

159 Remarks on Friday January 2^d 1852

These 24 hours begins with light air from the NW & fine weather
at 5 P.M. steering by the wind to the westward with employ. in making hunt
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms 3 whale ships in sight to windward at sun down station
sail at 2 the wind became from NW & then by the wind to the NW
middle & latter part of the day moderate breeze & fine weather at 5
at 5 A.M. All made sail & steam. We saw one strange sail saw a
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms plenty of porpoise at 11 saw a strange sail the day ended with a fine breeze
Left in 7⁰⁹ 34.00 South Long in 7⁰⁰ chronometer 11.15 west

160 Remarks on Saturday January 3^d 1852

These 24 hours begins with a fine breeze from the NW & fine weather
at 5 P.M. steering NW by one barque in sight at 3 P.M. the barque was
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms Mather's capt. dexter spears 60 days out than bound to the
from ocean I went on board & got some papers & came on board &
then by the wind to the eastward at sun down station sail at
12 at night were ship to the NW & latter part of the day thick weather &
smoky weather at 5 A.M. made sail & steam. I went at 8 steam. I went
main top gallant set up main & foremast stay & main top gallant stay
saw a whale ship at 4 past 4 we luffed to the wind with main & fore
at 5 A.M. black for the ship to come down to us & a sperm whale came up in
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms our wake became first as we are bound 2 boats it came in thick
foggy & rainy boats came on board & the ship's boat went on board
& we steamed west with a fresh breeze & thick rainy weather & spoke
& the whale going about is fast as we did & the strange ship following
after us the day more thick weather
Left in 7⁰⁹ account 34.30 South Long in 7⁰⁰ chronometer 11.15 west

161 Remarks on Sunday January 4th 1852

These 24 hours begins with a fresh breeze from the NW & thick foggy
at 5 P.M. & rainy weather & spoke chasing a sperm whale to the westward in
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms company with a strange whale ship at 1 P.M. the whale went down
it came in thick & rising at 2 it lighted up & no whale in sight at 7
P.M. I went on board of ship china of crew-lashed capt. removed
at 5 A.M. 15 months 2000 lbs. bound home the wind came out the NW & then
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms nearly calm at 10 I came on board latter part of the day light winds &
calm & fine weather at 5 A.M. made sail & steam in by the wind to the NW
wind from NW & china of our lee beam at 5 A.M. saw a large whale

Great quantity of
small Mammals
were in the
water to day
between the two ships gallies & going quick to the eastward at 4 past 5 there
the two last-bound boats & the china bar-boat at 8 I came on board at 10
calm weather & we saw 12 whales all galled the day more calm off
chasing whale could not get past
Left in 7⁰⁹ 34.51 South Long in 7⁰⁰ chronometer 11.15 west

162 Remarks on Monday January 5th 1852

These 24 hours begins with calm weather & fine weather all the boats off
at 5 P.M. chasing whale about 1 P.M. got past to one to the west boat & killed
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms him to the westward boat at 5 P.M. I came on board & got dinner &
some grub for the men in the other two boats & sent the boat back
to help tow the whale to leeward the wind came up from NW at 4
past 7 got the whale a long side fluked him & took in sail got
supper & set the watch at 12 at night fresh breeze from NW to NW
at 5 A.M. & thick misty weather by 5 fells latter part of the day moderate breeze from
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms the NW & cloudy weather & a smooth sea at 4 A.M. called all hands
& got up the tanks & commenced cutting in our whale the day more the same
Left in 7⁰⁹ 34.53 South Long in 7⁰⁰ chronometer 11.20 west

163 Remarks on Tuesday January 6th 1852

These 24 hours begins with moderate breeze from the NW & cloudy weather
at 5 P.M. & a smooth sea on all hands employed in cutting in our whale at 3 P.M.
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms the wind came up from the south & then off fine weather at 12 at night
got all our whale on board & set the watch & commenced clearing up &
getting ready for boiling at 1 A.M. it began to burn on & grow raggid
at 5 made a fire & commenced boiling head at 7 it blew a strong breeze from
at 5 A.M. NW & a blue sea on heaving to the NW under a double reef main & fore
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms & fore sail all hands employed in cutting junk & boiling at 10 it began to
moderate & sea go down some the day more with clear weather & raggid
Left in 7⁰⁹ 34.56 South Long in 7⁰⁰ chronometer 11.20 west

164 Remarks on Wednesday January 7th 1852

These 24 hours begins with fresh breeze from NW & clear weather & a raggid sea
at 5 P.M. but moderating down heaving to NW & under short sail all hands employed in boiling
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms & cutting up junk at 5 P.M. got the junk cut up & washed off & set the watch for the night
middle & latter part of the day light winds & variable & cloudy weather at 5 A.M. saw
at 5 A.M. the ship china all hands employed in cutting blubber & boiling & taking care of oil
barnet 29^{3/4} fathoms the day more nearly calm & cloudy weather china in sight saw one fish back
Left in 7⁰⁹ account 35.01 South Long in 7⁰⁰ chronometer 11.25 west