

Ship Almira J. A. Smith Master

Tuesday March 27
Begins and ends with fine weather from
Ship by the minute all sail set up and
gained with the 6 gun bar buoys.
those 24 hours.

Lat by Magnetic Altitude 27° 04'S
Long by Chronometer 108° 25'E

Cruising off New Holland

1860

Wednesday March 28th
Begins with a fine breeze and moderate
weather from S.W. Steering S.W. by N. all sail set
Latter part fine all sail set steering S.W. by N. NW
ends the day employed pursuing B. W.

Lat by Magnetic Altitude 26° 26'S
Long by Chronometer 108° 33'E

Thursday March 29
Begins with fine pleasant weather from S.W.
all sail set steering N.W. employed pursuing
the vessel / Boat. Saw several sulphur bottom
Middle part under double reef for the night
Latter part a strong breeze from the S.W. Steering
Whole top sails at 9 PM raised the Barge Line of 100 fms
at 10 PM saw her lower for sperm whale kept off steering
N.W. saw her with two buoys steering N.W. by N. to
raise the remainder of the school.

Lat 27° 00'S Long 108° 24'E

Friday March 30th
Begins with a strong breeze steering N.W. after
the whole at 1 PM raised the Barge Line of 100 fms
at 2 PM and downed the Barge Line of 100 fms
him along side at 3 PM employed getting ready for
cutting. Cut him by along side for the night Middle
overcast with a strong breeze at 5 PM called all
hands and commenced cutting mind 12 to 10 ends

Lat by Magnetic Altitude 26° 17'S
Long by Chronometer 108° 25'E

From Almira