

Ship Clifford Wayne

Saturday 16th April

Commenced with strong winds from S & E laying to the East Middle part fine latter parts fine spoke Ship Florida 7 months 1000 lbs W oil 100 lbs

Lat 23° 25'

Sunday 17th April

Fine weather laying to the East at sundown took in sail to the S & W Middle part fine at daylight made sail raised whale lowered at 4 AM chased and struck to the Harbour Boat shot warp cast off & lost him

Long 114° 50' East Lat 23° 30' about

Monday 18th April First Quarter

Fine weather whale still in sight to windward at 12 PM lowered and pulled up 8 inches and struck to the Waste Boat at dark took him alongside and took in sail to the East under S & E Middle part fine at daylight commenced cutting at noon finished

Long 108° 12' East Lat 23° 34'

Tuesday 19th April

Fine weather with a good breeze from S & E cleared the decks commenced Birling at sundown took in sail to the S & W Middle & latter parts fine at daylight made sail to the East under S & E saw 3 backs

Lat 23° 36' S

Wednesday 20th April

Commenced with fresh winds all sail out to the East under S & E at sundown took in sail Middle part strong winds at daylight finished Birling latter fresh gale more ship to the S & W and washed off

Lat 23° 20'

Thursday 21th

A gale from the S & E took in from 4 mizzens top sails Middle from Moderate at daylight set the top sails doubled Reefed to the East

On Coast New Holland

Friday 22nd April 1842

First part commenced with fresh winds under doubled tops to the East quite Moderate setting up shocks for water Middle parts overcast latter part clearing down from shore saw 2 ships 1 cutting

Long 109° 21' Lat 23° 19' S

Saturday 23rd April

Fine weather all sail out to the East saw 1 more sail at sundown took in sail Middle part saw a ship Birling latter part made sail at 9 raised a large whale going to the S & E 2 ships in sight Long 110° 02' E Lat 22° 41'

Full Moon

Sunday 24th April

Commenced with fine weather at 1 lowered for the whale and struck to the Harbour Boat at 4 took him alongside and took in sail spoke Ship Fox Group 6 months out 500 lbs W oil and got a letter from Ann Middle part Boring at daylight commenced cutting at noon finished the

Lat 22° 24'

Monday

Monday 25th April

Fine weather took in junk and finished the case at 2 o'clock and made sail to the S & E Middle part fine finished cutting the junk at daylight fine made all sail to the South 3 ships in sight

Lat 23° 11' S

Tuesday 26th April

Fine weather all sail out Birling at sundown took in top & sails heading South Middle fine latter parts all sail out spoke Ship Hope above Bedford 7 months out 200 S 200 W oil

Lat 23° 45'

Got Letter

Wednesday 27th April

Fine weather all sail out to the S & E finished Birling and washed off at sundown took in sail Middle fine latter parts good weather first rate all sail out to the S & E employed at setting up shocks

Long 110° 08' East Lat 23° 14'