

Remarks on board of the Ship William Hamilton, Home ward bound

Wednesday, April the 7th.
Commences with strong breezes from the S.W. steering N.W. & the brig in sight
Middle & latter light breezes & Calm so Ends.

Lat. 32. 26. S. Long. 42. 36. W.

Thursday, April the 8th.
Commences with light breezes from the N.E. with fog. heading N.W. by W.
Middle & latter squalls at 10. & 11. Galled all hands & took in all sail at 11. set
double reefed fore & main top sails wind N.W. with rain so Ends. No obs.

Friday, April the 9th.
Commences with heavy gales from the N.E. at 2. Galled all hands &
took in the main top sail steering S. under a double reefed fore top sail
on the bar, sail enough at 5. split the fore top sail & brought the ship to
the wind under bare poles at 8. lost the starboard leg. latter heading N.W. by W.
latter more moderate made sail steering W. by N. the watch employed
in landing a fore top sail. so Ends.

No obs. this day.

Saturday, April the 10th.
Commences with moderate breezes from the W.N.W. with rain, at 4. strong
gale from S.W. steering W.N.W. under double reefed fore & main top sails &
fore sail Middle the same latter more moderate made sail so Ends.

Lat. 46. 1. S. Long. 43. 28. W.

Sunday, April the 11th.
Commences with strong breezes from the S.W. steering N.W. & with all
sail set Middle shortened sail latter strong breezes from N.W. by W.
so Ends.

Lat. 44. 0. S. Long. 40. 60. W.

Monday, April the 12th.
Commences with strong breezes from N.W. steering N.W. by E. from water
Middle N.E. by E. latter fresh breezes from the S.W. steering N.W. by E.
so Ends.

Lat. 42. 1. S. Long. 38. 44. W.

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Tuesday, April the 13th.
Commences with strong breezes from the S.W. steering N.W. by E. Middle & latter the
same so Ends.

Lat. 39. 14. S. Long. 37. 33. W.

Wednesday, April the 14th.
Commences with strong breezes from the S.W. steering N.W. by E. Middle light
breezes latter strong breezes from N.W. by E. heading N.E. at 11. saw sperm whale
toward two boats. the Larboon's boat struck the whale took the line & went off
so Ends with a storven boat by it. red.

Lat. 36. 30. S. Long. 35. 40. W.

Thursday, April the 15th.
Commences with strong breezes from the S.W. heading N.W. by E. under double
reefed top sail Middle the same latter strong breezes from S.W. steering N.W. by E.
so Ends.

Lat. 35. 44. S. Long. 34. 39. W.

Friday, April the 16th.
Commences with strong breezes from S.W. steering N.W. by E. latter set
sludding sails before aloft. wind S.W. so Ends.

Lat. 32. 40. S. Long. 32. 12. W.

Saturday, April the 17th.
Commences with fresh breezes from the S.W. steering N.W. by E. with all sail set
Middle light squalls of rain. latter pleasant wind S.W. with watch
employed in repairing the fore top sail. so Ends.

Lat. 30. 20. S. Long. 32. 42. W.

Sunday, April the 18th.
Commences with pleasant breezes from S.W. steering N.W. by E. with all
sail set Middle the same latter set. set sludding sails both sides so Ends.

Lat. 27. 47. S. Long. 32. 12. W.

Monday, April the 19th.
Commences with light breezes from S.W. steering N.W. by E. with all sail set
Middle & latter part the same so Ends.

Lat. 25. 35. S. Long. 31. 34. W.