

September 25th 1884

Sailed from New Bedford
on Bk Kathleen on a
Whaling Voyage
To the Atlantic & Indian Ocean

Thursday Sep 25th
Weather pleasant from 8^{1/2} got
under way and sailed at 9^{1/2} am
Log boat leaving at 3.0 pm winds
in day

Nov 2nd
Strong breeze rose Spinnaker
L.B. got wind over B.B. got one
W.B. went on twice but did not
get fast. Lost the whale along side
at 3.0 pm

Nov 8th
Saw a lone Spinnaker whale going
quick but return on board
without success.

Nov 12th
Sighted Trinidad Island

Nov 21st
Saw the Bk Stafford and Gained
her she was bound South whaling

Dec 2nd
Sighted Tristan Island

Dec 3rd
Saw a Wright Whale going to the
windward quick but did not
return on board

Bk. Kathleen Danell Bifford Master

December 17th
Saw the Bk Lumberman and Gained
with her having taken 350 since
leaving St Helena in October 2 Spinn.
Whales and 2 Wright whales.

Jan 23rd
Pleasant weather spoke the Eliza Adams
with head gear gone and head of Fore mast
gone bound to St Helena for repairs.

Jan 31st
Weather pleasant saw Black fish food
and got 16 L.B. 4 W.B. 5 B.B. 3 S.B. 4
Feb 4th Spoke the ship on board a Bravo Portage

Feb 12th
Strong breeze spoke the Bk Beaulieu

Feb 21st
Weather pleasant spoke the Bk Sea Queen

Feb 27th
Weather moderate spoke the ship Niger

March 6th
Lured for a Sulfur bottom

March 10th
Off and on at St Helena the Capt on
shore all night

March 11th
Capt came on board

March 12th
Rose Spinnaker Whales lured B.B.
went on and did not return so did
come on board at sun down and
broke his back then saw him