

Observations on Monday April 21st 1834

Commenced with strong gales from the S.W. & our little quantity
weather 213 P.M. were ship to the south and hope Middle Port
strong breezes and clear weather 11 A.M. generally with heavy
showers of rain since shifted to land 1/2 pt fore top 10. Latter Part
wind variable at 11 Wind steered to N.W. more ship to the N.W. and
with thick hazy cloudy weather. Lat by magnet Ob. 26° 55' N. Long 56°
Long 154° 30' W.

Observations on Tuesday April 22nd 1834

Commenced with strong winds from the S.W. at 5 P.M. were ship to
the south and hope Middle Port strong breezes and clear weather
216 A.M. began to break out the ice hold for flooring across the old
light breeze from the N.W. to S. ship heading from N.W. to S. with
Latter Part light breeze and clear. Lat by Obs. 27° 42' N. Long 55°

Observations on Wednesday April 23rd 1834

Began with fine pleasant weather all hands employed in getting
down oil 11 A.M. finished flooring across amount of oil 96 bbls.
Middle Port light breeze from N.W. at 6 A.M. made all sail. Latter
Part moderate winds and fine weather. Lat by Obs. 27° 20' N. Long 55°

Observations on Thursday April 24th 1834

Began with light winds from the N.W. and fine smooth weather
at 2 P.M. raised sperm whales towards the Boat and succeeded
in taking one to S.W. boat rope Boat lost her line 11 A.M. took
the whale to the ship and preserved said Middle Port light wind
and pleasant 11 A.M. began cutting in the whale at 8 got all in
Latter Part light winds from the N.W. Lat by Obs. 27° 30' N. Long 54°

Observations on Friday 25th of April 1834

Commenced with light breeze since steered to S.W. with fine weather
11 A.M. began boiling Middle Port light winds and fine weather
since steered to S.W. and increased at 8 A.M. four Whales at 10 commenced the
Boats and were fortunate enough to take four of them Latter Part
wind moderate over the way boats off from the ship at 27° 55' N.
2d boat got two N.W. and 1st boat got 1 cow 10 but putted shivering
at 10

Observations on Saturday 26th of April 1834

Began with light winds and fine took the whale to the ship took in two
them and two by the other for the night in the morning took in the other
two Latter Part fine weather. Lat by Obs. 28° 26' N.

Observations on Sunday 27th of April

Commenced with fresh breezes from the N.W. and thick cloudy weather
employed in boiling 11 A.M. steered to S.W. at 10 P.M. commenced raining
before boiling 11 P.M. were ship to N.W. with thick rain
weather the rain ceased for the workers going Middle Port
and thick weather Latter Part thick and foggy ship heading 28° 28'
in any or upon employed myself in receiving the sperms and
mounting on Gods good up to us. now medals. Sun Observed this 52.

Observations on Monday 28th April 1834

Began with thick cloudy angry weather and a strong breeze from
the N.W. and a great swell from the N.W. employed in boiling at 6 P.M.
in 8 & 9 o'clock and 10 o'clock and a deep sea the fore and
middle Port fresh breezes and thick cloudy weather finished boiling
Latter Part more pleasant day nothing. Lat by Obs. 27° 20' N. Long 52.

Observations on Tuesday April 29th 1834

Commenced with moderate breezes from S and thick weather at 1 P.M.
at 10 o'clock 8 o'clock and 9 o'clock were ship to the N.W. Middle Port
moderate breezes and fine weather 11 A.M. saw a dead whale float
in her but found her so low did not take her at 7 A.M. began flooring
and ship heading 28° 28' with a heavy swell from the N.W. Latter
Part moderate breezes and fine weather. Lat by Obs. 27° 50' N. Long 52.

Observations on Wednesday April 30th 1834

Commenced with fine breezes from the N.W. and fine weather all
hands busy employed in flooring across at 11 P.M. were ship to N.W.
Middle Port fine pleasant weather. 11 A.M. made all sail to N.W. 28° 28'.
we got a glimpse of the Sun and Moon found our Long 156° 38' 40' W.
Latter Part much like the former. Lat by Obs. 27° 38' N. Long 52.

Observations on Thursday May 1st 1834

Commenced with heavy breezes from the N.W. People employed in cleaning
up of ships only at 6 P.M. took in 8 and 9 o'clock were ship to the N.W.
and were ship to the South & East Middle Port light breezes from the N.W.
at 6 A.M. made all sail and flood on the South side until noon
Latter Part moderate breezes and pleasant weather all hands
employed in making spruce knolling yowes etc. this
begins the month but no whales. Lat by Obs. 27° 29' N. Long 52.