

Bark Elizabeth Of The River De La Platte in 1845

Remarks on Board Friday November the 7<sup>th</sup> 1845  
these 24 hours commence with fine weather and baffling  
winds the Bark heading all ways for whales hereafter  
at sunset shortened sail for night the bark heading  
SE at daylight made all sail the bark heading ESE  
so ends these 24 hours 45° 15' Longitude 35° 27' Latitude

Remarks on Board Saturday November the 8<sup>th</sup> 1845  
these 24 hours commence with fine pleasant weather the Bark  
heading to the South under all sail at 11 AM saw a school  
of right whales or rather a number of right whales  
at meridian lowered all 3 boats without  
success came on board and hoisted  
the Boats so ends these 24 hours Lat 35° 32' Long 45° 46'

Remarks on Board Sunday November the 9<sup>th</sup>  
these 24 hours commence with fine weather with no  
whales in sight at 5 PM saw more right whales  
saw the larboard boat without success came on  
board and hoisted the boat at sunset shortened sail for the  
night at daylight made all convenient sail such a whale  
saw a number of finbacks run for them  
found them no good luffed up ESE or SE by  
so ends these hours  
Lat 36° 16' Longitude 46° 58'

REMARKS ON BOARD Monday Nov<sup>br</sup> the 10<sup>th</sup>  
these 24 hours commence with fresh breezes from the North and  
the Bark steering SE by S under whole topsails and forecourse at  
4 PM saw a spout 1 point on the lee bow run for it proved to be fin  
backs luffed up SE again middle part much the same latter part  
at daylight made all sail the Bark heading SE at 12 meridian  
tacked ship to the North at 5 AM saw a right whale right a  
head run for him came within 1/2 of a mile of him and lowered  
the Boats in pursuit at meridian gave up the chase came on  
board and hoisted the Boats with one sail in right so ends  
these 24 hours Latitude 36° 42' Longitude 49° 18'

Remarks on Board Tuesday November the 11<sup>th</sup>  
these 24 hours commence with fresh breezes from ESE  
and the Bark heading North under all sail at 1 PM saw  
the same fish and had the same success at sunset  
shortened sail for the night the Bark heading  
North at daylight made all sail wore ship to the SE with fresh  
breezes from the ESE saw a number of finbacks at meridian  
saw a right whale 1 point of the lee bow so ends  
these 24 hours Latitude 36° 44' no Longitude

Remarks on Board Wednesday November the 12<sup>th</sup>  
these 24 hours begin with fresh breezes from the ESE and the bark  
heading SE under all sail at 4 past 12 lowered the two  
larboard boats the larboard boat struck and the iron  
broke and the fish escaped sunset shortened sail  
the Bark heading SE at daylight 30 the fore sail wore ship to the