

Master
Ship Lion of St. Clement's group. No. 1. Gardiner

Bermarke on board ship Lion Thursday Sept. 11th
Light breeze from S.W. steering N.W. At 3 PM. luff
No. At sunset luffed to the wind heading E.
At 11 wind ship heading N.W. with rain At 3 P.M.
wind sprung up from S. hauld aback. At daylight
Capt. off. No. for Bourmand Island.

Lat. 4.10 Long. 110.00

Friday Sept. 12th

Light breeze from S.W. steering off round the
Island. At 3 PM sent in 3 boats to track. At
sunset came off bringing a few fams and
ants. Through the night laying off and on. At
8 A.M. sent in 3 boats. At 9 P.M. saw sperm whale.
The boats came off and went in pursuit.

No. Obs.

Saturday Sept. 13th

Wash breeze from S.W. steering off after the whale
At 1 P.M. struck & killed him and took him
to the ship. Commenced to cut. At sunset
the Island bearing S dist. 20 miles. At 7 A.M. found
had cutting and wore ship to N. At 5 A.M.
strong squalls with rain under short sail.

No. Obs.

Sunday Sept. 14th

Wash breeze from S.W. with strong squalls and
rain heading S.W. At 2 PM. wore ship to N.W.
At sundown Bourmand Island bearing S. dist.
25 miles Charson's Island bearing N. dist. 20 miles
Batten part variable airs with rain. Employed
hoisting a sail rigged over the tryworks.

No. Obs.

From Whales

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Bermarke on board ship Lion Monday Sept. 15th
Variable airs with rain squalls working to E. At
sunset Charson's Island bearing N by S dist. 8
miles. Employed boiling. Batten part calm
and clear.

Lat. 3.25 Long. 110.00

Tuesday Sept. 16th

Light variable airs steering to S. for the land
At 1 PM. sent in 2 boats. At sunset came off
bringing a few fams. Batten part light airs
from S.W. heading N. Employed stowing down
oil. Started a tierce of beef 100 pks and pipe of bread.

No. Obs.

Wednesday Sept. 17th

Light airs from S.W. heading to N. At 9 PM. hauld
aback. At 12 PM. wore round aback heading S.W.
At 7 A.M. Capt. off. No. for Bourmand Island ahead
dist. 20 miles. Finished stowing down.

Lat. 3.03 Long. 110.00

Thursday Sept. 18th

Light breeze from S.W. steering N by N. At 3 PM
hoist in N.W. At sunset light variable airs with
rain close in show to Gavet Dennis Island
south side. At 7.30 PM. got a breeze from S.W. luff
off to N. round the Island and luffed to the
wind heading N by N. wind N by E. Batten part
steering N.W. Employed variously.

Lat. 2.19 Long. 110.00