

Wednesday November the 1st 1898

these four and twenty commences with A fresh breeze from the S W and moderate cloudy weather, Ship with all sail set standing by the wind to the S E at 4 P.M. saw Right Whales, lowered the Boats and chased untill noon set, and came on Board and took in sail for the Night, at Day light 4.30 let the reefs out of the top sails, and set the courses and the jib... fresh gales from the West, at 8 saw two Whales, same time Double reefed the top sails and lowered for the Whales, and struck one to the Waist Boat. kill'd him and he sunk, sun Obscured

Thursday November the 2nd

the first of this 24 hours fresh gales and rugged weather the middle and latter part light breezes from the West and pleasant, lowered the Boats twice without success, Whales Wild

Lat by Obs 34.40 Long by Chron 160.47

Friday November the 3rd 1898

the first part light breezes from the West and pleasant course S S E, the middle and latter part strong gales and rugged steering S E under Double reef, 2 top sails. Lat by Obs 36.12

Saturday November the 4th

A continuation of strong gales from the S S W and rugged course E by S, Nothing of the Whale kind Lat by Obs 36.32 Long by Chron 157.10

Sunday November the 5th

strong gales from the southward and squally ship under whole top sails, jib, & courses, steering East, and, E by N Lat by Obs 36.33 South

Monday November the 6th

strong gales from the South and S E ship standing by the wind to the Eastward Nothing of the Whale kind

Lat by Obs 36.10 Long by Chron 153.20