

January 1863

Tuesday 20th

Strong gales and squally about
one O'clock p.m. raised a bark
to the leeward chasing whales run
down and spoke her found it to
be the willis of Muttapoisett had taken
one small whale along side about
15 minutes afterwards carried away
main topsail yard.

Lat 25° 17' South

Long 35° 18' West

Thursday 22nd

Strong breeze from N.E. about
three O'clock p.m. spoke bark
Ohio. Commanders of New Bedford
four months out with 300 lbs. sperm

Lat 25° 30' South

Long 35° 19' West

Friday 23rd

Cruising off Cape Eric
spoke bark union dexter of New
Bedford 8 months out 225 lbs. sp.

Lat 25° 43' S

Long 35° 35' W

Saturday 27th

Cruising in Lat 25 S
Spoke brig Susan King 15 months
out 400 lbs. 2 whales on deck

Lat 27° 15' S

Long 31° 42' W

Sunday 4th February

Brought to St. Catherine's

Spoke bark morning Star Laid 6
months out 215 barrels sperm

Lat 29° 00' South

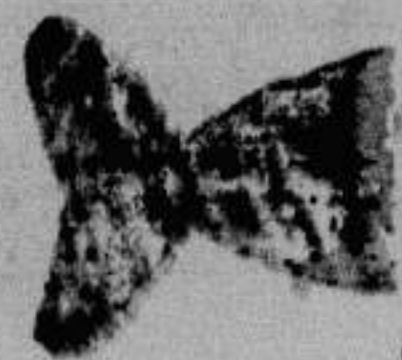
Long 46° 18' West

February 1863

Thursday 7th

Arrived in St. Catherine's let go anchor about 8 O'clock
P.m. got recruits such as water potatoes fruit &c
Sailed the 20th in company with brig Susan King
of Sag Harbour.

Monday 22nd



About 5 O'clock P.m. raised a school of large
sperm whales about 4 miles off in a calm
brought down all three boats chased them until
dark and came on board unsuccessful.

Tuesday 24th

Cruising in the lat 30 south
About 5 O'clock P.m. spoke bark America laid of Newbury
6 months out 11 lbs. sperm saw whales 3 days previous
struck one small whale and iron's drawn.

Wednesday 28th

About 11 O'clock p.m. spoke bark even more laid
40 days from New York bound to Buenos Ayres.
went on board and got some late papers

Lat
Long

