

Journal of a Voyage on Board of the Hector to Harbours of New Bedford in the Pacific James G. Mason

Remarks on Board Monday February 1st 1841
These 24 hours Pleasant breeze from the S. E. and
Weather at 7 P.M. took in sail at daylight made
both sail S. C. Lat 33° 52' South

Remarks on Board Tuesday February 2nd 1841
These 24 hours Pleasant breeze from the S. E. and
Pleasant Weather at 1 P.M. took in sail at daylight made
both sail S. C. Lat 36° 56' South

Remarks on Board Wednesday February 3rd 1841
These 24 hours light winds from the S. E. and
Pleasant Weather the patches appeared in boarding a sail
fore top sail and fore sail and C. Lat 38° 25' South

Remarks on Board Thursday February 4th 1841
These 24 hours Comes with light winds and
Pleasant Weather latter part stiff breeze from N.
Lat 37° 36'

Remarks on Board Friday February 5th 1841
These 24 hours Comes with stiff breeze from
the South and thick with fog took in the S. E. and
Boat latter part light breeze Lat 41° 00' South

Remarks on Board Saturday February 6th 1841
These 24 hours Comes with light winds and
thick with fog latter more clear Wind fresh
South shifted the standing sails Lat 43° 07' South

Remarks on Board Sunday Feb 7th 1841
These 24 hours Comes with light winds and
thick with fog Steering S. W. by S with both sails
set S. C. Lat 44° 20' South

Remarks on Board Friday March 12 1841
These 24 hours Pleasant breeze from the S. E. and Pleasant
Weather saw a Bark ship standing North H. C.
Lat 38° 52' South Long 81° 00' W.

Remarks on Board Saturday March 13 1841
These 24 hours light winds from the S. E. and
Pleasant Weather mended the fore top gallant sail and
set it S. C. Lat 37° 21' Long 81° 00' West

Remarks on Board Sunday March 14 1841
These 24 hours light winds and Pleasant Weather
Steering up the wind to the N. E. by E
Lat 35° 54' South

Remarks on Board Monday March 15 1841
These 24 hours light winds and Pleasant Weather
Steering up the wind to the North but caught
the Hoist Boat and Boat Boat H. C.
Lat 34° 52' Long 83° 00' W.

Remarks on Board Tuesday March 16 1841
These 24 hours Pleasant breeze and Pleasant Weather
at 2 P.M. saw the ship beginning of New Bedford
Chasing Whales and the Hector bore down up San
them but did not get fast at daylight saw 2 Whales
Went of in San suit of them got fast to
to of them and killed them at 10 got one of
them a long side at 5 got the other a long
piece and cut one of the a whale Whales in
N. M. Lat 34° 28' N. M. M. M. M. M.

