

Margaritta Bay. At anchor. February 10th /66

Saturday February 10th /66
employed cutting. got inside and stood a short distance
wind came ahead. came to anchor again. the boats
whaling. at night the tiller boat came along side
having been fast to a whale & had to cut

Sunday February 11th /66

Commenced fine & continued so all day. employed
three boats of whaling. Wain boat in charge of the
main. Being unwell myself I did not go, but
in. Wain boat struck a calf. & after a while the
Starboard boat struck the same calf. but untill near
dark & dawned. boats got to the ship about 11:00
Let the Schooner Satter have some provisions & get look out in exchange

Monday February 12th /66

Commenced moderate & continued so all day three
boats of whaling. finished boiling about 12:00

Tuesday February 13

Commenced fine & continued so all day three boats
of whaling but saw nothing

Wednesday February 14th /66

Commenced moderate. sent three boats of
Clarks & again got in with a whale. the Starboard
boat struck & killed it. took it to the ship about
11:00. hauled up the boat. & cut in the whale

Thursday February 15th /66

commenced with thick fog. sent three boats up to
Clarks Lagoon. saw two whales (I think) chased
untill nearly dark. & then went ashore & stayed all
night

Friday February 16th /66

commenced foggy. sent the beach as soon as the
fog lifted raised a whale. and chased some
out the Lagoon. the Stiller took to the calf
& the Wain boat struck the bow Starboard boat
killed. got him to the ship about dark.

Saturday February 17th /66

Ship employed cutting a whale. two boats off on the
flats. at 10:00 hauled the other two boats & all
went up Clarks Lagoon went ashore & camped at
night.

Sunday February 18th

commenced foggy. sent up about 9:00 went up the Lagoon. got
in with a whale. Starboard boat struck & Bow boat
struck B. hauled & raised whale. sent ashore & stayed

Monday February 19th /66

few boats employed towing a whale to the ship
took him along side about 5:00 and cut him
in finished about 7:00

Tuesday 20 Wednesday 21 Thursday 22 Friday 23 Saturday 24 Sunday 25
& Monday 26 employed whaling up the Lagoon. during
these last few days the Bow boat struck & killed
& the Starboard boat struck two & saved them
the mate killed one of them. On Friday the
Bark of D. Thompson & Oliver Crocker arrived
the former with 300 latter 300

Wednesday February 28th believe birth day
came from the Lagoon to the saw nothing.

Thursday March 1st /66
all hands on board, employed steering down

Friday March 2nd /66

fine weather employed steering down. F. B. & Starboard
boats of whaling saw nothing.

Saturday March 3rd /66

employed steering down. in finished at 6:00. put
a little between decks

Sunday (Monday) March 4th /66

this day commenced with a thick fog. intended to
have gone to work but being the Sabbath postponed
it. about 1:00 the B. boat went fishing. the water boat
went gaming on board the Bark Oliver Crocker
spent the afternoon very pleasantly

Monday March 5th /66

commenced foggy. employed steering of the saws for the
fore part latter part washing ship inside.

Tuesday March 6th /66

employed for part washing ship outside. about 2:00
happened & went to sea. in company with the Oliver
Crocker. Outside of the heads of 1:00 latter part
very high all sail set steering along the land
about S.E.

Wednesday March 7th /66

Commenced light & continued so through the day. going
to the S.E. all sail set employed in ships duty

Thursday March 8th /66 Lat. 24:00 Long. 111:11

commenced light. middle part the same. at 6:00 a boat went
ashore at Cape St. Louis. latter part strong going of 9 on
to Cape St. Louis. Lat. 23:37 Long. 111:11