.M. tacked to the southward and shortened sail, latter part more moderate. Saw nothing. Lat 4-56 Long 114-09.

Monday July 2nd

First part fresh trades, steering by the wind to the southward. at 6 P.M. tacked to the N.E. at 6 1/2 A.M. to the southward. a sail in sight to the leeward. Lat 4-55 Long 114-50

Tuesday July 3rd

Strong trades, steering by the wind to the southward, at 6 P.M. tacked to the N.E. at 6 1/2 A.M. tacked to the southward. Lat 5-04 Long 114-34

Wednesday July 4th

Pleasant trades, steering by the wind to the southward. saw two Barks. at 6 P.M. tacked to the N.E. latter part fresh trades, at 7 1/2 A.M. unbent the main sail to repair saw a Bark, and a merchant Bark.

Thursday July 5th

Fresh trades, steering by the wind to the N.E. employed repairing the main sail. at 6 P.M. shortened sail, at 7 A.M. bent the main sail. Lat 5-20 Long 114-13

Friday July 6th

Begins with Strong Trades, steering by the wind to the southward. latter part more moderate. at 6 A.M. set top gallant sail for the first time for two weeks. saw a whale ship. Lat 5-30 Long 114-30

Saturday July 7th

Begins strong trades and squalls at 1 P.M. took in top gallant sails and double reefed. latter part fine. saw a Bark. Lat 5-42 Long 113-57

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Sunday July 8th 1855

Begins with Pleasant Trades, steering by the wind to the southward. saw a sail to the leeward. at 6 P.M. tacked to the N.E. and shortened sail. latter part strong trades under double reefs. Lat 5-38 Long 114-08

Monday July 9th

Begins with strong trades. saw squid. latter part under double reefs. employed fitting the fore rigging. Lat 5-02 Long 114-00

Tuesday July 10th

Begins with strong trades, steering by the wind to the N.E. under double reefs. at 3 P.M. spoke the Bark Andrews of A. Bedford. latter part saw squid.

Wednesday July 11th

Begins with strong trades, steering by the wind under double reefs. at 6 P.M. tacked to the N.E. latter part employed breaking out provisions. opened a cask of butter after being without near 2 months and a half. 114-00

Thursday July 12th

Begins with strong trades. saw nothing. at 2 P.M. spoke ship to the southward. employed starting water. Lat 5-32 Long 114-01

Friday July 13th

Begins with strong trades, steering by the wind to southward, under double reefs at 1 1/2 P.M. raised sperm whale, at 2 1/2 lowered the boats, the J Boat went along side of two large whales and missed them both with good chance, at sundown returned to the ship. latter part saw nothing. Lat 5-11 Long 114-50



Saturday July 14th

Begins with strong trades, under double reefs. saw nothing. Lat 5-49 Long 114-34