

78 West Coast of America. July 30th 1843
 Saturday July 30th 1843
 First part fresh gales from W. over east
 weather saw whales lower twice but all in rain
 saw it plenty of hump and fin backs latter
 light air and pleasant weather steering South all
 sail set at 3 o'clock saw a ship all sail set
 steering north and westward men employed sending
 up the top gallant mast and sending out the
 flying jib boom so ends



Lat 53 = 30
 Long 151 = 12

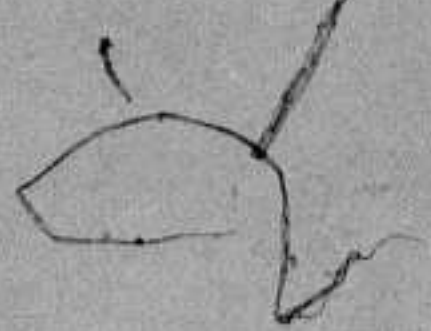
Sunday July 31st
 These 24 hours light air with rainy foggy weather
 steering southward sent up the main top
 gallant mast and good saw fin backs so ends

Lat 53 = 00
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Monday July 31st

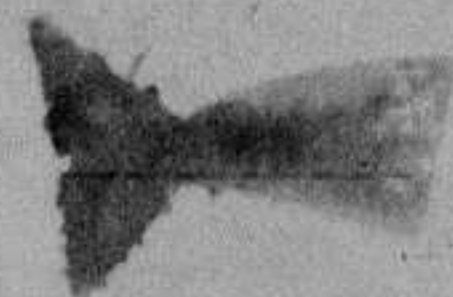
Monday August 1st 1843
 First part light air with thick foggy weather
 at 5 P.M. spoke the ship's edge men bedford
 40 months out 800 Sperm and 700 whale gam
 with her latter rainy, light winds from South
 saw fin backs and several ships so ends

Lat 52 = 10
 Long 151 = 56



79 On Board Ship Pacific second "43

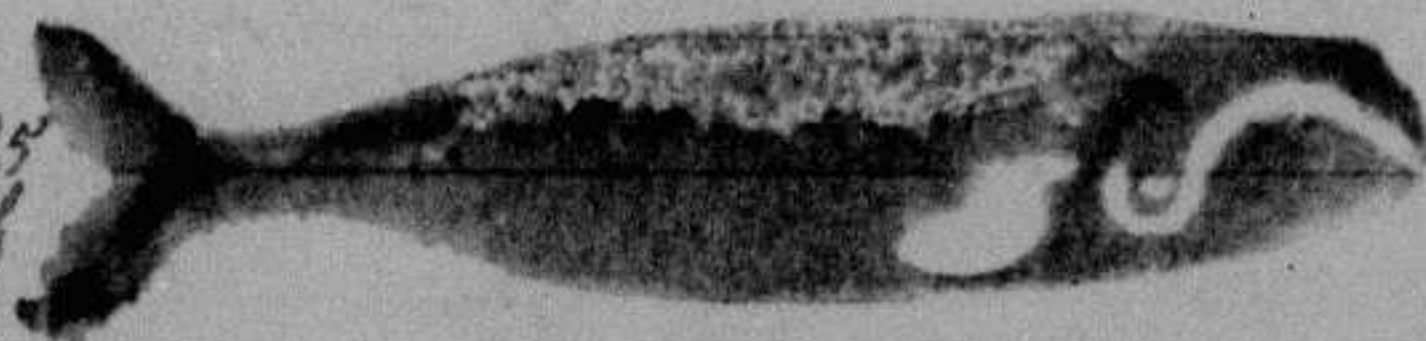
Tuesday August 2nd 1843
 First part thick foggy weather with strong
 breezes from west saw several ships at 7 P.M.
 right whale shorten sail latter more moderate
 saw whales lower struck and drank S.B.
 so ends



Lat 51 = 28
 Long 152 = 03

Wednesday August 3rd
 These 24 hours light breezes from southeasterly and
 at 4 P.M. saw whale lower struck and killed one
 S.B. at 7 took him along side sever ships in
 sight at 11 o'clock call all hands and commenced cutting
 at 12 finished cutting nose ship and made sail

S.B. 125
 lbs



Lat 51 = 51
 Long 152 = 12

Thursday August 4th
 First part fine breezes from eastward saw whale
 lower but all in rain latter a gale from E. over
 east weather with some rain boiling so ends

Lat 51 = 24
 Long 152 = 09

Friday August 5th
 These 24 hours fresh gales from S.E. First part
 rainy foggy weather latter over east more mod-
 erate boiling saw 2 ships and 1 fin back so ends

Lat 51 = 55
 Long 152 = 55