

Thursday 31.

August 1871.

Commences with fine weather and a good breeze from the S. the Bark heading ESE. one sail in sight - 4 grampuses. at 6 P.M. saw a breach at 6 1/2. wore to the SW. Latter part fine weather and a light breeze from the S. the Bark heading W. at 6 1/2 still wore to the E. So ends this 24 hours.

Lat 34. 18. Long 42. 48

Friday 1st

September 1871

Commences with fine weather and a heavy swell from the E. the Bark heading SE. Latter part

fine weather and a strong breeze from the ESE. the Bark heading SE. So ends this 24 hours. Lat 35. 36. Long 42. 38 1/4.

Saturday 2.

Commences with fine weather and a strong breeze from the ESE. the Bark heading SE at 6 P.M. saw white water ahead at 3 1/2 miles at 8 P.M. wore to the S.

Latter part squally. the Bark heading to the S. a number of sails to the N. of us. So ends this 24 hours.

Lat 35. 00. Long 41. 58.

Sunday 3.

Commences with squally weather and a good breeze from the E. the Bark heading S. at 6 P.M. saw what we called a school of sperm whales but saw them no more. Latter part a strong breeze clear the

Bark heading S. So ends this 24 hours. Lat 34. 39.

Long 41. 48

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Monday 4.

Commences with fine weather and a strong breeze from the E. the Bark heading S. at 4 P.M. wore to the SE.

Latter part fine weather and a strong breeze from the E. the Bark heading SESE. at 11 1/2 still toward the waist-coat and went to a 100 fath. sperm whales head cut square off. but the case had curled. So ends this 24 hours. Lat. 35. 26. Long 41. 52.

Tuesday 5. Commences with fine weather and

a light breeze from the S. the Bark steering SESE.

Employed in painting ship

Latter part calm employed in painting ship in side. So ends this 24 hours. one steamer to the SW of us. Lat. 36. 12. Long 40. 43.

Wednesday 6.

Commences with fine weather and a calm employed in painting ship in side. black fish in sight. Latter part calm. saw black fish & one sail. So ends this 24 hours. Lat. 36. 48. Long 40. 31 1/2.

Thursday 7.

Commences with fine weather and calm. black fish in sight - at 6 P.M. a light breeze from the S. Latter part much the same. two sails in sight. So ends this 24 hours. Lat. 36. 46. Long 40. 13 1/2.

Friday 8.

Commences with fine weather and a light breeze from the SE the Bark steering to the E. Latter part the same a number of sails in sight. So ends this 24 hours.

Lat. 37. 48. Long 39. 56. 3/4