

Bark John A Robb. Cruising for Whales.

Friday March 30th 1860

This day Comes in with fresh breezes from the S. E. the Bark standing to the Southward. Employed boiling Saw nothing.

Lat 22.40 Long 105.00

Saturday March 31st

Comes in with fresh Breezes from the S. E. heading to the S. W. under Short Sail all hands Employed boiling. Saw nothing but small fry.

Lat 22.50 Long 104.45



Sunday March April 1st

Fresh breezes and Squally Weather the Bark heading to the S. W. under Short Sail, Middle and latter part much the same, finished boiling about sunset at 4. P. M. saw Whales young quick to Windward did not lower for them two vessels in sight.

Lat 23.34 Long 104.23

Monday April 2nd

This day Comes in with fresh breeze from the S. E. the Bark steering to the Eastward. Middle part Squally latter part more moderate one vessel in sight steering to the North. The Watch Employed Coopering oil

Lat 22.44 Long 104.25



Tuesday April 3rd

Comes in with fresh breezes and rough Sea, standing on the Eastern Tack, at Daylight Lashed Ship and Commenced Stowing oil in the fore hold at 7 A. M. saw Whales young quick to Windward lowered for them but did not see any more of them. latter part Employed Stowing down oil. Checked off the fore Watchtower. Heavy Heavellime got hit down by a Cask, rolling against him

Lat 22.20 Long 104.5

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Wednesday April 4th 1860

Comes in with fresh Breezes from S. E. the Bark steering by the Wind to the S. W. saw fishbacks and other small fry, the Watch Employed Stowing down oil in the run. latter part more moderate. Saw Bark Eagle

Lat 22.40

Thursday April 5th

These twenty four hours fresh Breezes from the S. E. the Bark standing to the Eastward at daylight lashed to the S. W. Saw no fish. The Watch Employed Stowing away Casks & Washing Ship. The Eagle in sight to leeward

Lat 22.39 Long 104.32

Friday April 6th

First part fresh breezes from the S. E. steering by the Wind to the South Middle part standing to the East. E. at daylight lashed to the South. Saw nothing of the fish kind, the Bark Eagle in sight. Cooper Employed making over Casks.

Lat 22.36 Long 104.32

Saturday April 7th

Comes in with strong breezes from the Eastward the Bark steering by the Wind to the Southward. Saw a Sail to Windward. Cooper Employed making over old Casks, so Ends with fresh Breezes

Lat 22.53 Long 105.

Sunday April 8th

First part of these twenty four hours fresh Breeze and thick Weather the Bark steering to the Eastward by the Wind Middle and latter part much the same. Saw nothing

Lat 22.57 Long 104.39

Monday April 9th

This day Comes in with fresh Breezes from the S. E. the Bark standing to the Westward at 3 P. M. spoke Bark Orion. Middle and latter part standing to the Eastward. Saw no fish.