

80 Bark Draco of New Bedford
Monday Sept 29th 1845

Begins with fresh gales from SE heading
E at 2 PM double reefed the top sails
& saw one Squalus. Shell Come Whales
Come based on 2 latter same saw five
back and jumpers.

Lat 13 37 Long 110 50 E

Tuesday Sept 30th 1845

Begins with fresh gales from the SE and
clear heading E at 12 M to the
the SW latter steers N

Lat 13 26 Long 110 50 E

Wednesday Oct 1st 1845

Begins with fresh gales from the SE heading
to the SW at 4 PM spoke the Bark
Otranto Eggshell 10 months out 230 Bbls
Mid part the same at 11 am spoke
the C and stood to the N E

saw five Bucks Lat 14 05 Long 110 00

Thursday Oct 2nd 1845

Begins with fresh trades and clear
heading N E Mid and latter same

Lat 12 42 Long 110 25

Friday Oct 3rd 1845

Begins with gentle trades heading
SE so Whales Mid and latter fresh breezes

Lat 13 54 S Long 110 00

Saturday Oct 4th 1845

Begins with fresh breezes and clear heading
S by W at night reefed ships to the N E
at day light to the S saw nothing

Lat 14 03 Long 110 30

Sunday Oct 5th 1845

Begins with fresh trades heading S by W at night
talked to the N E Come Whales Come at 11 M
to the SW Lat 14 38 Long 110 10

Cruising for - Sperm Whales

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Monday Oct 6th 1845

Begins with gentle breezes and clear
heading SW at night talked to the N E
6 Jan grant us some bit of dem - this is
Home sick work Come Whales Come
at 2 am talked to the SW latter the same

Lat 15 05 Long 110 00

Tuesday Oct 7th 1845

Begins with fresh breezes from SE
and cloudy heading SW at night talked
to the N E clear of dem how with this
regard and latter steers N E saw
killers Lat 15 27 Long 110 30 E

Wednesday Oct 8th 1845

Begins with gentle trades steering N E
at night headed N E at 12 mid talked
to the SW at 6 to the N latter steers
N E by E Lat 15 39 Long by Chron 111 30 by Dist 111 10

Thursday Oct 9th 1845

Begins with fresh trades and clear steering
N E Come Whales Come at day light steers
N E saw - Grampuses

Lat 12 52 S Long by Chron 112 00 by Dist 111 47 E

Friday Oct 10th 1845

Begins with light breezes heading E saw
five Bucks no Whales Mid and latter the
same the wind SW heading to the E

Lat 11 38 Long 114 30

Saturday Oct 11th 1845

Begins with light winds from the
SW and clear heading to the East
at 6 PM Bar 29.75 had stood at 29.75 for
a month past Mid and latter same

Lat 12 12 Long 115 06

Sunday Oct 12th 1845

Begins with light winds from SW
heading SE spoke the Bark Otranto
latter steers N E Lat 11 46 Long 115 40 E