

Remarks on board Bk. James Allen

82 Monday November 28th Lat Long S W
Fore part of this day weather moderate all hands employed stowing down oil stowed 100 bbls at 2 P.M. came in rain finished at 7 P.M. after it they blowing a fresh gail took in fore topsail saw one sail so ends the day blowing a moderate sail

83 Tuesday Nov 29th
This 24 hours blowing a moderate sail from S.W. under lower top sail employed scraping, boom saw one sail and Fin broke so ends the day

84 Wednesday Nov 30th
Light pleasant weather from the Westward finished scraping boom employed at other ship duties

85 Thursday December 1st
Light pleasant weather from the Eastward saw one sail employed at ships duties set up the main Rigger saw one sail and Matt & Ben rose a sperm whale Lured the boat L.B. got cow took him along side at 5:30 and took in the paper so ends the day got ready to ~~blow~~ ^{saw} Fin broke

86 Friday Dec 2nd
Commenced to put at 4 A.M. weather calm morning to back up parted a hook straps and lost a hook at 8 A.M. gave up cutting blowing a sail from S.W. put 2 light chains for so ends the day with the whale along side saw one sail.

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87 Saturday Dec 3rd Lat Long S W
This 24 hours more moderate commenced to cut the body in at 7 P.M. and started the works at 12 P.M. lost the head from along side by the chains parting at day light got it again and took in the junk and lost the case started the works again and at 6 P.M. coiled down again so ends the day blowing a heavy sail from S.W. and squally S.W. wind the M-T sail so ends the day

88 Sunday Dec 4th
Fore part of this day more moderate commenced to cut the junk and at 11 A.M. started the works again saw two sail so ends the day with a moderate sail

89 Monday Dec 5th
This 24 hours blowing a moderate sail from the Westward employed boiling, saw 8 sails so ends the day lying under lower M-T sail

90 Tuesday Dec 6th
Light breeze from N.E. finished boiling at 10 P.M. so ends the day steering S.W. Turned from N.W. 11th

91 Wednesday Dec 7th
Light N.W. winds steering S.W. under all sail employed at various jobs so ends the day finished boiling light winds

92 Thursday Dec 8th
Light N.W. winds under all sail steering S.W. employed at various jobs

93 Friday Dec 9th
Light S.W. winds from under short sail all hands employed stowing down oil stowed 92 bbls so ends the day calm