

Ship Lion Cruising off the French Rock in 1845

Thursday February 18th
Light from the SE and carrying all hands employed in
boiling at 9 pm finished stowing. Lat the same
Long "

Friday February 19th
Light from the SE employed in boiling and sail in sight
Middle and later calm Lat 31.57 Long 178.56.30

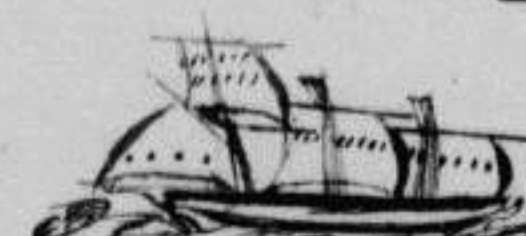
Saturday February 20th
Light from the SE shading SE and nothing in sight Middle
and later light the rock in sight at 7 PM saw sperm whales lowered
fastened to two whales drawn from one and saved the
other Lat " Long "

Sunday February 21st
Light from the SE all hands employed in cutting the
whale at 6 PM finished the rock in sight Middle and
boiling later strong employed in stowing oil Lat " Long "

Monday February 22nd
Strong from the SE on the wind to the SE employed
in boiling and stowing Middle and later the same
the island in sight Lat 31.42 Long 178.40.30

Tuesday February 23rd
Light and calm at 6 PM sperm whales going quick lowered
but did not fasten Middle and later fine clouds

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Wednesday February 24th
 Fine from the SE on the wind to the North one
sail in sight and the rock employed in stowing oil
at 6 PM finished Middle strong later the same
at 6 PM saw sperm whales lowered fastened and the iron broke
and later the whole the rock in sight

Thursday February 25th
Fresh gales from the SE at 5 PM saw sperm whales lowered
fastened and the iron broke and lost the whale came on
board and took in sail for the night Middle and
later the same Lat 32.10 Long 178.67.45

Friday February 26th
Fresh gales from the SE nothing in sight Middle and
later the same Lat 32.10 Long 178.57.45

Saturday February 27th
Fresh gales from the SE nothing in sight Middle and later
more moderate the rock in sight Lat 31.38 Long 179.12.15

Sunday February 28th
More moderate from the SE on the wind to the
SE at 5 PM hooked to the SE the rock in sight Middle
and later the same Lat 31.48 Long 179.45.30

Monday March 1st
Fine from the SE on the wind to the East Middle and
later the same Lat 32.21 Long 178.44.30