

Ship Onward Cruising on the North West 1855

Remarks On Board Wednesday May the 2
this Day Commence with fine pleasant weather
and all sail set 3 P.M. Spoke Ship. Emerson
and all hands Well Middle part Steering 140°
and Rain Weather. Later part foggy weather and
the Stewart Down in the Run in 8 irons
Go and these 24 hours

Remarks On Board Thursday May the 3

this Day Commence with fresh breezes
from the W.N.W. with clear weather and sail
4 per Back and all hands Well and the
Stewart Down in the Run in irons Middle
part Calm and saw one white whale close
to the ship. Later part fresh gales from the
Westward with clear weather 11 A.M. took in
the fore and main top sail. Go and 24 hours

Lat 54 17 N
Long 152 15 W

Remarks On Board Friday May the 4

this Day Commence with fresh gales from
the Westward with clear weather and sailing to
beating to the Eastward all hands Well and the
Stewart Down in the Run in irons at
1 P.M. one white whale it rose to the surface
to the surface Middle part very squally. Later
much the same 9 P.M. saw 1 white whale
toward the boats for him and chase him with
but no success 11 P.M. took up the boats
Go and 24 hours

Lat 54 24 N
Long 151 45 W

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Remarks On Board Saturday May the 5

this Day Commence with fresh gales from the Westward
with squally weather and squally 1 P.M. saw 2 white whale
and lowered the boats and struck on of them and the
Lucy whale. Stave the mast part and the fast part but
her line of to pick up the crew and let the whale
5 P.M. took the store boat in board and let last 6 irons
and 4 2 lines 9 P.M. Short sail for the light
Later part fine pleasant weather and light breezes
and steering of 90° all sail set and saw nothing
Go and 24 hours

Lat 52 55 N
Long 149 39 W

Remarks On Board Sunday May the 5

this Day Commence fine pleasant weather and light
breeze from the Westward and steering of 90° and all
hands Well and the Stewart Down in the Run in
irons saw one span Back Middle part Calm
Later part fresh breezes from the S.E. with thick
foggy weather and double reefed the top sail
Go and these 24 hours

Lat by Dr 53 00 N
Long by Dr 150 20 W

Remarks On Board Monday May the 7

this Day Commence with light breezes from the
S.E. with thick foggy weather and all hands Well and
the Stewart Down in the Run in irons Middle
part Wind from the S.W. 5 P.M. near ship to the S.E.
Later part Wind and weather much the same and took
ship to the N. Go and these 24 hours

Lat by Dr 52 20 N
Long by Dr 151 10 W