

Ship Elliford Wayne of Fairhaven C. I. Howland Master
Remarks On Board Wednesday 21st May 1845
First part of these 24 hours fine pleasant weather all sail set light winds from the E & E blowing to the Eastward at sundown Round Island bore South distant 3 leagues Middle parts light airs latter part light winds backing off On
Lat 46° 16' 23" South

Remarks On Board Thursday 22nd May
First part of these 24 hours fine pleasant weather light Breezes from the East saw a Starboard and Breaches did not ascertain what they were at sundown the reef 4 miles off Round Island bearing S W by S distant 9 leagues Cookanove bearing E by S 1/2 S 115 leagues further to the E & Middle and latter part fresh Breezes backing up along the Reef
Lat 46° 20' South

Remarks On Board Friday 23rd
First part of these 24 hours fresh Trades from the E & E all sail set sailing to the East along the Reef Middle parts backed off 1/2 Breeze latter parts thickening weather with strong Trades from the South to East Double Reefed the top sails at 11 AM On tackled ship inshore at 12 Middle cleared up

Remarks On Board Saturday 24th
First part of these 24 hours strong Trade from East set E & E blowing by the wind 1/2 tack at 1 PM saw North Island at sundown heading E & E under Southward made wind E & E North Island bore S by S distant 5 miles Middle parts Moderate made all sail latter part fine Breeze from the E & E backing up along the Reef

Remarks On Board Sunday 25th
First part of these 24 hours rain with very heavy thunder and short lightning wind shifted to the West and slightly fresh in forenoon 1/2 sail doubled reefed the main at sundown wind from the South still there again backing E & E and distant 3 leagues Middle parts light winds with rain latter parts light airs from the E & E and Calm at 4 PM saw sperm Whales going quick into the reef 6 miles off the Reef lowered and struck 3 small whales to the 1st & 2nd Boats and Sprayed chased without success it being Calm lost them

Remarks On Board Monday 26th
First part of these 24 hours calm out 4 miles off at 4 PM 3 saw the whales inshore at 4 PM came on rain with a fresh Breeze from the E & E Double Reefed the top sails took in 1/2 & 1/2 Breeze heading to the East light sight of the whales Middle parts fresh Breeze from the S & E blowing to the East at daylight made all sail with light winds running down the reef saw a Whale lying at anchor in the Bay employed at setting up rigging

Remarks On Board Tuesday 27th
First part of these 24 hours Moderate Breezes from the E & E of the Rocks were ship to the E & at 3 PM saw a shoal of Whales going quick into the reef lowered our Boats and struck saved 1 1/2 Boat 1 Starboard Boat and took another to the S & E to the ship and lost him a half drawn from the West Boat a calf at 5 took them along side and made all fast for the night and took in sail Middle parts got ready for cutting at 6 AM began to cut at 4 PM got them in latter part Breeze from the E & E under Double Reef standing to the S W clearing away the Heads the reef 10 miles off



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Remarks On Board Wednesday 28th 1845
First part of these 24 hours fresh Breezes from the E & E at 2 saw Breaches 6 miles off made all sail for them at 4 PM tackled ship inshore at sunset the reef 15 miles off saw a shoal of sperm Whales going quick to the S W lowered did not see them again were ship to the E & E under Moderate sail Boiling Middle parts fresh Breezes latter parts same at 7 AM saw a shoal of Whales to windward made sail for them but saw them no more reef 5 miles off at 11 finished Boiling

Remarks On Board Thursday 29th May
First part of these 24 hours fresh Breezes from the E & E standing off on under 2 reef top sails cleared up the Rocks and washed off at 4 PM a shoal came off from a Calm 15k backing at anchor in the Bay Middle parts under short sail latter parts strong trades standing off on saw Breaches to windward did not ascertain what they were

Remarks On Board Friday 30th May
First part of these 24 hours strong trades standing off and on at sundown shortened sail Middle parts same latter parts more Moderate made sail standing off on

Remarks On Board Saturday 31st May
First part of these 24 hours Moderate all sail set running down the reef of our rocks at 4 PM saw a shoal of sperm Whales 3 miles off lowered and struck 1 Starboard and 1 Starboard Boats at sundown took them along side and 2 reefed the top sails to the E & E Middle parts getting ready for cutting at daylight commenced cutting at 7 AM finished and made sail inshore at 9 AM commenced Boiling away white water

Remarks On Board Sunday 1st June
First part of these 24 hours Moderate Breezes all sail set standing off on to the forward of the rocks backing up at sundown shortened sail standing off to the E & E Boiling Middle parts finished Boiling latter parts under top sails with smoky weather cleared up and washed off

Remarks On Board Monday 2nd June
First part of these 24 hours Cruising off and on under Moderate sail at sundown saw Blackfish lowered but did not strike shortened sail off shore Middle and latter parts fine weather all sail set off the rocks
Long by chron 10 4 miles South Lat 46° 08' South

Remarks On Board Tuesday 3rd June
First part of these 24 hours fine pleasant weather all sail set off on employed about the ship at sundown were of shore under short sail Middle and latter parts fine weather at daylight commenced stowing down Starboard Side Main Hatch stowed down 60 lbs sperm Oil

Remarks On Board Wednesday 4th June
First part of these 24 hours fine Moderate Breezes finished stowing down Middle parts under short sail Middle and latter parts strong trades under single Reef top sails off On this day friend Peter Howard James Harvey in Lignon that he drew from the ship stores he being pauper put him in Irons after getting sober named him Howard beyond the West