

1870

Monday Jan 17th

Wave
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Spoke Bark Waul Briggs. had taken a 600 lb sperm whale since we saw her last.
Lat 29° 45' S Long 45° 55' W.

Thursday Feb 3rd

D. A. Small
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Spoke ~~Seam~~ Brig D. A. Small Ryder of Provincetown 14 months out with 270 bbls whale oil. & 75 bbls sperm taken this season, had seen whales 4 times.
Lat 29° 48' S Long 46° 20' W.

Friday Feb 25th

Raised by Mr. C. At 7^h 40^m
L. B.
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At 7^h 40^m A. M. raised a school of sperm whales, lowered 3 boats & made chase the Starboard boat struck one and the rest went to windward. (S. B.) pulled and took him along side at 11 A. M. at 2 P. M. finished cutting & made sail at 4^h 30^m P. M. raised them again. Lowered again the Starboard then struck & lost one the rest went to S. W. took him along side at 7 P. M.
Lat 26° 27' S Long 35° 36' W.

Friday March 4th

W. Luke
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At 8^h 15^m A. M. raised a school of small sperm whales saw them but one rising suppose they got into the sun. Made.
Lat 24° 54' S Long 35° 46' W.

Wednesday April 12th 1870
Crossed the Equator in Long 36° 10' W.
Bound to Barbados

Equator
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Friday April 22nd

Barbados
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Came to anchor in Carlisle Bay Barbados tarred rigging painted ship gave liberty & sailed May 7th for Dominica for water.

Monday May 8th

Dominica
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Came to anchor at 10^h 30 A. M. in Prince Rupert Bay Dominica took wood water &c. & sailed the 12th for Western Ground to cruise & home in November.

Friday May 20th

Express
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Spoke Sch Express Handy of Marion one year out with 165 bbls sperm bound direct home (via Bermuda)
Lat 28° 10' N Long 55° 00' W

Saturday May 28th

Rosa Baker
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Spoke Brig Rosa Baker Gifford of Boston 7 months out with 90 bbls sperm.
Lat 32° 36' N Long 47° 56' W.

Sunday July 18th

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Off and on at Flores but they would not let us land on account of our coming from the west Indies

Tuesday July 26th

Cicero
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Spoke Bark Cicero Clay of N. B. 2 1/2 months out with 100 bbls sperm. Reports several vessels.
Lat 40° 22' N Long 41° 25' W.