

Sunday May 9th

Begins strong breeze from S standing to the S at 3 P.M. spoke the George and Martha Smalley 800 blb and a long sperm whale along side the rig and but at dark took in sail at daylight set double reef T sails and stood to the S W Ends the same 1 sail in sight Lat 24.35

Monday May 10th

Begins strong breeze from S standing to the S at 2 set the chain sail and Fells at dark took them in again and stood to the S all night at daylight set single reef T sails and steered W at W at 10 more round and steered S at 11 passed the bark standing to the S. Ends 2 sails in sight Lat 24.17 = 110.18

Tuesday May 11th

Begins strong winds from S steered W under short sail at dark took in sail at daylight set single reef T sails and steered W at W Ends the same saw 2 Fin backs no ships in sight Lat 23.47

Wednesday May 12th

Begins strong winds from S steered to the S at 4 saw a number of Finbacks at dark took in sail at daylight set 2 reef T sails and steered to the S. Ends the day 3 sails in sight saw a number Fin backs Lat 23.50

Thursday May 13th

Begins a strong breeze from S standing W at 4 spoke the Ship Venus Elderly Fairmott 950 blb sperm 300 whale oil Maine Chaker Fairhaven 1000 Whale and 180 blb of sperm oil at 4 spoke the Adeline Gray nothing since we saw her before at dark parted Company and lay to the S the other ships standing to the S Lat past a moderate Gale and some rain stood to the S saw 1 Finback to ends the day nothing in sight etc etc

Friday May 14th

Begins a moderate gale from S ship standing to the S at 4 took in the S T sail at 8 it was too soon set it again at 4 saw a break set all dark and ran for it but it proved to be a Finback at dark double reefed and lay to the S at daylight set 11. Sail and Fells at 9 heavy squalls and rain took in the all sail and Fells Ends the same saw nothing but Finbacks Lat 23.30 Long 110.00

Saturday May 15th

Begins strong gale from S steered to the S at 4 saw a number Finbacks at dark took in sail and lay to the S at 8 latter part much the same saw a number Finbacks Lat 23.47 = 110.30

Sunday May 16th

Begins strong gales and squally stood to E under short sail at dark took in S and lay to the S at daylight set double reef T sails and then to the S Ends the same 1 sail in sight Lat 23.57 Long 109.57

Monday May 17th

Begins near moderate set the all sail on the T Galant sail at 4 spoke the ship Resolution Sails London 27 Months out 900 blb sperm oil had lost their Captain 8 months before the ship was painted entirely black the Boats the same on the account of the Captains Death at 4 saw plenty of Fin backs and a whale that had the appearance of a sperm whale but saw nothing more of it at dark double reefed and lay to the S at daylight set all sail and steered W at W Ends the same the Resolution in Company Lat 23.46

Tuesday May 18th

Begins fine weather steered to S W the Resolution in Company at dark took in sail and lay to the S latter part fine weather stood to the W saw nothing to ends nothing in sight Lat 23.57