

Remarks on board Ship Mechanic

Remarks on board Saturday April 17<sup>th</sup> 1847  
These 24 hours commences with fresh trades and pleasant weather steering West & W under all sail, Middle and Latter part the same, hands employed in ships duty saw nothing So Ends these 24 hours Ship Rousseau in company, Lat by Obs 3<sup>o</sup> 19' S

Remarks on board Sunday April 18<sup>th</sup> 1847  
These 24 hours commences with fresh trades and pleasant steering West and W by N under all sail Middle and Latter light wind from the Eastward with some rain, steering West, in company with the ship Rousseau, saw nothing So Ends these 24 hours  
Lat by Obs 3<sup>o</sup> 02' S Long 118<sup>o</sup> 10' W

Remarks on board Monday April 19<sup>th</sup> 1847  
These 24 hours commences with a light breeze from the Eastward with some rain steering West under all sail Middle and Latter part light breeze from the Eastward and pleasant heading to the Northward, hands employed in Ships duty Ship Rousseau in sight saw Porpoises So Ends Lat by Obs 2<sup>o</sup> 05' S Long by Chron 118<sup>o</sup> 55' W

Remarks on board Tuesday April 20<sup>th</sup> 1847  
These 24 hours commences with light breeze from the Eastward and pleasant weather heading to the Northward under all sail Middle part the same, Latter part light breeze from the Eastward and hazy weather at 9 A.M. saw sperm whales, chased with out success, the Waist boat went along side of whales twice but the Boat stower would not dart put Hamy Wilson in to steer the Waist boat on trial in firm the Knacker place, so ends in chasing whales  
Lat by Obs 00 48 miles South

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Remarks on board Wednesday April 21<sup>st</sup> 1847  
These 24 hour commences with light breeze from the Eastward and hazy weather, at 2 P.M. the boat came on board, at half past 4 P.M. the boat again for the same whaler the Larboard boat fastened to a whale and lost the line at sun set the boats came on board with out success saw nothing of the whale after he took the line we supposed he died under water Middle light breeze from the Eastward and pleasant heading on different tacks under short sail Latter part light breeze and pleasant steering different courses in hopes of finding the whale hands employed in ships duty saw nothing So Ends  
Lat by Obs 00<sup>o</sup> 04' S Long by Chron 118<sup>o</sup> 55' W

Remarks on board Thursday April 22<sup>d</sup> 1847  
These 24 hours commences with light breeze from the Eastward and pleasant weather steering to the Southward under all sail Middle part light breeze from the Eastward and pleasant heading to the Southward and Eastward under short sail Latter part light breeze and pleasant heading to the Northward under all sail, hands employed in ship duty, saw nothing So Ends these 24 hours  
Lat by Obs 00<sup>o</sup> 41' S Long by Chron 119<sup>o</sup> 00'

Remarks on board Friday April 23<sup>d</sup> 1847  
These 24 hours commences with a fine breeze from the Eastward and pleasant weather heading to the Northward under all sail Middle part light breeze and cloudy heading to the Northward Latter part foggy from the East heading to the Northward and Westward under all sail hands employed in ships duty saw Porpoises So Ends  
Lat by Obs 00<sup>o</sup> 34' N Long 119<sup>o</sup> 30' W