

Monday Feb 4 1848

First part strong breezes from eastward and over east weather steering south and west under short sail boiling latter light breezes from N E and pleasant weather steering N B W steering oil in the main hatch way at 5 P M saw a ship steering eastward so ends

Lat 31 = 15 9

Long 177 = 10 W

Tuesday Feb 5

First part light breezes and over east weather steering oil at 3 P M spoke the tobacco plant of new Bedford Capt Skinner 8 months & wha' gone with her latter fresh gales from N W and running so ends these 24 hours



tobacco plant Friday Feb 5th

First part a gale from northward and rainy weather middle trying to under close reefed main top sail latter steering N B W under double reefed top sails so wind S E S E so ends these 24 hours

Lat 31 = 12 S

Long 176 = 22 W

Ship Pacific of new Bedford

Saturday Feb 11th 1848

First part these 24 hours fresh gales from south and eastward over east weather steering N B W at 6 shortened sail latter more moderate pleasant weather all sail set at 9 P M saw sperm whales lower 3 boats struck and killed one and stole the waist boat a ship in sight

Lat

30 = 26 S

Long 176 = 30 W

Sunday Feb 12th

First part strong breezes from S E and fine weather at 11 P M took the whale along side and commence cutting at 1 P M took in sail and get supper and set the watch latter much the same at 11 P M call all hands and commence cutting so ends cutting

Lat 30 = 58 S

Long 176 = 20 W

Monday Feb 13th

These 24 hours strong breezes from eastward and over east weather employed boiling under close reefed main top sail and fore sail so ends

Lat 31 = 20 S

Long 176 = 68 W