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## Remarks on Board Barque C. W. Morgan

Monday August 22<sup>d</sup>

This day begins with Calm in the first part of the day in the latter light air from N.E. two vessels in sight we suppose to be whalers at 1 P.M. made sail and steered by the wind

Tuesday August 23<sup>d</sup>

Light breeze from E.N.E. in the first part of the day two whalers in sight we take off W. in the latter part light air we spoke Brig Henry Brown Bridge

Wednesday August 24<sup>th</sup>

Light breeze from E.S.E. in the first of the day and smooth saw three vessels Bark Seine Brig Henry Brown Bridge and Mermaid and we saw Seine raised a large whale to windward we lower our boats and pull to windward with Mermaid but no chance in latter part light breeze from S.E. and left and come aboard got aboard at 5 P.M. at sundown took in all sails

Lat. 35-12 Long. 46-42

Thursday August 25<sup>th</sup>

Light breeze and variable wind all this day and rain squall by times two vessels in sight one Brig and Bark at sundown took in all sails

Friday August 26<sup>th</sup>

Light breeze from S.E. in the first part of the day saw number ships whalers and merchantmen but we did not speak any one

Lat. 35-50 Long. 45-54

Henry  
Brown  
BridgeMermaid  
Seine  
Brig  
Henry  
Brown  
Bridge  
Saw  
WhaleBrig  
in  
sight  
Henry  
Brown  
Bridge

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## C. F. Keith Master Cruising on western ground

Saturday August 27<sup>th</sup>

Light breeze from S.W. in the first part of the day and Barque heading E. windward with all sails out saw two whalers one Brig and Bark in the latter part rainy weather with thunder and lightning at 5 P.M. we took in all sails but close reef top sails at sundown wind about W.

Brig  
close  
bySunday August 28<sup>th</sup>

Strong breeze from S.W. and squally in first part of the day Barque steering N.W. under close reef top sails middle and latter part moderate and wind hauled to W. we steered N. at sundown took in sails Lat. 48-24 Long. 38-27

Monday August 29<sup>th</sup>

Strong breeze and heavy squall from S.W. with rain storm Barque steered N.W. under close reef top sails and fore sail in the latter part moderate and Barque steered N.E.

Heavy  
SquallTuesday August 30<sup>th</sup>

This day begins with strong breeze from N.W. in the first part of the day in the latter part more moderate and hauled to North and Barque steered by the wind heading about E.N.E. with whole main in top sail and courses jib & spanker

Wednesday August 31<sup>st</sup>

Fresh breeze from N.W. in the first part of the day middle part pleasant in the latter rain squall and Barque steered E. with all sails out at sundown we came to and took in sails all but close reef main top sail and fore all