

Tuesday Jan. 21st 1844

Begins & Ends with a fresh N. W. breeze.
At 2 o'clock P.M. raised a large sperm whale lower
boats & L. Boat got him. at 5 o'clock had him along
side & commenced cutting. at 9 o'clock finished
cutting in body & commenced boiling with the
head along side expecting better weather.

Lat. by Obs. 36° 28' S. Long. by Obs. 44° 16' W.

Monday 22nd

Begins with a strong breeze from E. S. E. & squally.
at 6 o'clock P.M. head rope parted & lost the head.
M. & L. part fresh breeze from the S. E. at 5 o'clock
P.M. commenced boiling again & c.

Lat. by Obs. 37° 30' S. Long. by Obs. 44° 04' W.

Tuesday 23rd

Begins & Ends with a fresh westerly breeze.
Watch employed in boiling. at 9 o'clock P.M. finished
boiling spoke ship splinter of Bartuchet 60 days
out Ocean. coming round the Cape. saw 4 sails.

Lat. by Obs. 36° 33' S. Long. by Obs. 44° 21' W.

Wednesday 24th

Begins & Ends with a fresh westerly breeze.
Latter part strong S. E. & c.

Lat. by Obs. 35° 49' S. Long. by Obs. 43° 48' W.

Tuesday Jan. 30th 1844

Begins with a fine Easterly breeze. M. part strong
breeze & rainy. L. part a gale from E. N. E. & a continu-
al rain.

Wednesday 31st

Begins with a fresh gale from E. N. E. & rainy.
M. part moderate. Latter part calm & foggy.

Lat. by Obs. 34° 20' S. Long. by Obs. 43° 07' W.

Thursday Feb. 1st

Begins & Ends foggy with a light baffling wind.
saw 2 sails & 2 pumps & c. Steering N. E. by S.

Friday 2nd

Begins & Ends with a light baffling wind. Steering N. E. & c.

Lat. by Obs. 35° 22' S. Long. by Obs. 43° 24' W.

Saturday 3rd

Begins with a moderate S. E. breeze under all sail
all day. L. part moderate baffling wind heading N. W.
commenced standing whole watches.

Lat. by Obs. 31° 52' S. Long. by Obs. 41° 55' W.