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Remarks on Board Monday Jan²⁶th
these 24 hours commence with fine pleasant weather
the bark heading to the S.W. under all sail at
sunset shortened sail for the night the brig in
night at daylight made all sail the bark heading to the
West saw everything but Whales & ends Lat 39 47 Long 50 48

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Remarks on Board Tuesday Jan²⁷th
these 24 hours commence with fine pleasant weather
the bark heading to the West under all sail saw everything
but whales & at sunset shortened sail for the night
at daylight made all sail the bark heading to the
West under all sail & ends Lat 39 28 Long 48 53

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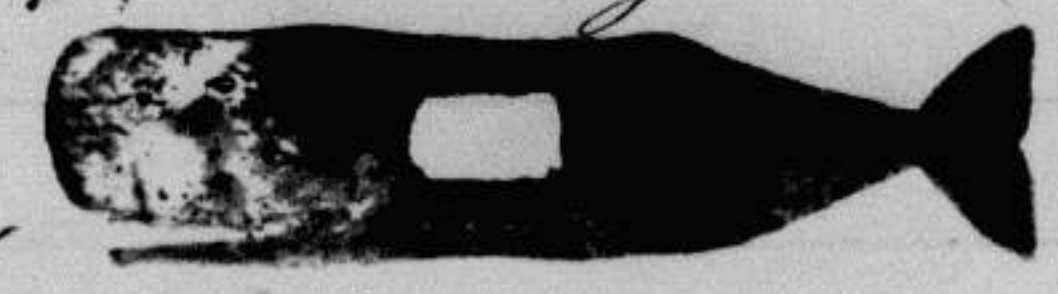
Remarks on Board Wednesday Jan²⁸th
these 24 hours commence with pleasant gales from
the East and the bark heading to the West under
all sail at sunset shortened sail for the night at
daylight made all sail the bark heading to
the West at 8 A.M. saw a white water saw it
once and no more & ends Lat 39 44 Long 50 50

Thursday Jan²⁹th these 24 hours commence
with pleasant gales from the East the bark
heading to the West at sunset took in sail
for the night at daylight set double reef fore & main
and fore courses saw a great plenty of finbacks
Lat 39 58 Long 51 22

Bark Elizabeth Of the River Plate in 1846

Remarks on Board Friday Jan³⁰th

these 24 hours commence with brisk gales from the
North and the bark steering S by W and all prudent
sail saw sunfishes and more than 500 finbacks at sunset
shortened sail for the night at daylight saw a school
of large sperm whales of the weather



beam going slowly to the leeward at 8 A.M.
the whales of the line beam lowered the three boats in
pursuit at 9 A.M. the waist boat got up with them and the
boat sterner started but of no use it appears that the boat
could have got as near as would have been necessary
but owing to something I know not but mismanagement
I suppose we did not succeed in taking him & ends
Latitude 40 01 Longitude 52 12



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Remarks on Board Saturday January the 31st

these 24 hours commence with pleasant weather the
bark heading to the S.W. under all sail at sunset shortened
sail at daylight made all sail the bark heading to the South
at 9 A.M. saw a school of the weather beam standing
for us at 10 A.M. spoke the brig Solon of Mattapoisett
Dorchester at 1 P.M. parted company at daylight
a gale the Solon of the line beam latter part the day

