

Abstract of St. Whaling Voyage

Sunday Oct. 25th

Light winds from the S.E.
with clear weather ship on different
tacks than land this day

Lat, 35.44.00

Lon, 21.46.00

Monday, Oct. 26th

Strong winds from the
E. and N.E. ship on eastern tack
latter part wind increasing
at 4 P.M. moderate gale saw a number
of finbacks, so ends this day

Lat, 36.43.00

Lon, 19.43.00

Tuesday, Oct. 27th

Moderate gale from
the N.E. with thick fog
and rain latter part wind
hauled to the N.W. still
continues thick ship heaving to
the E. and

Lat, 37.15.00

Lon, 17.21.00

Wednesday, Oct. 28th

Light winds from
the N.W. with fog ship steering
E. saw several sulphur bottom whales
at times when the fog let up
so ends

Lat, 37.24.16.42.00

on board the Ship Robert Edwards
this day, Oct. 29th

Light N.W. winds
with thick fog steering S.E. by
E. so ends this day

Lat, 36.41.00

Lon, 14.47.00

Thursday, Oct. 30th

Light air from
the N.E. and N.W. foggy at
times at 2 P.M. sighted the
island of Tristan D. Acunha,
bearing S.E. by E. 6.2.6. then
have experienced a heavy N. current
setting at the rate of 1.2 knots per hour
so ends this day
have had this current since leav-
ing the lat, 26. deg

Lat, 36.45.00

Lon, 13.39.00

Friday, Oct. 31st

Light winds from the
N. thick fog at times
ship steering in to the S.E. by
one sail in sight, latter part at 1
P.M. boarded the ship, Norman,
Morrison, of London with passengers
bound to Guam and, thick fog
saw a school of sperm whales at 5:
saw land, inaccessible, isle bearing N.
dis, 3 miles Lat, 37.25.00 Lon 12.15.00