

Friday March 12th 1847

10:55 P.M. lowered and struck a R whale
and was fast to him 4 fours and got
him spouting good blood and Boat got
her line cut by and iron and the other
I drew and when last the whale came on
board and double reefed the top sails blowing
fresh from N.E. wore ship to the eastward
at 12 M wore to Westward at 8 A.M. wore
to the eastward latter fresh gale and cloudy
from N.E. Sat est 45:55 S

Song by Chron 173:11 E

Saturday March 13th P.M. the weather
continues the same steering by on different
tacks under double reef top sails at 12
wore ship to eastward at 8 A.M. wore to
the Westward latter part fresh gale
and thick fogg from N.E. on obs

Sunday March 14th P.M. the breeze
freshened at 1 wore ship to the
eastward at 6 took in fore and mizzen
top sails blowing fresh gale and
lowing from N.E. at 4 the wind came
to the south and clear of fine weather
8 came to N.W. steered by S tacks
aboard the watch employed in hauling
black fish blubber Sat obs 46:26
Song by Chron 173:25

Monday March 15th P.M. calm and a heavy
muck on at 4 took light breeze from S.E.
kept N.W. at 7 double reefed the top
sails at 1 lowered for R whale but without
success latter fresh breeze from S steered by
S tacks aboard Sat est 46:10 Song 172:25 E

Tuesday March 16th 1847

P.M. moderate gale from the south steering
by S tacks aboard at 3 tacked ship to
the N.E. at 7 shortened sail at 12
wore ship to the south at 8 tacked ship to
N.E. at 10 latter part brisk breeze and fine
weather from E.S.E. Sat obs 45:51 S
Song by Chron 172:29

Wednesday March 17th P.M. brisk breeze
and flying clouds from E.S.E. steering by S
tacks aboard at 5 raised R whale chaisted
without success saw and other to the windward
at 7 double reefed the top sails at 2 wore
ship S.E. at daylight set all sail
at 10 raised wheels lowered and chaist but
without success latter light breeze to
cloudy from N.E. on obs

Thursday March 18th P.M. the weather
much the same steering by on different
tacks chaist whales twice without
success at 7 double reefed the top sails
and wore to the eastward at 5 A.M. wore
to Westward at 8 A.M. wore to the eastward
latter brisk breeze and flying clouds from
N.E. steering by S tacks aboard
Sat obs 45:44 S
Song by Chron 173:15 E

Friday March 19th P.M. the weather
continues the same steering by S tacks
aboard at 7 shortened sail thick lowing
weather kept away N.W. at 12 luffed to
heading to N.W. latter light breeze and
thick fogg from N.E. on obs