

Journal kept on board Ship Sharon

Sunday February 13 1842

This 24 hours pleasant breezes cruising near Ocean Island several boats came of to trade with coconuts chickens spoke Ship William Eliza of New Bedford 28 months 1600
At large of N B 30 months 1800 lbs



Monday February 14 1842

This 24 hours light breezes from N E by E standing to the Westward nothing in sight Lat 35 S Long 167 00 E

Tuesday February 15 1842

This 24 hours pleasant breezes from N E cruising between Pleasant Island and Ocean Island Lat 41 S Long 166 30 E

Wednesday February 16 1842

This 24 hours pleasant breezes from N E cruising near Pleasant Island nothing in sight Lat 48 S Long 167 30 E

Thursday February 17 1842

This 24 hours strong breezes cruising near Pleasant Island spoke the John Howland of New Bedford 26 m out 15 50 lbs of sperm oil nothing in sight

Friday February 18 1842

This 24 hours pleasant breezes from N E cruising on the ground between Pleasant and Ocean Island nothing in sight

Saturday February 19 1842

This 24 hours pleasant breezes from N E cruising on the ground between Pleasant and Ocean Island nothing in sight so on this 24 hours

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Sunday February 20 1842

This 24 hours light breezes cruising on the ground for sperm whales nothing in sight the Captain came on deck and asked me if i got a nut to eat last night he says that he under stood that I said that I would have a nut wance I asked him if he begreached me what I eat he said no but he says that I must shut up my head and if I die he would rock me to hell and take your things and go in the jakes sail or go to hell he dont care where I went in to the jakes sail

Monday February 21 1842

This 24 hours pleasant breezes cruising between Pleasant and Ocean Island nothing in sight

Tuesday February 22 1842

This 24 hours light breezes cruising nothing in sight

Wednesday February 23 1842

This 24 hours pleasant breezes cruising nothing in sight

Thursday February 24 1842

This 24 hours pleasant breezes cruising near Pleasant Island nothing in sight

Friday February 25 1842

This 24 hours light breezes cruising on the ground between Pleasant and Ocean Island nothing in sight

Saturday February 26 1842

This 24 hours light breezes cruising near Pleasant Island several boats came of to trade with coconuts and hats and chickens so on this 24 hours