

April 15th 1854

Sunday 30th First part of this day strong breeze from S.W. borese off under all sail Middle part moderate latter part the wind hauled to the north steering by the wind to the N.E. off off

Lat 34° 48' N

Long 173° 54' East

Saw Birds and finbacks

29 days 12 h. 44 min. 3 sec.

20 5
12
21 5
28
5 60
43 0
6 7 44
6 2 6 60
31 2 2 4 3
51 2 2 4 3
18 7 4 4 8 0

29 days 12 h. 44 min. 3 sec.

24
11 6
5 5
6 5 6
1 2
7 0 8
42 4 80
4 2 5 2 4
25 5 0 4 4 8

May 1854

Monday 1st first part light winds from the Northward steering by the wind to the N.E.

Saw finbacks

Middle and latter part had a gale of wind from N.W. sailing by the wind heading to the Eastward

Lat 34° 39' N

Long 174° 16'

Tuesday 2nd first part had strong gales from N.W. Middle part calm latter part had fine breeze from borese off

Saw finbacks

Lat 38° 30' N

Long 174° 05' E

Wednesday 3rd commenced with fresh breeze from S.W. borese off

Employed at unboarding sails and bending others ones Saw humpbacks and birds

Middle part the same latter part thick fog and strong Breeze steering N.E. by E under easy sail saw a humpback Employed at repairing main sail

No Observation

Lat by Account 41° 50' N

Long 175° 00' East

Thursday 4th commenced with thick fog and fresh breeze from S.W. Employed at repairing main sail at 4 o'clock the wind hauled to the N.W. moderate borese off at 6 A.M. bent the main sail

Our Captain is greatly alarmed About something he has growing on his back It acts like a cancer