

Journal of 4 Voyages, on board Ship Station  
January 2<sup>d</sup> March 1845.

Commenced with strong gales from the  
S.W. and squalls lying too head to the  
S.E., Middle part feather. More moderate  
Set Roped Foresail. Latter part quite  
Moderate turned out the keels set. Main  
top gaffersail. So Ends by the wind to  
the South Lat 45.17 Long 172.10 E

Monday 3<sup>d</sup> March 1845.

Came with fresh breezes from the N. Steering  
S.W. at 8 P.M. the wind hauled suddenly  
to the S.W. and blew on heavy hove too  
at 8 P.M. Run off S.W. at 12. More than  
More moderate Made more sail Run N.W. as  
as I find it impossible to get to the S.  
Lat 45.38 Long 172.38 E

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 1845

Came with strong winds from the S.W.  
Steering N.W. at 2 P.M. wind hauled to  
the N.W. headed to the N.E. as rain  
wind hauled to the W. and then away  
to Eury with Calm and Boffles wind  
Lat 45.56 Long 173.30 E

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup>

Came with light airs from the S.W.  
and heavy swell at 4 P.M. heavy squalls  
at 5 P.M. and 6 P.M. and 7 P.M. a mild  
Whale made part light winds and Boff  
latter part squally saw a ship at West  
Bore headed to the N. Lat 44.55 Long 174.15 E

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup>

Came with squally weather wind S.W. at  
3 P.M. lowered for a whale with no success  
at 5 P.M. came to tow on heavy close reefed  
Main top sail and hove two heads to S.E.  
Latter part rather more moderate set Roped  
foresail Lat 44.38 Long 174.45 E

of N. Bedford of N. Ireland 1845.

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March

Came with strong gales from the S.W.  
and squally with a bar down heavily to the  
S.E. Close reefed Main top sail kept on  
at 3 P.M. wore with N.W. saw a ship steering  
to the S.E. Middle and latter part heavy  
gale and Rough Sea S.W. by 4.33 175.00 E

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March

Commenced with heavy gale from  
S.W. and Rough by the wind to the  
N.W. Middle part the same late for  
Colony with a heavy rain from the S.W.  
or gale towards for a while but  
soon lost rest of her and her  
gun up all hope of going any further  
Lat 44.38 Long 175.45 E

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>

Came with wind from the N.W. and  
Rough headed to the N.W. wind at 2 P.M.  
Made observation at 4 P.M. saw a whale  
for a sperm whale at 4 P.M. so took  
a sperm whale to the ship took him to  
and began to cut so Eury with steering  
from N to N.W. and Rough the day 176.00 E



Monday 10<sup>th</sup>

Came with strong gale and squally from the  
N. at 10 P.M. headed the whole party in  
ship to N.W. with the head by long side light  
variable wind through the mist at 4 P.M.  
took in Eury and Boiled the Cow and  
began to boil so Eury with Calm and planet  
at 4 P.M. lowered for a sperm whale with  
no success the land visible distant.