

Feb 18

Brig Catherine of Westport off the river Lap
Tuesday 10th begins with a gale of wind from N.W.
The said whale came with in two parts of the big
did not mind his any the middle and latter
part the same with a gale of wind so ends
Lat by obs 38°26 South Long by Chro 47°05 West

Wednesday 11th begins with the same At sundown began
to moderate the middle light air from S.W. were
ship to the west made sail the middle and
latter part the same with a gale of wind so ends
Lat by obs 37°44 South Long by Chro 47°03 West

Thursday 12th begins with a fine breeze from S.W.
At 3 P.M. saw a sail off the lee quarter At
sundown took in sail in the afternoon rose new
main lifts the middle and latter calm took
back out the after hold and put it in the
fore peak to trim the vessel 25 bls saw several
schools of grampuses one sail on the lee beam so
Lat by obs 37°36 South Long by Chro 47°06 West

Friday 13th begins with a light breeze and calm from
East heading S.E. people employed trimming the
vessel the middle part light breeze from North
latter part a fine breeze from N.W. people
employed at ships duty so ends this 24 hours
Lat by obs 38°18 South Long by Chro 47°30 West

Saturday 14th begins with a strong breeze And
suddenly from N.E. saw several blunt nose
grampuses the middle and latter the same At
sunrise saw spouts looked like sperm whales
got back fast and bore they were giving quick
to the windward did not know what they were
At 8 came on board so ends this 24 hours
Lat by obs 38°25 South Long by Chro 47°46 West

Sunday 15th begins with a strong breeze from N.W.
At 5 P.M. hoisted the fore topsail and close reefed
the main the middle part squally At 5 P.M.
set the fore topsail and foresail with a fine
breeze from South At 10 A.M. turned the
vessel out of the topsails standing to the
westward with fine clear weather so ends
Lat by obs 38°41 South Long by Chro 48°06 West

Feb 19

Jonathan H. Lushington. Master In February 1846
Monday 16th begins with a light breeze from South
to South West fine pleasant weather At 5 P.M.
saw a sail fore points on the weather bow At
sundown took in sail as usual At daylight took
in sail hoisted the fore topsail At 8 P.M. ship
hoisted fore sail with a gale of wind from S.W.
Lat by obs 38°32 South Long by Chro 47°20 West

Tuesday 17th begins with more moderate At 1 P.M.
set fore sail broke out after hold fore broad
the middle the same At sunrise hoisted the fore
sail with a northern gale of wind from S.W. West
heading West by compass so ends this 24 hours
Lat by obs 37°54 South Long by Chro 47°16 West

Wednesday 18th begins with a strong breeze from South
being heavy swell on and squally going to murder
Close reef main topsail and reef foresail reefed topsail
fore spinnaker and stay sail the middle and latter
part the same with rain squalls so ends this day
Lat by obs 37°52 South Long by Chro 47°36 West

Thursday 19th begins with more moderate turned
the reef with the foresail masted the mast heads
with the fore topsail hoisted At sundown light breeze
the middle and latter part light air and calm
saw grampuses set all sail as required so ends
Lat by obs 38°07 South Long by Chro 47°16 West

Friday 20th begins with light air and calm employed at
ships duty set up main top galant rigging backstay
At 5 P.M. saw a sail a storm coming South off duty
and rished holding the middle and latter part light
breeze and fine spoke bark yeoman the 3 bombards of fire
saw grampuses and squid so ends this 24 hours
Lat by obs 38°38 South Long by Chro 47°35 West
At 9 A.M. took a distance of miles East of Chro

Saturday 21th begins with fine weather steered to the
South East wind from North At sundown spoke
the barrow saw a northern sail to the North
the middle and latter part fine At daylight
rose ship to the West reefed fore topsail
saw a brook a storm so ends this 24 hours
Lat by obs 37°48 South Long by Chro 48°50 West