

New Holand Jan 7th 1844

Tuesday Jan 7th

First part of this Day light winds from the SW with squalls of fine rain at 6 PM got through blowing down oil middle part light air from the Westward latter parts calm saw two fin back whales one ship in sight at boiling So ends this Day Lat 45.32 Lon by Chron 135.40 East

Wednesday Jan 8th

These 24 hours commenced with calm weather a ship in sight at boiling middle part light winds from the SW at 10 PM passed the ship that was in sight at boiling latter part strong winds from the SW saw several fin back whales and a plenty of birds but no white whales So ends this Day Lat 46.09 South

Thursday Jan 9th

These 24 hours commenced with moderate winds from the SW and hazy weather steering to the Eastward in middle and latter parts thick fog and fine rain winds from SW to NW saw nothing this Day So ends Lat 46.50 South Lon by Chr 139.45 East

Friday Jan 10th

First part of this Day moderate winds and hazy weather winds from the Westward steering to the Eastward middle and latter parts pleasant weather winds from SW to NW steering East So ends this Day Employed in clearing bore Lat 46.56

Bound to New Zealand from there to NW

Towards New Zealand Jan 11th

Saturday Jan 11th

First part of this Day moderate winds from the NW and pleasant weather at 9 PM rose two white whales lowered for them the waste boat went on to them but the boat steerer missed them could not get on again came on board at 1 PM saw a white whale and lowered but without success came on board and took in sail for the night heading to the Westward at Day light made sail steering to the Eastward middle part strong winds from the NW and cloudy with squalls rain latter part rainy thick weather So ends this Day Lat 46

Sunday Jan 12th

First part of this Day thick rainy weather winds from the NW middle part the same latter part winds from the SW and pleasant weather steering to the Eastward saw nothing this Day So ends Lat 47.22 South Lon by Chron 146.31 East

Monday Jan 13th

All these 24 hours clear weather winds from the Westward steering to the Eastward saw nothing this Day So ends Lat 47.38 Lon by Chron 149.12 East Lon by Sun 148.50 East

Tuesday Jan 14th

First part of this Day winds from the Westward middle part winds from the NW with rain latter part fresh gales from the Westward steering to the Eastward So ends this Day nothing in sight Lat 48.52 Lon by Chron 152.52 East