

Saturday 22nd Sept 1856
 22nd Strong gales at E N E & E con W A B
 all sail set, going on an unknown track
 at one time lost took anchor on the bar
 I am all most tired of trying. Middle port
 fore mast, latter quite short sent
 down fore top of mast spinnally
 no ab.

Sunday 23rd
 23rd Fine wind I con S P S B all sail set, at
 calm, spoke the Levi Starboard. Calm.
 Latter part wind B Wainy & foggy

Monday 24th
 24th Strong breezes from the S con S L S B
 set went on board of the L S at night
 came on board. double reefed top sails
 at 12 luffed to the E at light kept off
 Latter part strong gales & Weyged. Looming
 Lat 54 49

Tuesday 25th Long 143 42
 25th Strong gales at S S W con S P S B
 double reefed at sunset luffed to, made
 the land bearing S W, Middle port strong
 breeze, Latter short, fine wind S W
 con S all sail set Lat 53 52

Wednesday 26th Long 144 10
 26th Fine, light breezes from the S W con
 S all sail set, saw great numbers of fine
 backs & some humpbacks, Middle port fine
 Latter do heading to the S E wind S W
 Lat 53 33

Thursday 27th Long 145 15
 27th Fine, wind S W con S heading to the S E
 all sail set at 8 went on board of the
 L S kept off E Middle port calm Latter do
 very pleasant nothing to do
 Lat 53 22 Long 145 31

Ship set sail leaving the Gravel with 200
 Monday 28th
 28th Fine light air from the W & S W con E all
 sail set beat by the L S leaving the sea with
 for B's oil, to land, Middle port fine Latter do
 saw a carcass

Saturday 29th
 29th Fine beautiful weather light air from the
 S W con E all sail set, the L S astern
 Middle port short Latter do, all sail set
 Lat 53 52 Long 149 02 East
 Sunday the last day of Sept
 30th Fine, with light air S W con E all sail
 set Middle port fine Latter do spoke the L S
 Lat 53 38 Long 151 00

Monday 1st Oct 1856
 1st Fine wind S E heading E N E all sail set
 Middle port chased a right whale, 4 miles
 went short sail, Latter part strong gales
 saw several ships lying by

Tuesday 2nd
 2nd Strong gales from the S heading E N E, under a
 double reefed top sails. Saw 10 ships at 5 more
 to the W. at 12 latter S E. Middle port strong gales
 Latter do double reefed top sails
 Lat 53 11 Long 152 05

Wednesday 3rd
 3rd S E gale from the W to S W heading to the W
 keel fore sail & fore top sail spoke the China
 Middle port strong gales, Latter part short
 Calms & light air
 Lat 52 45 Long 151 00

Thursday 4th
 4th Fine with light air from the S E saw 3 whales
 going quick did not land. Middle port fine
 Latter do sun at East at 12 saw some
 whales several
 Lat 52 17 Long 152 53