

Ship Hibernia at Sea W^m Simmons Master
November 1844

Thursday the 7th
Light airs from all quarters no whales in sight
finished stowing down and shortened sail
for the night middle and latter part fresh
breezes from W ship heading to the Northward
Lat 33° 07'
Long 74° 45'

November 1844
Friday the 8th

Fresh breezes from W steering I saw a fin
back employed in regular jobs at sun down
shortened sail middle part light airs from S W
latter part light winds from S W steering
S E with all sail set employed in stowing over
board between decks and setting up new pipe sheet.
Lat 32° 57'

November 1844
Saturday the 9th

Light winds from S W steering I saw
fin back at sun down could not reach the
top sails at day light made all sail steering
S E latter part light airs and calms this day
hoist down the blacksmiths forge and alashed
ship so ends no whales Lat 32° 08'
Long 73° 43'

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Sunday the 10th
Light airs and calms saw eight whales hauled
the boats but to no purpose to calm at
sun down took in the light sail middle
and latter part light airs and calms
got out again so ends Lat 32° 53'
Long 74° 35'

November 1844
Monday the 11th

Light airs from E W steering S E
no whales going all sail to night
middle part light breezes latter part
the same steering S E saw fin back
and a sail to the barrel whaling
so ends employed in ships duty
Lat 33° 30'
Long 73° 11'

November 1844
Tuesday the 12th

Fresh breezes from S E W at
1 P M spoke the flamy of the W B
5 miles out 4 whales and one along
side this season steering S E W
at sun down shortened sail and
hauling to the wind heading W W then
middle part wind head to W W at day
light made sail steering W E fresh
breezes at 4 A M saw a right whale
going quick to the windward, fil apt
hauling for him this day no blacksmiths
for striking Charles Mather Lat 34° 21'