

1844 Ship Almas 239 Days out

Saturday March 30th Commences with thick weather wind from the S ship heading under whole main top sail and double reefed fore and single reefed main top sails Middle and Latter Part much the same one sail in sight so ends this Day
Lat 34° 30' North Long 174° 20' East

230 Sunday March 31st Commences with light wind and calm ship under easy sail plenty of fire backs in sight Middle and Latter Part happy and sunny and the happy it seems that ever spent in my life so ends

231 Monday April 1st 1844 Commences with thick foggy weather wind from the North ship heading to under easy sail Middle and Latter Part much the same made all sail at 9 AM speak the ship Parashute of New Bedford 10 months out 400 so ends
Lat 34° 40' N Long 174° 57' East

232 Tuesday April 2nd Commences with light wind from N.N.E ship heading N.W. by W under all sail one ship in sight and several fire backs Middle and Latter Part much the same at 9 AM saw a right whale lowered without success
Lat 35° 12' North Long 175° 51' East

233 Wednesday April 3rd Commences with fine weather and a fine breeze from N.E ship heading N.W. by S under all sails at 1 PM lowered for the whale but did not get him Middle and Latter Part much the same so ends
Lat 36° 58' N Long 176° 34' East

Lizzie Mrs. Sherman came here to Capt J. Robbins
Saturday April 13th 1842