

1870

Bark James Maury's Log Book

Wedns March 30th

Begins with Moderate
Gales from the Eastward and rain. Watch
employed in Belling Middle part the
same Latter part the same Ship
under Close Reef Main Top Sail

Thurs March 31st

Begins the same Ship
laying the same at 10 A get through
Belling and began to stow down the
oil stowed till dark and left off for
the night

Fri Apr 1st

Begins with strong Winds
and very rugged all hands employed
in stowing down Middle part the
same Latter part the same at dark
get through stowing down Lat 31.30
Long 179.40

Sat Apr 2nd

Begins with strong Wind
from the S and Cloudy Ship working
to S & under short Sail Middle part
light Air and pleasant Latter part
Calm Lat 30.00
Long 179.00

Sund Apr 3rd

Begins the same Ship
laying round and round in a Calm
Middle part the same Latter part
light Winds from S & and Cloudy

John C Smith Master

Mond Apr 4th

Begins with light Air from
the Southward Ship working on the
same ground Middle part the same
Latter part the same

Tues Apr 5th

Begins with strong winds
from the Southward and pleasant
Ship working to windward under Double
Reef Top Sails Middle and Latter
parts the same

Lat 29.30

Long 179.50

Wedns Apr 6th

Begins the same Ship
working the same at 8 A saw Whales
chased away the Boats got one to Starboard
and one to the Waist Boats and took
them along side

Lat 29.07

Long 179.46

Thurs Apr 7th

Begins with good weather
Watch employed in Belling Middle part
the same Latter part the same

Lat 29.25

Long 179.52

Fri Apr 8th

Begins the same Watch
employed in Belling Middle part
calm Latter part the same got
through Belling and chased up Decks

Lat 28.45

Long 179.38