

Ship Circumstances of Stonington Williams

Monday Jan 28th 57
Sails with strong gales from west
and runs heading S.S.W under close
reefed top sails middle and later part
the same so ends these 24 hours
Lat by Ob 67.00 South Long 71.24 West

Tuesday Jan 29th 57
Comes in with strong gales from
W.S.W heading S.W under short
sail at 2 P.M. wears ship heading
S.S.E middle and later part the same
so ends so ends

Wednesday Jan 30th 57
Comes in with strong gales from
West heading S.S.W under close
reefed top sails middle part the same
later part more moderate at 5 P.M. wears
ship heading W.S.W so ends
Lat by Ob 55.07 South Long 72.00 West

Thursday Jan 31th 57
Commences with good weather and
moderate winds from S.W heading
W.S.W carrying all sail at 9 P.M.
wears ship heading S.S.W so ends
so ends

Friday Feb 1st 57
Commences with moderate winds
from West and runs heading S.S.W
middle and later part good weather
heading West carrying all sail so ends
Lat by Ob 55.26 South Long 75.64 West

Master Bound On A Whaling voyage

Saturday Feb 2nd 57
Commences with good weather and
light winds from S.W heading W.S.W
middle and later part much the same so ends
Lat by Ob 55.18 South Long 76.00 West

Sunday Feb 3rd 57
Commences with good weather and
strong winds from W.S.W heading
S.W at 4 P.M. runs on Ice burg bearing
S.S.E middle and later part light winds
Lat by Ob 55.50 South Long 77.50 West

Monday Feb 4th 57
Commences with good weather and
light winds from S.W heading W.S.W
at 4 P.M. wears ship heading S.W
middle and later part the same so ends
Lat by Ob 55.25 South Long 77.55 West

Tuesday Feb 5th 57
Commences with light winds from
W.S.W heading S.W middle and later
part the same so ends these 24 hours
Lat by Ob 57.25 South Long 77.20 West

Wednesday Feb 6th 57
Commences with good weather and
light winds from W.S.W heading
North at 4 P.M. tacked ship heading
S.W middle and later part runs so ends
so ends

Thursday Feb 7th 57
first part strong winds from W.S.W
and runs heading S.W middle and later
part calm so ends these 24 hours
Lat by Ob 58.02 South Long 75.00 West