

Wednesday March 30

First part of this day strong breeze from the N. with rain. at day light went to cutting. finished about 4 P.M. Cleared up and started the works about 10 A.M. Saw nothing. and so ends this day.

Thursday March 31

Lat 31.46 Long 118.19 First part of this day moderate breeze from the S.W. Weather good. Ship working to the S. Middle and Latter parts the same. Still boiling. Started water just before sun set. Domingo Cruise raised a school of sperm whales on the lee bow 6 miles off. never lowered the boats. Saw the Rock. and so ends this day.

Friday April 1

First part of this day moderate breeze from the S. Still boiling. middle part raining cool down. Latter part fine weather started the works again. Saw French Rock. and so ends this day.

Saturday April 2

Lat 31.48 Long 118.05 First part of this day moderate breeze from the S.W. Weather good. Ship working to the S. Middle part strong breeze Latter part the same. finished boiling at 7 A.M. at noon went to stowing down in the fore peak. got down about 60 barrels the whale turned up 96 barrels and so ends.

Sunday April 3

First part light breeze from the S.E. middle and Latter parts the same. Saw grampuses and the rock bearing N. and so ends this day.

Monday April 4-1876

Lat 31.48 Long 117.22 First part of this day moderate breeze from the S.E. ship working to the S.E. middle and Latter parts the same. finished stowing down about noon. about 10 A.M. spoke Capt Hallet of the ship Niger saw the rock bearing N by W distance 30 miles at sun down. and one sail supposed to be the Bark Hunter and so ends.

Tuesday April 5

First part of this day good breeze from the S.E. ship beating to the S.E. middle and Latter parts the same. Saw one sail and the rock. Employed generally and so ends.

Wednesday April 6

First part of this day good breeze from the S.E. by S. ship on the port tack heading S.W. middle and Latter parts the same. Employed generally. Saw nothing and so ends.

Thursday April 7

First part of this day strong breeze from the S.E. by S. ship on the port tack heading S.W. middle and Latter parts the same. Saw nothing. started 4 1/2 barrels of Pork and a cask of water. Cooper repairing the harness cask and so ends this day.

Friday April 8

First part of this day strong breeze from the S.E. ship heading to the S.W. middle and Latter parts beating to the S. Saw two sails. Employed generally. and so ends this day.