

Journal

Thursday 8 Jan'y 1846

Strong gales throughout this day from the S E steering to the Westward nothing in sight whatever Lat 20 36 Long 135 54

Friday 9 Jan'y

Strong gales throughout this day from the S E steering to the Westward nothing in sight whatever Lat 20 28 Long 136 18

Saturday 10 Jan'y

Light breezes from the North throughout this day steering to the West nothing in sight Lat 20 32 Long 136 18

Sunday 11 Jan'y

Moderate breezes from the North to S E cloudy weather light rain steering to the Westward Lat 20 50 Long 139 31

Monday 12 Jan'y

Strong breezes throughout this day steering to the Westward nothing in sight coopers setting up casks for water Lat 21 07 Long 141 52

Tuesday 13 Jan'y

Moderate breezes from the S E nothing in sight whatever steering to the Westward setting up water casks Lat 21 28 Long 144 27

Wednesday 14 Jan'y

Moderate breezes throughout this day from the S E steering to the Westward nothing in sight whatever Lat 21 33 Long 146 02

Thursday 15 Jan'y

Light breezes from the E to S E steering to the Westward nothing in sight whatever Lat 21 39 Long 148 08

16) Light breezes throughout this day from the East steering to the Westward nothing to be seen whatever all hands making canvas Lat 21 57 Long 149 58

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Saturday 17 Jan'y 1846

Light breeze throughout this day from the East steering to the Westward nothing to be seen whatever no work going on on board Lat 21 4 Long 150 10

Sunday 18 Jan'y

Light breeze throughout this day from East to S E steering S W by W nothing in sight Lat 21 12 Long 151 36

Monday 19 Jan'y

Light air from the East steering to the Westward saw several fin backs Lat 20 56 Long 152 04

Tuesday 20 Jan'y

Light air from East to South steering to the West at 11 AM raised the Land Office distant about 100 miles saw one fin back Lat 21 05 Long 154 19

Wednesday 21 Jan'y

Light baffling breezes from S E to West at 6 AM saw Mowee bearing W S W the West point of the Island at 4 PM tacked ship to the S E at 7 PM tacked to the West gunbuzing and doing more or we gain the mate fitting a set of man ropes Lat 21 08 Long 156 03

Thursday 22 Jan'y

Beating about the North East end of Mowee with baffling winds from S W to North in company with the Basque Richmond of Providence she struck and loped an Eighty bbl sperm whale yesterday off the East end of Morocoy she hauled 1700 bbl of heavy sea running

Friday 23 Jan'y

First and middle parts beating and banging about the S E part of Mowee at 4 PM we squared away ran in to the harbour at 8 PM let go the best bower in 17 fathom off the Fort of Lakina no ships in port but the Richmond of Providence