

Thursday May 14-1875

First-part of this day strong breeze from the W. ship working to the W. middle and Latter parts the same. Saw two sails. Repaired the fore top mast stay sail. Rove new cutting falls. Repaired the cutting stage and put it out and so ends this day.

Friday May 15

Lat 33.40 Long 119.35 First-part of this day strong breeze from the S.W. middle and Latter parts light-breeze at 10 A.M. spoke ship Niger Capt. Kallett 7 miles out 650 all told saw two other sails and so ends this day.

Saturday May 16

First-part of this day strong breeze from the N.W. ship working to the N. middle and Latter parts the same. Saw one sail wet hold. Sent down the main sail at sun down shortened sail and so ends.

Sunday May 17

First-part of this day strong breeze from the N. ship working to the W. middle part the same Latter part thick and rainy. Saw one sail and so ends this day.

Monday May 18

First-part of this day light breeze from the N with heavy rain. Middle part the same. Latter parts wind from the S.W. ship steering N. Saw nothing. Rove new gib halysds. and so ends this day.

Tuesday

May 19-1875

First-part of this day good breeze from the S.W. ship steering N by W. Weather fine. middle and Latter parts the same. Employed in repairing the main sail. about 2 P.M. Edmund Weeks raised a sperm whale on the weather bow. lowered three boats with out success at sun down saw French Rock shortened sail and luffed too on the port tack heading N.W. and so ends this day.

Wednesday May 20

First-part of this day light breeze from the W. ship beating to the W. middle and Latter parts the same. Saw several fin backs. Employed in repairing the main sail at sun down shortened sail and so ends.

Thursday May 21

First-part of this day blowing a gale from the W. with frequent rain squalls. Ship under storm sails heading N by W. middle and Latter parts the same. Saw nothing and so ends.

Friday May 22

First-part of this day moderate breeze from the W. at day light saw Sunday Island. kept off steering N.E. run close to the land middle and Latter parts the same. finished the main sail and repaired lower fore top sail at sun down luffed too on the starboard tack.

Saturday May 23

First-part light-breeze ship steering N.E. middle and Latter parts the same. Repaired the bob stay. Started water. Captain Blacksmithing. Saw Sunday Island. at sun down shortened sail and so ends this day.