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Remarks on Board Bark. C. W. Morgan

Monday Jan. 7th

Light breeze from N.N.W. and Bark steering S.W. at 9:30 A.M. we saw the Island Chatham middle part the same but in the latter part the weather became cloudy at 6 P.M. commenced to rain we wore ship and head to N.E. under two lower top sails 44 Barring about S.W. from the ship

Tuesday Jan. 8th

This day begins with light breeze from N. hauling to N.N.W. middle part foggy in the latter part became clear the Island in sight at 7 P.M. got breeze from N.N.W. made sails and stood in for the Island

Wednesday Jan. 9th

Fresh breeze from N.N.W. we saw land in the morning run in at 6 A.M. sent one Boat ashore the mate because the Captain is sick and Boat got back at 9 A.M. with letters but I did not get any we took in top sails and started to eastward with strong breeze from N.W.

Thursday Jan. 10th

Strong breeze from N. to N.N.W. all day the Bark under easy sails the Island in sight

Friday Jan. 11th

Strong breeze from N.N.W. and thick fog in the first part of the day the Bark under small sails in latter part the wind hauled to W. and S. the weather became clear we saw the Island at 7:30 P.M. we wore ship heading to E.S.E. the Island Baring N.N.W.

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of New Bedford Co. F. Keith Master on whaling

Saturday Jan. 12th

Light breeze from S.W. and clear hauling to N.N.W. by times we stood in for the Island but the wind bout died out so we could not get to the harbor in the latter part calm the ship about half way from pits to the Big Chatham & 44 bearing about N.E. at 5:30 P.M. near enough to see a vessel to an anchor at Big Chatham

Sunday Jan. 13th

Fresh breeze from N. and N.N.W. in the first part of the day middle part squally and rainy and we close to the Island stood in to pits and sent Boat shore mate and Captains wife and Son sick got few sheep and few Potatoes Saw Alaska and Gamed the Bark under short sails we left pits

Monday Jan. 14th

Strong breeze from S. to S.S.W. all day the Island in sight and Barge Alaska we are under easy sail but we did not game this day

Tuesday Jan. 15th

Strong breeze from W. in the first of the day the Island in sight in the middle part became blowy and wind hauling to N.W. and N.N.W. latter part the same at 2:30 P.M. Alaskay Being in sight the Captain Fisher came on Board and stood about hour to see my Captain and he left at 3:30 eve Lye to and to in fore top sail at N. we saw H.B. we run for him but the weather being so bad we could not see him again our Captain still sick and his wife is a shore and son