

April Crossing off Goat Island

Tues 3rd

Fore part calm, Goat Island in sight
and on sail (A Gibbs) some rain
Latter part light airs from N. to N.W.
Ship on different tacks, some rain

Wed 4th

Fore part light airs from the N.W. ship
on different tack, Sunday and G. Islands
in sight and one sail
Latter part the same as fore part

Thurs 5th

Fore part fine, light breeze S.W.
Sunday Island in sight and two
sails, Latter part fine wind
S.W. ship on different tack
Washed our bone today

Fri 6th

Fore part quite a strong breeze E.S.E. ship
on port tack at 7 a.m. raised sperm
whales lowered 4 boats & Boat struck
and saved one
Latter part good weather wind E.S.E.
cut in our whale and started the
works Lat 29-28 Lon 178-54

Sat 7th

Fore part wind E.S.E. ship on port
tack boiling
Latter part fine, wind E.S.E. bore
Ship finished boiling 30th
Lat 30-28

Sunday 8th

Fore part wind E. ship on different
tacks by the wind
Latter part the same as fore part
see one Merchantman bound Southward
Lat 30-34 Lon 178-44



Carving

Mon 9th

Fore part strong breeze E.N.E. ship on different
tacks stowed our oil
Latter part the same as fore part
Lat 30-26 Lon 178-26

Tues 10th

Fore part strong breeze E.N.E. ship on
star-tack most of the time C. Rocks in
sight, Latter part strong breeze E.N.E.
Ship on star-tack Curtis Rocks in sight

Wed 11th

Fore part strong breeze N.E. C. Rocks in
sight, Latter part blowing strong N.E.
Ship on star-tack, G. Island and one
sail in sight but no whales

Thurs 12th

Fore part squally wind N.E. and blowing
strong run off to leeward of C. Rocks
and come too on port tack
Latter part all kinds of weather
the wind going all around the compass
with plenty of rain

Fri 13th

Fore part light breeze N.N.E. ship
on different tacks C. Rocks in sight
Latter part the same as fore part

Sat 14th

Fore part light breeze N.W. run off to
the eastward of C. Rocks see one sail
(the Alaska) Latter part fine light
breeze N.W. raised spouts & lowered
4 boats but found them to be blackfish

Sunday 15th

Fore part fine wind N. ship on
different tacks C. Rocks and G. Island
in sight, Latter part wind
N.N.E. ship on different tacks
one sail in sight to windward
G. Island bearing N.W.