

1888

Remarks of a whaling voyage on board

Thursday April 19th

Strong N.E. trade wind. Rather smokey
Nothing in sight. Leaking same
as usual. So ends this day.

Lat $11^{\circ} 24' N$
Long $40^{\circ} 17' W$

Friday April 20th

Strong N.E. trade wind.
Nothing in sight. Clear and pleasant
so ends this day. Lat $10^{\circ} 00' N$
Long $40^{\circ} 00' W$

Sat April 21st

Begins with strong trade winds
Latter part more moderate.
Broke out water and molasses
So ends this day. Lat $12^{\circ} 05' N$
Long $41^{\circ} 02' W$

Sunday April 22nd

Moderate N.E. trade wind.
Nothing in sight except Porpoise
and grampus So ends this day
Lat $13^{\circ} 08' N$
Long $41^{\circ} 07' W$

Brig E. H. Adams W. A. Martin Master

Monday April 23rd

Strong N.E. trade wind. Saw
a large right water two and
one half points on the weather
bow. It was seen by Ben
Hagard. So ends this day.

Lat $14^{\circ} 02' N$
Long $41^{\circ} 48' W$

Tuesday April 24th

Strong N.E. trade wind with
frequent squalls of wind and
rain. Spoke the whaling
Schooner Adelia Chase & E. B.
Somwell. They have not seen
whales since we spoke them
in March. Leaking over two
hundred strokes an hour.
So ends this day. Lat $18^{\circ} 00' N$
Lat $41^{\circ} 34' W$

Wednesday April 25th

Very strong N.E. trade wind.
Leaking four hundred strokes
an hour on the fore tack.
Nothing in sight.
So ends this day.
Lat $12^{\circ} 20' N$
Long $41^{\circ} 46' W$