

Whaleship Lion off Sunday Island ^(Master) W. G. Hardwick

James M. White
Remarks on board ship Lion Tuesday April 29th
Fresh breeze from S. heading N.E. Received 10
Bbls of pork from Florida. At sunset wind ship
heading S.W. with thick drizzly weather under
short sail. At 8 A.M. looked for sperm whales
At 10 A.M. struck one took him to the ship.

Lat. 29.34 Long 177.06

Wednesday April 30th
Fresh breeze from S. hood too cutting. Latter part
clear. Sunday Island in sight to N. 12 miles dist.
2 sails in sight to S.

Lat. No Obs. Long 177.06

Thursday May 1st
Fresh breeze from S. heading N.E. finished cutting
and commenced to boil. At daylight wind ship heading
E.S.E. under easy sail. Sunday Island in sight to N.

No Obs.

Friday May 2nd
Fresh breeze from S. steering to N.E. off to the leeward
of Sunday Island. At 10 P.M. luffed to the wind
heading E.S.E. with a strong breeze and occasional rain
squalls. Employed boiling. 1 sail in sight to N.

No Obs.

Saturday May 3rd
Strong breeze from S. heading E.S.E. At 1 A.M. finished
boiling. At daylight wind ship and made sound sail.
heading N.E. Commenced to copper the oil 1 sail
in sight to S.

Lat. 29.04 Long 177.16

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Remarks on board ship Lion Sunday May 4th
Strong breeze from S. heading N.E. Latter
part light wind. Employed coppering and stowing
down. 2 sails in sight. Sunday Island in sight to N.
Dist. 30 miles.

No Obs.

Monday May 5th
Light wind from S. heading N.E. At 2 P.M. spoke
the Isaac Howland of New Bedford. At sunset
finished stowing down. Middle part wind N.W.
heading S. Latter part light wind from S. heading
N.W. Sunday Island in sight to N. dist. 30 miles.

Lat. 28.54 Long No Obs.

Tuesday May 6th
Moderate breeze from S. heading N.W. under all sail
middle part heading N.W. under short sail. Latter
part fresh breeze from S. heading S.W. under all
sail. Sunday Island in sight to S. dist. 15 miles at N.

Lat. 29.15 Long No Obs.

Wednesday May 7th
Fresh breeze from S.E. heading N.W. going under short
sail through the night. Latter part under all sail
Goat Island in sight to S.E. dist. 30 miles.

Lat. 30.12 Long No Obs.

Thursday May 8th
Fresh breeze from S.E. heading S. under all sail.
At sunset wind ship heading N.E. Middle part
strong breeze with occasional rain squalls under
short sail. Latter part fresh breeze under easy sail
Goat Island in sight to S. Employed variously.

Lat. 29.45 Long No Obs.