

Remarks On Board Ship Leonidas

1837

Friday 1 P.M. light breezes S.W. & pleasant at 1st cut him in later part strong breezes from N.E. & fair Double reefs & set all hands employed in hauling saw 1 whale latitude 34° 02' longitude 23° 15' W



Saturday 2 All these 24 hours strong double reef breezes & same squally employed in hauling first part saw 6 whale board without success latitude 33° 36' W

Sunday 3 first & middle part of these 24 hours strong gails from N.W. & squally weather at 2 P.M. took in P & Misen, S. Gails later part strong S.W. gails & rainy weather lying to leading to the S.W. at 10 P.M. finished hauling ends with passing clouds latitude 33° 36' W

Monday 4 first & middle part strong S.W. gails & heavy squalls later part more moderate under double reefs saw several whale in the morning & ruded to loar at 11 board without success first part stood down latitude 33° 36' W

Tuesday 5 first & middle part light breezes from S.W. & pleasant weather saw several whale Chait without success later part small breezes from the North & pleasant saw 1 whale steering S.W. latitude 33° 46' W longitude at 3 P.M. 22° 46' W



Wednesday 6 P.M. Commences with lively breezes from North & fair at 2 loard struck him & took a whale along side cut him in at 11 started the works later part strong gails from N.W. & overcast all hands employed in hauling & other sundry jobs lying to under double reefs M.T. sail for sail Misen & Stairsail latitude 32° 46' W longitude at 2 P.M. 21° 57' W

Cruising In The South Atlantic

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Thursday 7 first & middle part strong gails from the North & cloudy weather saw 2 whale to rugged to loar later part more moderate 7th thick fog & some rain 1 watch employed in Deasemb hauling saw several whale board without success so ends with thick fog No observation

Friday 8 first & middle part of these 24 hours lively breezes from North foggy & rainy weather later part light breezes & pleasant weather all hands employed in stowing down saw 1 whale at 3 P.M. finished stowing sailing latitude 34° 18' 3 longitude at 3 P.M. 22° 37' W

Saturday 9 P.M. Commences with light breezes from North & pleasant weather saw 2 whale later part lively breezes from N.W. & pleasant saw 3 whale going fast to windward part barque Franklin of Sag Harbor sailing so ends these 24 hours with all sail set heading to the Eastward saw a good deal of feed - latitude 34° 18' 3 longitude at 3 P.M. 22° 29' 45" W

Sunday 10 All these 24 hours light lively breezes from North & good weather first part loard struck & lost by breaking of a harpoon later part Chait several others & did not pass so ends these 24 hours 1 barque in sight to windward No observation

Monday 11 All these 24 hours fine breezes & fair weather first part saw & Chait several whale & could not passen a plenty feed a few birds & 1 ship in sight later part saw 1 whale board without success standing to the East N.E. wind North clear & pleasant weather latitude 34° 27' 4 longitude at 2 P.M. 21° 57' W

Tuesday 12 P.M. Commences with light breezes & pleasant weather standing to the E.N.E. saw two whale going to the N.W. fast later part light breezes from N.E. & some light rain ends with light breezes from N.E. & some light rain saw several finbacks steering N.W. No observation