

Remarks on board bound to the Westward
May 1845
Saturday the 24th

Sunday the 25th

Monday the 26th
steering S W by W

Tuesday the 27th
steering S W Lat 4-47 Long 97-45

Wednesday the 28th
steering to the Westward Lat 5-44 S Long 100-48

Thursday the 29th
First Part fresh breezes steering N by S at
sundown shortened sail & luffed to the wind
heading S S W set boats crew watches
Lat Part steering N N E so ends in Lat 6-01

Friday the 30th
First Part fresh gales steering N N E
at sundown luffed to the wind heading
N E by E Lat Part steering different courses
employed at various jobs of ships duty
so ends this Day in Lat 4-45 South
Miss M E D

Saturday the 31st
First Part employed at ships duty & ships in sight
at 5 P M saw a breach 4 points off the weather
distance 9 miles Lat Part employed as above & sails
in sight spoke the George Howland
so ends this Day

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May June 1845
Sunday the 1st
First Part light winds & pleasant weather 2 ships in
sight Lat Part at 9 A M saw whales at 10 lowered
the waist boat got fast & got stove the starboard
boat took the line & parted it the bow boat struck
the whale the starboard went on & fastened soon
killed him the starboard & bow boats went in
pursuit of the other whales the starboard boat
struck & the bow boat soon after so end this Day
in Lat 6-30 South

Monday the 2nd
First Part at 5 o'clock both whales along side
the ship at 4 commenced cutting at dark
got the body of one the whales in mid Part
laying by the whale Lat Part finished cutting the
two whales so ends this Day

Tuesday the 3rd
First Part commenced boiling at 2 P M saw
a large whale off the lee bow lowered the waist boat
struck killed him & took him to the ship mid Part
boiling Lat Part employed at boiling & cutting
so ends this Day

Wednesday the 4th
First Part employed as above mid & Lat Part employed
at boiling so ends this Day

Thursday the 5th
Employed as above so ends this Day

Friday the 6th
First Part finished boiling Lat Part at 6 P M
saw a large whale lowered & the starboard boat struck
killed the whale & took him to the ship
so ends this Day