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Journal of a Voyage from New Bedford to
 Pacific Ocean Ship Robert Edwards, E Howland
 Master

Friday 9mo 4th Commenced with fresh breezes from the
 1835 South West and pleasant weather
 At 8 AM got under way and beat out. At 12 AM weighed
 the Pilot off Longsight John Howland
 Saturday 9mo 5th Commenced with light breezes from S.W.
 at 6 AM reefed Topsails. Middle part Pleasant At 6 PM
 made all sail. Latter part Pleasant. all hands employed
 in clearing ship etc. Saw 3 Whales Long 67. 41
 Sunday 9mo 6th These 24 hours light Breezes from S.W.
 and pleasant all hands engaged in fitting Craft. Boat
 Course E by S. At 10 AM saw a whale with 35.50 long 66. 16
 Monday 9mo 7th All these 24 hours fresh breezes from S.W.
 and pleasant weather All hands employed in fitting rigging
 in rigging etc. Course East saw a schooner.
 Tuesday 9mo 8th These 24 hours from S.W. and pleasant
 weather saw a Bay standing N.E. all hands employed
 in fitting ship. Course E by South
 Wednesday 9mo 9th All these 24 hours fresh breezes from S.W.
 with squalls of rain lowered in pursuit of a school of Black
 ch fish but without success. Long 57. 42. Lat 39. 57
 Thursday Sept 10th These four & twenty hours light Breeze
 from S.E. and squally weather. Saw a School of Black
 fish lower away & chased but without success.
 Friday 9mo 11th These 24 hours fresh breezes from S.W.
 squally weather middle and latter part heavy squalls
 ship under closea kept fore & main Topsails and
 fore sail Course E with 47. 32 Long 55. 55. Lat
 Saturday 9mo 12th commenced with fresh gales from
 N.W. at 3 am furled foretopsail middle and latter
 part moderate fore & main top Last sail furled
 Sunday 9mo 13th All these 24 hours fresh breezes from
 S.W. middle & latter part cloudy fresh breezes from
 N.E. Course E, S.E. Standing by the wind.
 Monday 9mo 14th Commenced with moderate breezes
 from S.W. raised black fish lowered in pursuit
 but without success. Course S.E.
 Sat 3rd Sept Long 45. 14. Philip Howland