

Remarks on board Schr. E. H. Hoatfield
Wednesday, Nov. 16th 1881

These 24 hours begin with moderate breezes from E.S.E. steering by the wind on the S. tack heading about N.E. Two sails in sight. middle part much the same passed in sight of a B.K. latter part calms passing rain squalls and light breezes from the eastward steering by the wind heading about N.N.E. watch employed in repairing the mainsail saw a finback whale

Lat. 28.42. N.
Long. 34.10

Thursday, Nov. 17th

These 24 hours begin with calms rain squalls & light breezes from S.E. steering N.East. when possible, weather overcast and cloudy. middle part calms and light air from the South steering N.East. latter part light breezes from the South steering N.E. by E. East. watch employed in ships duty. at 9 A.M. saw breacher and supposed it to be a sperm whale. got the boat ready, but it proved to be a finback

Lat. 28.30.
Long. 34.08.

Friday, Nov. 18th

These 24 hours begin with light breezes from the S. steering N.E. by E. one sail in sight. middle part squalls calms and moderate breezes from North and N.E. steering by the wind on the S tack latter part strong breezes from N.N.E. with passing rain squalls steering the same heading about East. watch variously employed. one sail in sight.

Lat. 28.53.
Long. 33.14.

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Saturday, Nov. 19th 1881

These 24 hours begin with strong breezes from N.N.E. steering by the wind on the S. tack heading about East. weather thick and cloudy. middle and latter part strong breezes from N.E. and E.N.E. steering by the wind on the port tack. two sails in sight.

Lat. 29.19.
Long. 32.06.

Sunday, Nov. 20th

These 24 hours begin with strong breezes from E.S.E. steering by the wind on the port tack heading about S.East. middle and latter part the same and steering the same

Lat. 28.19
Long. 30.20

Monday, Nov. 21st

These 24 hours begin with strong breezes from E.N.E. steering by the wind on the port tack heading about S. East. weather overcast and cloudy middle part much the same. latter part wind hauling the Eastward and moderating some heading about S.E. by South. watch variously employed.

Lat. 27.16.
Long. 29.11.

Tuesday, Nov. 22nd

These 24 hours begin with moderate breezes from E.S.E. at 12.30 P.M. wore ship and steered by the wind on the S. tack. heading about N.E. saw a large school of Porpoises and struck one. middle and latter part moderate breezes from S.E. by E. steering by the wind heading about N.E. by E. watch variously employed in ships duty

Lat. 28.11.
Long. 29.14.