

A Journal or A Whaling Voyage from Mornington

Remark on board Wednesday January the 20

Wednesday January
the 20

This day very thick and Rainy weather Winds from the South to ESE until 5 PM Winds held around to South and the Ship under whole top-sail Gilt and Main-sail and Main-top-gunn-sail Steaming NE & ESE until the latter part Steaming SE & E. Rode the Ship SE to latter longi

Remark on board Thursday January the 21

Thursday January
the 21

This day commences with very thick and Rainy weather Ship under her top-sails at 10 AM had strong winds from the NE double West the top-sails at 10 AM set all sail Moderate Sun at night a Gail from the NW Steaming SE & E took in the top-gunn-sails and double West the top-sails

Lat 42 26 long 90 25 S. ends the day

Remark on Board Friday January the 22

Friday January
the 22

All this day very squally weather Ship under double West top-sails Steaming SE & E at daylight it moderated Sun set all sail Winds from the SW to S.W. & West at 7 AM it came up very squally took in top-gunn-sails and double West the top-sails Steaming the latter part ESE S. ends

Lat 42 28 long 95 12

Remark on board Saturday January the 23

Saturday January
the 23

The first part of these 24 hours very strong Gails from the NW at daylight it moderated Sun set all sail Steaming SE & E at 10 AM it came up thick very strong winds double West the top-sails took in the Gilt & Main-sail Wind held till 11 AM and when a violent Gail took in the four & main top-sail and foun-sail have the under & West Main top-sail redid up South at NW & sent down the four and main top-gunn-sail Lat 40 long 100 S. ends

Remark on Board Sunday January the 24

Sunday January
the 24

The first part of this day strong Gails from the NW at 10 AM it moderated Sun set double West top-sails left of SE & E saw 1 Ship Steaming SE & E latter part more moderate set all sail Steaming SE & E Winds West all hours at West Lat 42 50 long 101 9

Remark on board Monday January the 25

Monday January
the 25

The first part of this 24 hours commences with strong winds from the Westward Steaming ESE All sail set to Advantage at 7 AM Wind blew hard from the NW and it held to South when very hard took in the Main-top-gunn-sail and double the top-sails at night a violent Gail West kept the Main top-sail took in the Main-sail the sail had to have two Sw & a whole Ship through the sea

Lat 43 31 long 105 07

to the South Pacific Ocean in the Ship Thomas Wilkes

Remark on board Tuesday January the 26

Tuesday January
the 26

The first part of these 24 hours very strong Gails from the NW laying to under a West West Main top-sail at daylight it moderated Sun set double West top-sails at 7 AM set all sail to Advantage Steaming SE latter part squally took in the Main top-gunn-sail

Lat 43 41 long 107 42

Remark on Board Wednesday January the 27

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At this 24 hours very fresh Gail from the NW to West Steaming SE & ESE Ship under whole top-sail until 1 AM Winds increasing double West the top-sails latter part the squalls decreased Sun Lat 48 28 long 101 38

Remark on board Thursday January the 28

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January the 28

All this 24 hours very thick weather and strong Gails from the Westward Steaming ESE & SE Ship under double West top-sails until 10 AM set whole top-sails and Main top-gunn-sail nothing in site at all Lat 40 long 100

Remark on board Friday January the 29

Friday January
the 29

This 24 hours very thick & heavy weather All sail set to Advantage Steaming ESE Winds from the West to NW first part very fresh Winds 2nd of had see on on board the main top-sail and best of view are ahead the one on board at night saw a whole going quick to the Windward supposed to be a right whale

Lat 48 42 long 110 42 East

Remark on board Saturday January the 30

Saturday
the 30

This 24 hours very fresh winds from the Westward Steaming ESE All sail set to Advantage the latter part very thick and Rainy weather Shortened sail at 4 PM took in sail so thick weather at 5 PM it cleared up set all sail left of ESE saw four right whale but too high to pour the boats at night were in late clear weather Lat 42 50 long 100

Remark on Board Sunday January the 31

Sunday January
the 31

This 24 hours very good weather All sail set to Advantage Steaming ESE Wind from the West to NW at 10 AM heavy sail at half past 7 saw Whales lined in chase struck one killed him took the whale to the ship & cut him in the ship John & Elizabeth of Cleveland born of Spoke 25 he had 1100 hundred pounds & 8 months out We set the two Whales & join saw one on the ship

Lat 44 14 long 125 45

