

The Ship Callao A. B. Howland Master on a whaling voyage in the Pacific in 1857
Ochotsk Sea

Remarks on Board Tuesday Sep 8th
All this twentyfour hours fresh breezes from the N. N. W. steering S. E. under all sail saw one Finback

Lat 54.54 N
Long 152.45 E

Remarks on Board Wednesday Sep 9th
All this twentyfour hours light breezes from the N. W. and dark cloudy weather saw a number of Finbacks and a shoal of Killers and a shoal of porpoises the red S. E. until dark then halled up S.

Lat 53.28 N

Remarks on Board Thursday Sep 10th

All this twentyfour hours strong breezes from the N. W. saw Right whales and lowered for them the Starboard boat struck and the line parted and the whale went off to windward the Bow boat then went on and struck another whale and drewed then went on board and raised more whales lowered again and the Waist boat went on and struck another whale and got stove and lost that one then went on board and shortened sail for the night we did not get near enough to point a piece of craft at either one of the whales after we struck Alcid Island in sight bearing S.

Lat 51.50 N
Long 155.23 E

Remarks on Board Friday Sep 11th

The fore part of the day light breezes from the N. W. saw whales and lowered but without success the middle and latter parts fresh breezes from the S. saw more whales and lowered for them the Starboard boat struck a large whale and took him to the ship then hooked on and cut the head and then lashed down for the night the Waist boat in to repair the 2^d mate going in the Starboard boat the land in sight at a distance

Lat 51.48 N
Long 155.30 E

Remarks on Board Saturday Sep 12th
The fore part of the day light breezes from the N. W. hooked on and finished cutting the middle and latter parts fresh breezes from the N. W. saw whales lowered the Starboard boat she struck a whale and drew from him started the works and commenced boiling the main land in sight and Alcid Island

No Obs

Remarks on Board Sunday Sep 13th

All this twentyfour hours strong breezes and fog from the N. W. all hands employed boiling and scraping bone the ship by the wind under double reefed Topsails

No Obs

Remarks on Board Monday Sep 14th

All this twentyfour hours a moderate gale and squalls from the N. W. saw a number of whales but it was so rugged we did not lower the ship laying to under a double reefed main Topsail and fore sail.

No Obs

Remarks on Board Tuesday Sep 15th

The fore part of the day strong breezes from the N. W. saw a number of Humpbacks the middle part the same finished boiling about three o'clock raised a Right whale and lowered for him the Starboard boat struck him and took him to the ship hooked on and took one lip then set the watch and commenced stowing down

Lat 51.45 N
Long 156.00 E

20 off whale caught
160 lbs

20 Whales

20 Whales Caught
125 lbs