

Almighty and most merciful God we thought
 down upon us and guide and direct us through
 knowest our needs and will thou supply them
 we know Henry Hartshorn that thou heardest us
 and we ask for thy mercy since thou prosper
 us. Oh God we know that thou art the author
 of all things therefore we ask of thee of God
 thou hast bestowed many blessings upon us
 and we ask for a continuance in the name
 of Christ Jesus Amen

The humble Prayers of S. C. Fisher

Nov 27th 1861

Had an interview with Mr. Bingham
 and he thinks that he is not able to go
 any longer than another season and then
 wants his discharge

Times and Place of Whales Being Taken

Nov 5 th 1863	Lat 44.37	Lon 72.18	Two a throat got two
" 33 "	Lat 43.15	Lon 70.26	do do none in company
Feb 6 1864	Lat 45.57	Lon 79.17	Ship Vaner saw then first
" 7 "	Lat 45.30	Lon 79.35	Got one between the two ships
" 18 "	Lat 46.35	Lon 79.35	do do saw Whales
" 20 "	Lat 45.58	Lon 79.40	Struck line first
" 22 "	Lat 45.46	Lon 79.45	saw a throat got then the leg
March 4 "	Lat 46.47	Lon 80.40	do do the first seen

Thursday Oct 1st 1863

Commenced with Pleasant Trades Breeze and
 the Eastern Tack by up E N E with all sail set
 saw Blackfish but got none. Commenced with E by N breeze

Friday 9th

Weather good land had of nothing in sight but
 Banks & Ships exploring the land but we hope to
 get a cut of Oil for this is our last year in
 Probable had great ice may make past heading
 off from Vaner first Tackled in saw Timber

Saturday 10th

Weather good but no Whales two Banks in sight
 most of the vessels going I believe Plenty of Timber
 and Blackfish trying to catch a Blackfish but could
 not come it

Sunday 11th

Commenced with Breeze still a new Breeze and Breeze
 making cruising of Newburgh

Monday 12th

So how much we want a Whale and Lard
 we might get a good cut in the morning

Tuesday 13th

saw the Bank Mass of Newburgh and Banks made

Wednesday 14th

Weather good and all hands feeling as good
 as ever some Whales

Thursday 15th

Every thing remaining the same saw a
 Canada Bay wanted but had no more

Friday 16th

all things the same all hands feeling as good

Saturday 17th

the same

Sunday 18th

saw two Banks in afternoon got a cut