

Ship Triton of New- Bedford Cruising

Sunday
Feb 16th. Commenced with brisk winds from the S. and Cloudy at 2 P.M. saw Spinn whales, and lowered, at 5 Do. returned to the Ship without success, at Sunset shortened Sail at Daylight made all Sail at 10 Am. saw a Whale at 10 Am. lowered two boats so ends the Day Steering on Different tracks by the wind Lat. 25-50 S. Long. 120-20 E.

Monday
Feb 17th. Commenced with brisk winds from the S. and smoky, at 4 P.M. the boats returned on board without success, at Sunset shortened Sail, at Daylight made all Sail so ends Steering on Different tracks by the wind.

Tuesday
Feb 18th. All these 24 hours brisk winds from the S. and smoky, Steering on Different tracks by the wind, under easy Sail through the night Lat. 25-58 S. Long. 109-57 E.

Wednesday
Feb 19th. First strong winds from the S. and smoky, Steering to the westward by the wind under Double reef, Middle part under short Sail at Daylight wore Ship and made all Sail, so ends these 24 hours Lat. 25-52 S. Long. 110-00 E.

Thursday
Feb 20th. Commenced with brisk winds from the S. by E. Steering to the Eastward by the wind at Sunset shortened Sail, at Daylight set the S. S. Double reef, at 4 Am. took Ship, at 10 spoke the Ship Barclay, Spruce, of New Bedford 10 ms. out 1200 bbls. of Whale oil Capt. Spruce came on board latter part more moderate all Sail set.

Friday
Feb 21st. Commenced with fine breezes from the S. S. E. Steering to the S. W. at Sunset shortened Sail, at 7 P.M. Capt. Spruce went on board, at Daylight made all Sail and Steered to the Eastward by the wind at 7 Am. spoke the Ship Ceres, Poly. of New Bedford 4 ms. out 180 bbls. of Spinn Capt. P. went on board at 9 Do. returned and Steered to the Northward so ends Lat. 26-04 S. Long. 110-40 E.

Sunday
Feb 22nd. All these 24 hours fresh Gales from the S. Steering on Different Courses to the Northward in company with the Ceres, and Barclay, lying under Short Sail through the night

on the Coast of New-Holland 1839.

Sunday
Feb 17th. Lat 24-57 S. Long 109-20 E. Commenced with brisk winds from the S. by E. Steering to the N. E. at Sunset shortened Sail, saw the Ceres to leeward Whaling, at Daylight set the S. Sails Double reef at 6 Am. saw the Ceres supposed to be cutting, latter part strong winds and smoky Steering to the S. E. so ends these 24 hours.

Monday
Feb 18th. Lat 23-32 S. Long 109-57 East. All these 24 hours fresh breezes from S. to S. W. and smoky Steering on Different Courses lying under easy Sail through night, at 10 Am. saw Spinn Whales going to windward eyes out so ends 3 Boats in pursuit of the Whales

Tuesday
Feb 19th. Lat 22-25 S. Long 110-14 E. Commenced with light winds and fine weather, at 1 P.M. the Boats returned without success, Middle and latter part light and from the westward and calm saw a to windward withing a whale so ends

Wednesday
Feb 20th. Lat 22-15 S. Long 110-02 E. Commenced with moderate winds and fine weather, at 1/2 past 5 P.M. saw a Spinn Whale and lowered 3 Boats, at Sunset returned without success, and shortened Sail, at Daylight made all Sail and Steered to the S. W. with winds from the W. S. W. so ends these 24 hours

Thursday
Feb 21st. Lat 21-58 S. Long 109-45 E. All these 24 hours moderate winds from the S. W. and fine weather Steering to the Southward by the wind lying under easy Sail through the night.

Friday
Feb 22nd. Lat 22-40 S. Long 110-26 E. All these 24 hours fine Breezes from the S. W. Steering to the S. S. E. by the winds all Sail set at 5 P.M. spoke the Barclay boiling at Sunset shortened Sail at Daylight made all Sail and Steered to the S. E. so ends

Saturday
Feb 23rd. Lat 22-19 S. Long 110-55 E. Commenced with fresh breezes from the S. W. Steering to the S. E. at 5 P.M. saw Spinn Whales and lowered 3 Boats, at 6 the S. B. fastened the Whale run and sounded out the line, the Starboard Boat bent an and took the tow, could not get to the whale at Lark cut the line and returned to the Ship