

Thursday April 18 1873

Lat 32.11 First part of this day blowing a gale from the ENE with rain and fog. Middle part the same Latter part moderate the wind hauled into the westward ship under close reef main top sail. Saw one sail and so ends this day.

Friday April 19

Lat 32.50 First part light breeze from the WNW Long 177.44 and fine weather ship on the port tack heading N by E under all sail. Middle and Latter parts the same. Saw one sail. Broke out water and a coil of eighteen thread rattling stuff at sun down took in sail hung a new grind stone and so ends this day.

Saturday April 20

Lat 31.45 First part of this day light breeze from the WNW at day light made all sail steering N by E. Two sails in sight about 8 A.M. Bark Elina raised a school of sperm whales. Lowered three boats from each ship whales going to the windward quick did not fasten at sun down took in sail and spoke the Bark Elina and so ends.

Sunday April 21

Lat 31.09 First part of this day light breeze from the W. Middle part the same Latter part light airs and calms. Saw two sails at sun down took in sail and so ends.

Monday April 22 1873

Lat 31.20 First part light breeze from the ENE with frequent rain squalls. Middle part blowing on took in the light sails and upper top sails. Latter part the same took all sail except close reef main top sail. Broke out Reef and Polk and bread saw three sails and so ends.

Tuesday April 23

First part of this day blowing a gale from the ENE with rain and fog. Middle and Latter parts the same saw one sail and so ends.

Wednesday April 24

First part of this day blowing a gale from the ENE with rain and fog. Middle and Latter parts the same wore ship at day light and sun down at sun down took in the main top sail and so ends.

Thursday April 25

Lat 32.58 First part of this day strong breeze from the ENE with fog. Middle part the same ship under close reef main top sail. Latter part wind light weather hazy. Saw jumpers. Started water. Wore ship at day light and sun down heading N. on the starboard tack and SE on the other and so ends.

Friday April 26

Lat 33.05 First part of this day moderate breeze from the Eastward. Ship on the port tack steering N. Middle and Latter parts the same. Started water. Saw one sail at sun down took in the light sail and so ends this day.