

Ship Climatic of New London 1837

Wednesday Dec 18th Began this day with fine breezes from the West and pleasant saw one whale heard struck held and took along side and cut her in started the work Middle and Latter part pleasant
Lat 33.31 Long 22.12

Thursday Dec 19th Commenced this day with fine breezes and pleasant weather Middle and Latter part the same Lat 36.12 Long 22.12

Friday Dec 20th First part of these twenty four hours thick fog Middle the same Lat 38.12

Saturday Dec 21st First part we have fine breezes from the East and pleasant the Middle part a heavy rolling swell on Latter part heavy So ends the day

Sunday Dec 22nd Began this day with thick rainy weather Middle and Latter part the same So ends a storm of wind around

Monday Dec 23rd Commenced this day with strong breezes from the East and foggy saw two white whales heard struck and the storm Middle and Latter part thick fog, rough So ends the day Lat 35.57

Tuesday Dec 24th Began this day with thick foggy weather Middle and Latter part the same as the former

Wednesday Dec 25th First part of these twenty four hours began with fine breezes and pleasant spoke the stillwood of New Bedford 11 whales Middle and Latter part calm So ends Lat 33.45 Long by Lunar 20.09 by watch 19.41

Thursday Dec 26th Commenced this day with calm weather one ship in sight Middle part fine breezes Latter part the same saw plenty of fin backs and saw one calf heard struck and took them along side and cut her in Lat 37.08

Friday Dec 27th Began this day with fine breezes and pleasant saw plenty of fin backs and feed Middle part strong breezes Latter part the same saw 3 whales no take to look Lat 37.18 Long by Lunar 21.37

Saturday Dec 28th Began for whales to the West 1837 The first part of these twenty four hours began with fine breezes and took to fog Middle part the same Latter part saw 2 whales heard did not get fast

Sunday Dec 29th We have thick foggy weather Middle part the same saw one whale did not get fast Latter part spoke the stillwood of New Bedford 12 whales So ends the day Lat 38.12 Long by Lunar 21.47

Monday Dec 30th Began this day with heavy gales saw whales heard did not get fast Middle part fine thick boiling Latter part squally blowed down the oil when the oil in hatch saw two whales heard did not get fast So ends Lat 37.45 Long by watch 17.27

Tuesday Dec 31st Commenced this day with fine breezes from the East and thick foggy weather Middle part the same Latter part heavy gales saw whales heard but did not get fast So ends Lat 37.45 Long by watch 18.47

Wednesday Jan 1st Began this day with fine breezes and a heavy rolling swell Middle and Latter part the same Lat 36.12 Long 18.37

Thursday Jan 2nd First part of these twenty four hours began with fine breezes from the East and pleasant saw the stillwood of New Bedford 13 whales Middle and Latter part the same saw 2 whales heard did not get fast Middle part heavy gales Latter part spoke the stillwood of Boston 11 whales So ends

Friday Jan 3rd Began this day with strong breezes from the West and pleasant Middle and Latter part heavy gales So ends Lat 37.14 Long 18.31

Saturday Jan 4th Began this day with fine breezes and pleasant saw plenty of fin backs Middle and Latter part the same as former So ends this day Lat 37.23 Long 18.18

Sunday Jan 5th Commenced this day with fine breezes from the stillwood and pleasant saw several whales heard did not get fast Middle and Latter part the same as former saw 3 whales no take to look Lat 36.36 Long 18.18