

The Ship Callao A.B. Howland Master
Ochotsk Sea

Remarks on Board Monday Aug 3rd.
All this twentyfour hours light baffling winds and calms lowered all the boats and went in to the bay the Starboard boat struck a whale he ran under the Bark Black Eagle at the same time the line got foul and capsized the boat right under the Black Eagles counter Mr Barker second mate of the Marengo came and picked us up in about five or eight moments after we were capsized but the boat steerer Joel Pangborn was drowned before he got to us Joel could not swim any at all he did not come on top of the water but once after he went out of the boat and then only for a second or two our other two boats were close to the Starboard boat came and took us from the Marengos boat and the Whist boat went and struck the whale he was killed with the irons we then hauled the Starboard boat out and she went to the ship and got underway and stood in after the whale then come to and cut him

Remarks on Board Tuesday Aug 4th

All this twentyfour hours light baffling winds and calms the boats were in the bay after whales but without success at night come on board and got underway spoke the ship Roman with seven whales then stood off shore

on a whaling voyage in the Pacific in 1857
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Remarks on Board Wednesday Aug 5th
The fore part of the day fresh breezes from the S W the middle part light baffling winds the ship close to round island the latter part strong breezes and squalls from the W took in the light sails and double reefed the topsails

Remarks on Board Thursday Aug 6th
All this twentyfour hours light breezes from the S and S W stood in to the bay spoke the ship Daniel Wood and the ship republic of Bremen then stood across bay started the works and boiled our whale

Remarks on Board Friday Aug 7th

All this twentyfour hours light baffling winds and calms sent two boats off shore looking for whales but saw nothing saw one whale from the ship and lowered for him but without success eighteen or twenty ships in sight

Remarks on Board Saturday Aug 8th
All this twentyfour hours light breezes stood off shore and raised whales lowered and the Starboard boat struck and killed a whale and then lost him going to the ship the other boats after more whales took (Geor F) George Wilson for a boatsteerer

Remarks on Board Sunday Aug 9th
All this twentyfour hours light baffling winds and calms the boats off cruising for whales saw two or three whales going quick the ship at an anchor as near where we sank the whale as she could get