

Ship La Fayette on off Shore Ground

Saturday Nov 29th

Lat 5.10 Fine and pleasant at 4 P.M. saw sperm whales
Long 99.01 going S.E. between the Boats and caught one
at 5 P.M. commenced cutting at 8 P.M. hauled
down at 6 A.M. commenced once cut in the
whale was ship to N.E. made sail

Sunday Nov 30th

Lat 5.31 Strong breeze from E.S.E. at 2 P.M. commenced
Long 99.36 boiling heading S. Mid and Lott's part
the same saw breeches at 5 P.M.

Monday Dec 1st

Lat 5.28 Commenced with strong breezes from E.S.E.
Long 99.13 at 6 P.M. were ship to N.E. employed in boiling
at 4 A.M. finished Lott's part pleasant

Tuesday Dec 2nd

Lat 5.02 Strong breezes and clear weather heading N.E.
Long 99.01 Mid part same Lott's part employed in string
up shooks saw Fin Backs

Wednesday Dec 3rd

Lat 5.30 Fin weather employed in string up shooks
Long 99.26 Mid part strong breezes Lott's the same
employed in cooping oil

Thursday Dec 4th

Lat 5.02 Strong breezes from E.S.E. employed in
Long 99.20 stringing oil Mid part rigged Lott's
the same saw Fin Backs

Friday Dec 5th

Lat 5.17 Strong breezes and rigged employed in
Long 99.40 stringing oil at 6 P.M. finished were ship
to S.S.W. Mid part same Lott's part
employed in stringing off the Holes

Continued

Saturday Dec 6th

Lat 6.34 Commenced with strong breezes from E.S.E.
Long 99.08 heading S at 5 P.M. finished stringing off the Holes
made all sail Mid and Lott's part strong
breezes and clear weather saw nothing

Sunday Dec 7th

Lat 6.07 Strong breezes from E.S.E. and clear weather
Long 98.22 heading S at 6 P.M. tacked ship to N.E. Mid
and Lott's part the same saw nothing

Monday Dec 8th

Lat 5.52 Strong breezes and rigged with clear weather saw
Long 99.20 1 Fin Back

Tuesday Dec 9th

Lat 6.07 Strong breezes and clear weather under single
Long 99.01 up sails saw nothing of note

Wednesday Dec 10th

Lat 6.14 Still strong and rigged with clear weather
Long 99.04 at night shortened Hail Lott's part the weather
much the same saw nothing of note

Thursday Dec 11th

Lat 5.34 Strong breezes from S.E. and rigged saw some
Long 98.3 Fin Backs Mid and Lott's part the same

Friday Dec 12th

Lat 5.54 Commenced with strong breezes from S.E.
Long 98.30 and cloudy weather at night took in sail
Mid part rigged Lott's part fine and pleasant
saw some Fin Backs

Saturday Dec 13th

Lat 5.28 Fine and pleasant weather with light winds
Long 99.20 from E.S.E. saw nothing