

Journal

Friday 2 May

Light winds and clear weather employed about the rigging blacksmith hard at work

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N W	N N E	22 45	174° E

Saturday 3 May

Light winds and clear weather throughout this day variously employed about the rigging

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N N W	East		

Sunday 4 May

Clear weather with strong breezes throughout from the South East

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N N W	S E		

Monday 5 May

Strong breezes with hazy weather throughout saw a large shoal of Black fish did not lower for them on account of losing time and the breeze split the fore top mast shrouding rail

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N N W 1/2 W	S E to S		

Tuesday 6 May

First part cloudy thick weather with light breezes from the South to S E in when it hailed to Wind N W latter part clear weather employed painting the bow and larboard boats

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N N W, N N E	S to N W	31° 5'	172° 7' E

Wednesday 7 May

Light air with clear weather from the West at 4h 20m P.M. raised sperm whales on the larboard beam four miles off lowered and the larboard boat and waist boats struck the waist boat cut from her whale at dusk got one and took him along side at 12h P.M. at day light begun cutting in at 12h P.M. finished cutting

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Wednesday 7 May 1845

made sail again and stood to the north the whales going to the Westward

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N N E	West	31° 16'	172° 20' E

Thursday 8 May

Light winds and overcast steering by the wind to the North and Westward employed hauling out nothing in sight whatever

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N N W	North		

Friday 9 May

Light winds from North to North East and overcast at 8h P.M. finished hauling latter part employed stowing away the oil

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N W	N to N E		

Saturday 10 May

Light winds from the East and overcast steering N N W nothing in sight

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N N W	East	34° 14'	170° 26' E

Sunday 11 May

Foggy thick weather throughout this day at 8h P.M. lowered after black fish waist boat struck later in the day got a sun fish

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N N W	S E	35° 45'	169° 54' E

Monday 12 May

Blowing a strong gale through this day a very thick foggy weather saw several whales to day of some kind

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N W by N	S to S W		

Tuesday 13 May

Blowing the heaviest gale that we have had this voyage from S W to W with a tremendous sea running lying to heading to the North

Courses	Winds	Lat	Long
N W by N	S W to W	38° 50'	169° 3'