

# Remarks on board Ship Wm Hamilton

Sunday May 23<sup>d</sup> Commences with strong gales from the Northward with rain thunder and lightning latter part moderate all hands employed in cutting and boiling down  
No Observation

Monday May 24<sup>th</sup> Commences with strong gales from the Northward middle and latter part the same all hands employed in boiling at 8 o'clock lost one whale from alongside, so ends then twenty four hours  
Lat 50° 23' 20"

Tuesday May 25<sup>th</sup> Commences with strong breezes, middle and latter part the same at 5 o'clock finished boiling at 9 o'clock spoke ship Swift of New Bedford 35 months out with 2000 barrels oil so ends then 24 hours  
Lat 23° 70'

Wednesday May 26<sup>th</sup> Commences with strong breezes from the N.E. at 5 P.M. saw a sperm whale covered the Boat and obtained out to the main Boat and took it alongside at 5 P.M. spoke ship Japan of Nantucket with 950 barrels oil three strange sail in sight middle and latter part moderate, so ends then 24 hours  
Lat 50° 23' 25"

Thursday May 27<sup>th</sup> Commences with moderate breezes from the Southward middle and latter part the same all hands employed in cutting and boiling, saw a fin back three strange sail in sight so ends then 24 hours  
Lat 50° 23' 30" Long 174° 70'

Friday May 28<sup>th</sup> Commences with moderate breezes from the S.E. middle and latter part the same all hands employed in boiling so ends then 24 hours  
Lat 50° 23' 10"

Saturday May 29<sup>th</sup> Commences with strong breezes from the S.E. middle and latter part the same at 11 o'clock finished boiling all hands employed in stowing down oil so ends then 24 hours  
Lat 50° 23' 11" Long 175° 17'

# on a Whaling Voyage in the Pacific Ocean

Sunday May 30<sup>th</sup> Commences with strong breezes from the S.E. middle and latter part the same all hands employed in stowing down oil, two strange sail in sight, so ends  
Lat 50° 23' 17"

Monday May 31<sup>st</sup> Commences with strong gales from the S.E. middle and latter part the same all hands employed in stowing oil and clearing ship so ends then 24 hours  
No observation

Tuesday June 1<sup>st</sup> Commences with strong gales from the S.E. middle and latter part the same took in the fore and main top sails, blew up the main and set the fore spencer so ends then twenty four hours  
Lat 50° 24' 36"

Wednesday June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1836 Commences with strong gales from the S.E. latter part moderate, made sail, the water employed in ship duty at 6 o'clock spoke the Wm. Whit so ends  
Lat 50° 24' 22"

Thursday June 3<sup>rd</sup> Commences with strong breezes from the N.E. middle and latter part the same the water employed in ship duty so ends then twenty four hours  
Lat 50° 24' 10"

Friday June 4<sup>th</sup> Commences with moderate breezes from the N.E. middle and latter part the same all hands employed in repairing sails at 11 o'clock spoke ship Christopher Mitchell of Nantucket 21 months out with 2000 barrels of oil so ends then 24 hours  
Lat 50° 24' 00"

Saturday June 5<sup>th</sup> Commences with strong breezes at 8 o'clock saw sperm whales the Boat in company with the Mitchell fastened to our Bow Boat and stove it cut the line one of the Mitchell Boat fastened the Whale took two lines and went off so ends  
Lat 50° 23' 49"