

When this you see Remember me. George M. Kimball. Hallenell. Person
 Born in the R.D. 1815 January the 3rd And is now on board of the
 Ship William Hamilton of New Bedford In the Latitude of 41° 33' N
 Longitude of 118° 20' West sailing S.W. for the Bounty Islands in the
 Latitude of 11° 22' South and Longitude of 173° 02' East plenty of fine
 backs in sight going to the East steam Boat fashion so ends this 28 hours
 November the 12. 1844

All that I have to say
 Thursday November the 18th We are 42 months out but May
 took our departure from the Sp 46. as not being to
 Bounty Islands, sailing I think the time are getting long, to
 South East by North, but
 When or Where we shall fetch It is to be seen in all due time
 Up. God knows for I do not I will take the first watch below
 Monday November the 22nd Thacker, fresh
 at 5 P.M. brought us on a
 sunken Rock near Little Island Lat. 44.00 S. Long. 177. 15 West
 unshiped the Rudder, tried the Pump, & found the ship to be
 taking 1000 strokes per hour, kept the ship for the
 Bay of Islands New Zealand, with a head wind so ends with hard luck

Journal of a Whaling Voyage kept on board of the
 Ship William Hamilton. Around the World
 sailed from New Bedford May the 1st 1838. & Returned
 May the 31st 1842. William Duran Master

George M. Kimball Hallenell