

N. E. & E. N. E. from Sunday Island
Friday May 15th

Begins with a strong breeze &
pleasant weather and in eve with
the Mont. In the latter part a strong
breeze and trading S. E. & and in
ship in sight. Lat 25.24 S. Long 174.13 W.

Saturday May 16th

Begins with a strong breeze from the
S. W. and heave to the S. at 3 P.M.

Spent the forenoon in a small
under it to repair at Buvi
Ship to the S. W. the middle and
latter part fair weather and wind E
& E at Meridian we bent the fore
top sail and so on Lat 25.53 S.

Long 175.00 W.

 Sunday May 15th

Begins with a light breeze from the
S. E. & and trading S. W. and the ship
Mont. in sight at 8 P.M. took in
in sail and trading of W. & W. the
middle and latter part fine weather
and trading of to the westward and saw
a plenty of Finbacks so much that
24 boats. Lat 25.57 S. Long 175.59 W.

Monday May 19th

Begins with a fine breeze from N. E. &
and trading to the S. W. at 5 P.M.
went on board the Mont. the middle
& latter part thick weather and a strong
breeze Lat 26.22 S. Long 176.25 W.

Tuesday May 20th

Begins with a strong breeze from N. E. &
and trading of to the S. W. at 5 P.M. went
Ship to the eastward and took in sail for
the night the middle and latter part
blowing a gale and rainy wind from
N. E. & W. Lat 25.46 S. Long 177.00 W.

N. E. from Sunday Island
Wednesday May 21st

Begins with a gale from N. E. & W.
Heavy rain at 10 P.M. wind held to
W. and set fore sail the middle part wind
S. E. and latter part thick weather &
trading S. E. Lat 26.11 S. Long 175.50 W.

Thursday May 22nd

Begins with a fresh breeze from S. E. &
and heavier N. E. the weather thick
& rainy at 5 P.M. started sail for the
night the middle and latter part
and saw two ships but no whales so
and trading to the S. E. and no
whales Lat 25.34 S. Long 176.11 W.

Friday May 23rd

Begins with a light breeze from the
S. and trading S. E. at 5 P.M. started
sail for the night and left the S.
at 10 P.M. a light breeze from W. and trading
of S. E. and at 8 saw another ship a whale
and came chase at 10 in chase of whales
in chase with the Mont. and so on
at 12 miles Lat 25.05 S. Long 176.26 W.

Saturday May 24th

Begins with a fresh breeze from S. W. and
in chase of whales and at 2 P.M. struck
one and at 3 took her on side
 at 4 came on side at 8 got the
body in at 8 A.M. took in
the head at 9 saw more whales and the
weather had at 8 lower 3 boats for them
and did not see them after lowering
being very much at 10 came on board
started a light breeze ready to sail &
so forth Lat 25.00 S. Long 176.27 W.