

Remarks On board R H

Feb 10th First of these 24 hours fine weather & light
Sunday breeze from the Eastward. R H steering by
the wind on Port tack saw a vessel heading
to N W at dark shortened sail mid & latter
parts fine weather so ends this day
Lat 35 13 Long 158 03

Feb 11th
Monday First of these 24 hours fine weather North easterly
wind. R H steering by the wind on Port tack at dark
shortened sail mid & latter parts fine weather
saw 2 vessels heading to N E also saw jumpers
so ends this day Lat 35 10 Long 158 08 E

Feb 12th
Tuesday First of these 24 hours fine weather N W winds
R H steering N E at dark shortened sail mid &
latter parts strong N E wind so ends this day
Lat 34 38 Long 159 55 E

Feb 13th
Wednesday First of these 24 hours fine weather variable
wind. R H steering N E by N & by the wind at dark
shortened sail mid & latter parts. N E wind tacked
Ship at noon so ends Lat 33 49 Long 159 54

Feb 14th
Thursday First of these 24 hours fine weather & N E wind
R H steering by the wind on Port tack at dark shortened
sail. Mr. Lomas raised a sperm whale this morning
at 6 Am lowered 2 Boats & the 2nd mate struck
v got rolled over whale went to windward 2 Boats
in chase while the ship picked up the Boat
so ends this day Lat 34 12 Long 160 14

Feb 15th
Friday First of these 24 hours fine weather & North easterly wind
Boats lost sight of the whale and came on board at 3 Pm
at dark shortened sail mid & latter parts weather much
the same saw plenty of Grampuses & Porpoises
to day so ends Lat 32 58 Long 160 38

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Feb 16th
Saturday First of these 24 hours fine weather & light. North easterly
wind. R H steering by the wind on Port tack at dark
shortened sail mid & latter parts fine weather plenty of
Grampuses & Porpoises in sight also saw a steamer

Feb 17th
Sunday First of these 24 hours fine weather & North easterly wind
R H steering by the wind saw a steamer at dark shortened
sail mid & latter parts fine weather so ends this day
Lat 33 50 Long 159 57

Feb 18th
Monday First of these 24 hours fine weather & calms
Grampuses in sight at dark shortened sail mid
& latter parts light. North easterly wind so ends Lat 33 43 Long 160 10

Feb 19th
Tuesday First of these 24 hours fine weather & light. North easterly
wind. R H steering by the wind saw Blackfish & Grampuses
to day at dark shortened sail mid & latter parts weather
the same saw 2 Pinbacks so ends Lat 32 32 Long 159 48

Feb 20th
Wednesday First of these 24 hours fine weather & calms at dark
shortened sail mid & latter parts light. Easterly wind
saw a school of Grampuses so ends Lat 33 18 Long 159 38

Feb 21st
Thursday First of these 24 hours fine weather & light Easterly wind
R H steering by the wind on Star board tack at dark shortened
sail mid & latter parts weather the same sighted Sooty Terns
Island to day also saw a Pinback Lat 32 44 Long 159 30

Feb 22nd
Friday First of these 24 hours fine weather & light air from the
Eastward one sail & the second in sight at dark shortened sail
mid & latter parts much the same saw Blackfish heard
for them but came on board again so ends Lat 32 36 Long 159 32

Feb 23rd
Saturday First of these 24 hours fine weather & North easterly wind. R H steering
by N E & lowered for Blackfish at 9 Pm the S. B. struck but because
after being fast about 5 minutes came on board at half past 4 mid & latter
parts fine weather boarded the American ship & Captain in. Both Capt. & crew 112 days
out from the Midship bound to Japan so ends Lat 33 08 Long 160 44 E