

Ship Nimrod Bound to the Pacific Ocean on

H	K	HK	Course	Winds	LW	Remarks on board Friday Oct 20th 1848
2	2	1/2				All these 24 hours a moderate breeze & pleasant
4	2	"	ESE	SEW		Ship all sail set by the wind the water employed
6	2	"				at various jobs of ship duty latter part
8	2	"				tackled ship at 10 A.M. got a Lunar Observation
10	2	"				Sun & Moon
12	2	"				
2	2	"				Lat at mid by Obs 23° 51'
4	2	"				Long by Lunar Obs 25° 00'
6	2	"				Long by Chronometer 24° 44' 88"
8	2	"	SWW	SE		Dist run 54
10	2	"				true hour 3 23 East
12	2	1/2	SSW	SE		

H	K	HK	Course	Winds	LW	Remarks on board Saturday Oct 21st
2	6		SEW	ESE	1/2	These 24 hours a fresh breeze and pleasant
4	5	1/2				First part ship by the wind all sail set
6	6					Latter part steering a course fore & Mizzen
8	6					top gallant sail in employed the water
10	6					at various jobs of ship duty thus End
12	6					
2	6					Lat at mid by Obs 21° 24' 40"
4	6		South	Ely S	1/2	Long " 24° 53' 40"
6	6					Dist run made 9 03 W
8	6					Dist run 143
10	6					Variation 18° W
12	6		South	East		

H	K	HK	Course	Winds	LW	Remarks on board Sunday Oct 22nd
2	7	1/2	South	East		commenced with a fresh breeze and pleasant
4	7	1/2				Ship steering a course at 8 P.M. set the
6	7	"				fore & Mizzen top gallant sails
8	7	"				
10	7	"				Mid & Latter part of course as
12	7	"				above thus End
2	7	"				Lat at mid by Obs 18° 48' 40"
4	7	"				Long " 24° 55' 20"
6	7	"				
8	7	"				Course made 9 15 East
10	7	"				Dist run 169 M
12	7	1/2				

A Whaling Voyage Commanded by Winton Therman

H	K	HK	Course	Winds	LW	Remarks on board Monday Oct 23rd 1848
2	5	1/2	S	ENE		commenced with a fine breeze and pleasant
4	5	1/2	SEW	ENE		Ship all sail set steering a course per Compas
6	5	1/2				at 3 P.M. altered the ship's course the Island off St
8	5	"				Anthony bearing per Compas 144° Dist 105 miles
10	5	"				St. Nicholas bearing per Compas 144° Dist 107 miles
12	5	"				at 2 P.M. took in fore and main top gallant
2	5	"	SE	ENE		Sails buffed the ship by the wind and was at anchor
4	5	"				at 4 P.M. the ship off set steering Sails En
6	5	"				Land in sight about 8 miles distant
8	5	"				Lat at 2 P.M. per Stars 19° 37' 00"
10	5	"				Lat at mid by Obs 16° 43' 00"
12	5	"	SEW	ENE		St. Nicholas Island

H	K	HK	Course	Winds	LW	Remarks on board Tuesday Oct 24th
2						commenced with pleasant weather and calm
4	5		SE	East		under the Island off St. Nicholas above is the appearance
6	4					of the Island the South head bearing per Compas 144°
8	4					the North " " " " " " " " " "
10	4					at 4 P.M. took a breeze the ship all sail set
12	5		SE	East		at daylight made the Island off St. Fago &
2	5					Fog being a moderate breeze ship within
4	5					4 miles of the Land Lat at 4 P.M. 15° 39'
6	4	1/2				Lat at mid 16° 01'
8	4	"				The appearance of the Isle of Fago bearing
10	4	"	SE	ENE		per Compas WSW
12	4	"				

H	K	HK	Course	Winds	LW	Remarks on board Wednesday Oct 25th
2						First part calm ship lying between
4						the Island of St. Fago & Fago at 4 P.M.
6						Lowered our boats in pursuit off Black Fish
8						at sunset returned to the ship gave them
10						up mid part a light air ship steering a
12			SE	N		course latter part as light air from the South
2						Ship by the wind all sail set at 4 P.M.
4						gan ship going to St. Fago on account of calm
6						and head wind accordingly kept away for the
8						Island off Fago steering a course Jan a ship
10			NE	SE		in under the Land saw Black fish game clear
12			W	W	SE	but without success thus End