

Ship Hibernia at Sea N P Simmons Master

October 1844

Tuesday the 22th
Light air and calms in company with the
W and C at sundown took in the light
sails middle and latter part light breeze
from the Northward steering Ship W & W
saw one fin back so ends

Lat 34° 04'
Long 73° 40'

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Wednesday the 23th

Light breeze and good weather saw a fin back
the Made and Champion in sight got out
at sun down took in the light sails ship
heading W & W wind W by E middle part
light winds at day light made all sail latter
part fine weather ship heading W & W saw
fin back Made in sight

Lat 34° 00'
Long 72° 00'

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Thursday the 24th

Light breeze from W & E ship heading W & W
at 1 P.M. saw the Made whaling at 3 P.M.
saw her clear down saw a nether sail
and fin back at sundown took in the light
sails at day light made all sail heading E by N
at 6 P.M. saw a night whale lowered the
boats and fastened him and he was
later found fine weather

Lat 33° 30'
Long 72° 30'



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Friday the 25th

Fine breeze and good weather ship heading
on different tack cruising at 4 P.M. wind
hauled to S W ship heading W & W at sun
down shortened sail at daylight made all
sail saw plenty of fin backs at 5 P.M.
saw 3 right whales lowered and gave
chase light air and calms to still
to get near the whales

Lat 33° 30'

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Saturday the 26th

Light air and calms at 3 P.M. gave
up the whales and came on board
at sundown shortened sail ship
heading to the eastward at day light
made all sail saw plenty of fin backs
at 5 P.M. saw 2 right whales lowered
the boats but could not get near them
it being calm so only chasing whales

Lat 33° 05'
Long 72° 15'

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Sunday the 27th

Light air and calms at 3 P.M. came on
board employed in mending and all
leaky boat at sundown shortened
sail heading to the westward middle
and latter part calm saw whale unable
a set of paddles and lowered the boats
but to no purpose to still so ends to bad

