

Remarks off & on Mapapune

Thursday April 2nd 1841

First part with the Islands of Mapapune bearing SSW about 30 miles distance with a great number of Whales in sight and all of them to windward of us very shy for we have been in chase of them since 8 o'clock A.M. of the preceding day but could not get near them. Middle part Steved on the S.E. tack wind SSW.

La Latter part at 4 P.M. saw the same whales again with the weather smooth wind light and the Island bearing SW 30 miles put off struck a large one but the iron hook and we lost him. S. Encls took the boat up and steved along. Latitude of Ch 33.14 Long of Ch

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First part put off for the same whales and struck one but got 2 boats stove badly at night took the whale of the ship and took the boat in for repairs for the first time this voyage in lost a ~~fish~~ line. Middle part lay by with rainy weather Latter part began to cut in the whale at noon finished cutting. Latitude of Ch 33.20 Long of Ch 78.50

Saturday April 3rd

First part good weather with a moderate breeze from the South made sail and began to haul. Middle part stiff breeze from the S. Encls took the boat in for repairs. Latter part much the same still hauling. S. Encls with 3 men on the sick list. Latitude of Ch 33.18 Long of Ch 81.51

Sunday April 4th

First part stiff breeze from the S.E. still hauling. Middle part the same Latter part finished hauling same as sail to windward made sail and worked off. Latitude of Ch 33.12 Long of Ch 82.55

Monday April 5th

First part stiff breeze from the S.E. heading to the S. Middle part much the same Latter part strong breeze from the Islands bearing SSW 30 miles in thereabout made sail heading to the S.E. wind SSW. Latitude of Ch 33.7 Long of Ch 80.0

Ship Station

Thursday April 6th 1841

First part strong winds from the S.E. heading to the S. employed in mending boats and clearing down. Middle part much the same Latter part saw 3 men bearing S.E. 20 miles. Latitude of Ch 33.14 Long of Ch

Wednesday April 7th

First part weather cloudy with a moderate breeze from the South heading to the S. with 3 men on the sick list. Middle part much the same Latter part weather thick with a light breeze from the S. saw Mapapune. Latitude of Ch 33.20 Long of Ch

Thursday April 8th

First part weather good wind light on with the Island bearing SSW. Middle part much the same Latter part wind light kept off 41.44 saw a sail on employed in mending boats and other jobs with 3 men on the sick list. Latitude of Ch 33.30 Long of Ch

Friday April 9th

First part fine weather with a moderate breeze from the S.E. Islands of Mapapune bearing S.E. about 40 miles at 2 P.M. saw a school of large whales put off took one and got one boat stove at night took the whale to the ship. Middle part lay by Latter part calm began and finished cutting. S. Encls saw a big barrel 1.44. Latitude of Ch Long of Ch

Saturday April 10th

First part calm began to sail with 4 men on the sick list. Middle part 5 men sick Latter part calm. Latitude of Ch Long of Ch heard S.E.

Sunday April 11th

First part light air from the S.W. still hauling. Middle part stiff breeze Latter part much the same at 9 A.M. finished hauling and men for the Islands. It bearing S.E. 30 miles. S. Encls. Latitude of Ch 33.38 Long of Ch