

Log Book of whaling
Bark Bertha
Captain M. F. Gomes

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April Tuesday 25-1905 on the whaling
voyage of the bark Bertha capt M.
F. Gomes. at 10.20 a.m. left up anchor
and ~~put~~ off rough hill let go
at 11.30 a.m. at noon the wind
let go and came from S.W. made
sail and beat out at 7.30 p.m.
no man's land off the lee beam
heading S.E. short diron under top
sails and ~~courses~~ ^{courses} latter part the same
so ends

April Wednesday 26-1905 these day began
with thick weather heading S.E.
under short sail brock out
molluses and tow line and
regger up the boat over east
later part the same so ends
Sat 40.09

April Thursday 27-1905 these day began with
light southerly winds and thick
weather got true regger the boat
later part calm and light rain
and at 7 p.m. thick fog under
lower topsail at 9 p.m. light breeze
from the northern steer W.S.W.
so ends

April Friday 28-1905 these day begins with
fresh NE. and cloudy running steer
S.W. under upper main topsail
and fore sail later part the same
at 7 p.m. thick weather so ends