

Remarks on board Ship Eliza Adams

68 Monday November 24th
Fore part of this day light winds
from North steering S by W Employed
at various jobs Latter part winds more fresh
so ends this day

69 Tuesday Nov 25th
Fore part of this 24 hours strong breeze
from North steering S by W with sun
raining and foggy at 12 pm took in
the upper top sails blowing a fresh
Gale Latter part more moderate:
heading her course

Lat 31-51 S

70 Wednesday Nov 26th Long 27-40 W
Light air from S.S.W heading S.E.
with a heavy swell running weather very
pleasant so ends the day

71 Thursday Nov 27th
Light air from the Westward heading
to the Southward so ends this day back
out Broad

Lat 34-06

72 Friday Nov 28th Long
Fore part of this day strong breeze from
the westward steering S by W at 9 A.M.
Gamed with the Bk Sunbeam Latter part
light air heading S by the wind under all
sail let the Bk Sunbeam have a Boat
Dancey

Lat 34-58 S

73 Saturday Nov 29th Long 27-32 W
Fore part of this day calm middle & latter
part fresh breeze from the Westward steering
S by W at 5 A.M. Gamed with the
Bk Sunbeam so ends the day steering
S by W

Walter L. Howland Master 1879

Sunday November 30th

74 Fore part of this day light misty winds
steering off to the Southward saw
Black Fish & Finbacks also the Bk Sunbeam
in sight sun down took in sail and left to
the wind

75 Monday December 1st
Fore part of this day blowing a moderate
Gale from N.W. to N.E. Ship heading
to the Westward with thick foggy weather
middle & latter part more moderate and
pleasant under lower top sails saw one Bark
to the leeward so ends the day

Lat 36-46 S

76 Tuesday Dec 2nd
Light variable winds with pleasant weather on
opposed tacks saw Finbacks also the Bk Sunbeam
to the leeward at sun down shortened sail so ends
the day broke out water and making a star
Vice beamish

77 Wednesday Dec 3rd
This 24 hours fresh breezes from S.W. saw
Finbacks also saw the Ship Niger took a Wright
Whale and at sun down gamed with her so ends
this day. Re. M. in Brace

78 Thursday Dec 4th
Light winds from the westward saw Finbacks
and 2 Sails one the Niger Employed getting
the blubber room ready Latter part under
short sail

79 Friday Dec 5th
This day commenced with a moderate
Gale at 6 A.M. rose 2 Wright Whales
going quick did not pierce at 10 m took
in the lower & top sail Latter part more
moderate Whales rose by the 1st mate