

1844 Ship Unceas on the coast of Japan
Saturday June 8th

310 Days out Commences with thick
rainy weather cooled down the works and
blow over a gale of wind Middle Part fine weather
Latter Part the same at day flight commenced boiling
saw nothing so ends this Day

Lat 40° 55' North Long 152° 20' East

311 Sunday June 9th

Commences with fine
weather and light winds from the N steering E &
under all sail Middle Part fine weather Latter
Part much the same at 2 P.M. finished boiling
so ends Nothing in sight

Lat 42° 25' North Long 151° 35' East

312 Monday June 10th

Commences with fine
weather and light winds from N ship
steering E & S. W Middle Part much the same
Latter Part fresh breeze from S.E. all hands
Employed in stowing down oil saw 2 whales
so ends this Day No Obs

313 Tuesday June 11th

Commences with a gale
from S.E. ship heading E & S. under close
reefed top sails Middle Part more moderate
Latter Part light from the S.W. and foggy
so ends Lat 44° 25' N Long 153° 40' East

314 Wednesday June 12th

Commences with fine
weather and light winds from the N ship
steering S.E. by E at 3 P.M. saw a whale lowered
but got nothing and that is commensurate for us
Middle Part much the same Latter Part fresh breeze
from the S.W. saw plenty of whales but did not
lower for them so ends this Day

Lat 45° 25' N Long 155° 42' East

1844 Ship Unceas Bound to Hontikatha
Thursday June 13th

Commences with fine
weather saw several whales lowered three boats
the B.B. struck one and sunk him came on
board again at 4 P.M. lowered for whales again
the B.B. struck one killed him and at 7 P.M. took
him to the ship Middle Part a fresh breeze from W
Latter Part very rugged at 3 P.M. commenced
cutting bad weather and cold work so ends
Lat 45° 40' N Long 155° 53' East

315 Friday June 14th

Commences with rugged
weather and fresh gales from W at 2 P.M.
finished cutting cleared up decks and started the
works Middle Part fine weather Latter Part the same
at 3 P.M. saw whales lowered without success at 8 lowered
again and got nothing so ends Lat 45° 44' North

316 Saturday June 15th

Commences with fine
weather and light winds from the W plenty of
whales in sight at 1 P.M. lowered the boats and
the B.B. got fast the line parted and away
he went Middle Part thick and foggy Latter Part
much the same so ends this Day

317 Sunday June 16th

Commences with light
winds and thick weather at 4 P.M. lowered 2 boats
for whales and got nothing Middle and Latter Part
much the same saw several whales so ends

318 Monday June 17th

Commences with fine
weather and light winds from E ship laying too
under easy sail saw two whales fine weather and a
smooth sea Middle Part much the same Latter Part
fine weather saw plenty of whales at 10 A.M.
lowered the boats the B.B. struck one killed
him and took him to the ship so ends
No Obs

319 Tuesday June 18th

Commences with fine
weather all hands employed in cutting the
whale at 2 P.M. finished Middle Part much the
same Latter Part fresh breeze from S.E. Employed
in stowing down oil so ends saw nothing but for
No Obs