

# Remarks on Board Ship Wm Hamilton

Tuesday Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> Commences with strong breezes from the W & W later part rain all hands employed in stowing oil one strange sail in sight was the French Rock in sight

Wednesday Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> Commences with moderate breezes from the West middle and latter part the same all hands employed in stowing oil so ends their watch in sight of the French Rock

Thursday Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> Commences with moderate breezes from the West middle and latter part the same all hands employed in breaking out Retriever coals and the French Rock in sight

Friday Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> Commences with light breezes and Calm middle and latter part the same saw Black fish got one all hands employed in cleaning Ship so ends their watch in sight of the French Rock

Saturday Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> Commences with light breezes middle and latter part the same the watch employed in Ship's duty at 1 P.M. one boat went to the Rock for fish at 7 returned with one hundred so ends their watch the French Rock in sight

Sunday November 1<sup>st</sup> 1888 Commences with moderate breezes from the S & W middle and latter part the same the watch employed in Ship's duty so ends their watch in sight of Macaulay's Rock

Monday Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> Commences with light breezes middle and latter part the same Sperm Whales did not lower it being too late at 8 P.M. spoke Barque Jane of Sidney's mouth out 300 barrels oil so ends their watch Macaulay's rock in sight

Tuesday Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> Commences with moderate breezes middle and latter part strong breezes from the S & W with rain the watch employed in Ship's duty so ends their watch still in sight of Macaulay's Rock

# On a Whaling Voyage in the Pacific Ocean

Wednesday Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> Commences with strong breezes from the Westward middle and latter part the same the watch employed in Ship's duty two strange sail in sight so ends Macaulay's Rock in sight

Thursday Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> Commences with moderate breezes from the West latter part strong breezes and squally the watch employed in Ship's duty saw fin Backs a strange sail in sight so ends the French Rock in sight

Friday Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> Commences with moderate breezes from the West middle and latter part the same at 2 P.M. saw a Sperm Whale lowered the Boats and took him to the L B Boat took it along side and cut off the head so ends their watch

Lat by obs 31:20

Saturday Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> Commences with light breezes from the West middle and latter part the same all hands employed in cutting and Boiling so ends their twenty four hours Lat by obs 31:45

Sunday Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> Commences with light breezes middle and latter part the same all hands employed in Boiling saw breacher so ends their twenty four hours Lat by obs 31:56

Monday Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> Commences with moderate breezes from the West latter part strong breezes at 8 P.M. finished Boiling one strange sail in sight so ends their watch Lat by obs 32:19

Tuesday Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> Commences with strong breezes from the S & W middle and latter part strong gales from the S & W the watch employed in Ship's duty so ends their watch Lat by obs 32:29

Wednesday Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> Commences with light breezes from the S & W middle and latter part squally with rain saw Black fish lowered the Boats and obtained one the watch employed in Ship's duty so ends their watch

Lat by obs 32:00 Long by Ch. 179:10