

New Zealand

Wednesday March 24th 1852
Begins with a strong breeze from ESE
and heading S. at 8 P.M. Shortland
sail for the night the Middle part
the same at 10 A.M. spoke the C.M.
900 so ends in company Lat 30.37 S
Long 179.45 W

Thursday March 25th
Begins with a strong breeze from
E and heading to the North in company
with the Mooreau at 5 P.M. spoke
the Obeds Mitchell 3000 lbs and the
weather very thick and took in sail
heading to the South the latter part
in company with the C. Mitchell of
Nantucket and steering of S.W. and
so ends Lat Long

Friday March 26th
Begins with a fresh breeze from the
E and steering to S.W. and saw nothing
of note at 5 P.M. took in sail for the
night the latter part steering of S.W.
W.S.W. so ends saw nothing of
note Lat 32.11 S Long 178.50 E

Saturday March 27th
Begins with a fresh breeze from the
Eastward and steering of to the westward
in Co with C. Mitchell and no whales.
the Middle part fine latter part the
same and steering of to the S.W. and
saw a bark steering to the Eastward
so ends Lat 32.58 S Long 176.60 E

Sunday March 28th
Begins with a fresh breeze from the
Eastward and steering of S.W. in com.
with the C. Mack at 8 A.M. took in
sail for the night the latter part steering
N.W. and wind from the Eastward
Lat 32.50 S Long 175.40

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Monday March 29th 1852
Begins with a strong breeze from E &
steering of N.W. at 8 P.M. Shortland
sail for the night at 8 A.M. saw sperm
whale and at 9 lowered but could not get
on and in company with the C.M.
at 11 past 11 took up the boats and the
whale out of sight and the weather Bore
so ends Lat 33.05 S Long 175.35 E

Tuesday March 30th
Begins with a strong breeze from E.N.E
and heading to the North in hope to
fall in with the whale again at 2 P.M.
saw him again and at 3 lowered shot
but could not get on off him at 6
took up the boats and Shortland sail
for the night heading to the North
and no whale the latter part a casing
over the ground but saw nothing of note
so ends with a strong breeze from E.N.E.
and the C.M. in sight Lat 32.08 S Long 175.38 E

Wednesday March 31th
Begins with thick weather and a light breeze
from N.E. and at past Meridian saw a
large breach of the Lu bear and run for it
but saw nothing more of it at 4 light to
and at 5 light to the North & Shortland sail
with no whales the latter part a fresh
breeze from the N.E. and heading to the N.W.
so ends the C.M. in sight Lat 31.57 S
Long 175.28 E

Thursday April 1st
Begins with a fine breeze from E.N.E. and
and at 2 P.M. spoke the C.M. and she
had seen whale yesterday but got none the
latter part steering of S. and employed a
scurvy the Mizen Top sail over it being
scurvy with cotton turn so ends saw nothing
of note Lat 32.14 S Long 175.26 E