

Tuesday Feb 2-1876

First part of this day light breeze from the S. Weather good. Ship working to the S. Saw nothing. Middle and Latter parts the same. at sun down shortened sail and so ends this day.

Wednesday Feb 3

Lat 33.21
Long 177.33 First part of this day moderate breeze from the S.W. Weather good. Saw nothing middle and Latter parts the same. Repaired the main gallant sail and so ends this day.

Thursday Feb 4

Lat 32.40
Long 177.55 First part of this day good breeze from the S.W. Weather good. Ship working to the S.W. Saw one sail. Repaired upper main top sail. Employed in making spun yarn and so ends this day.

Friday Feb 5

Lat 33.03
Long 177.23 First part of this day moderate breeze from the S.W. Ship working to the S. middle and Latter parts the same. about 1 1/2 P.M. Edmund Weeks raised a school of sperm whales lowered four boats. struck two one to the Waist and one to the bow boat. Waist boat lost the whale cut the line with the lance. the whale was spouting blood. the boat steerer killed him with Pierck's gun. took the bow boat whale along side about 7 P.M. took in sail. Saw the James Arnold and the English brigs Magellan Cloud. but the did not get up to the whales and so ends this day.

Saturday Feb 6-1876

Lat 33.00
Long 177.18 First part of this day strong breeze from the S.W. at day light commenced to cut. finished about 8 P.M. Cleared away the head and started the works about 11 P.M. Middle and Latter parts the same. and so ends this day.

Sunday Feb 7

Lat 32.20
Long 177.06 First part of this day strong breeze from the S.W. Weather good at 6 A.M. Demingo De Cruise raised sperm whales on the weather beam going quick about N. lowered the Waist and Starboard boats. about 4 P.M. Waist boat struck took the whale along side about 5 P.M. still boiling and so ends this day.

Monday Feb 8

First part of this day strong breeze from the S.W. Middle and Latter parts the same. at 7 A.M. commenced to cut. finished about 7 P.M. still boiling. Saw nothing and so ends this day.

Tuesday Feb 9

First part of this day strong breeze from the S.W. Weather good. Ship working to the S. middle and Latter parts the same. Saw nothing still boiling and so ends this day.

Wednesday Feb 10

Lat 32.40
Long 177.45 First part of this day strong breeze from the S.W. Weather good. Ship working to the S. middle and Latter parts the same. Saw one fin back and so ends this day.

Thursday Feb 11

Lat 32.36
Long 177.43 First part moderate breeze. Ship working to the S. finished boiling at day light. Stowed off the main hatch. middle and Latter parts the same so ends.