

Ensigns of Honor

Friday, Feb 24 - 1878.
Fine weather and light air
from the S. Employed boiling
11:30 P.M. finished boiling Cotton root
Fine weather and light breeze from
the W. broke out between Rocks and
stowed back so early

Saturday 2nd.
Wind falling in P.M. To 10 S. weather
the strake finished filling the Ground
Tier in the Hold and ran down the
Hoard oil in Main Hatch. Third part
raining wind from the North
Latter part wind shifted into the
S. stowed down the remainder
of our oil and washed ship

Sunday 3^d
Calm all the first part
Mid & latter part high - breeze
then a little rain the wind blowing
in eight to ten

Monday 4th
Commenced with fog and
light-gale from the Westward
and Humphreys also saw a merchant
vessel steering into the Northward
and a hatter past bearing from the
North nothing of note till day
close.

Tuesday 5th
 Moving from the H with frequent
 squalls of rain. Mid part moderate
 latter part good weather. employed
 making oil lashings. Cooper setting
 up 3 Shooks as ends

Cruising off Beaufort

Wednesday March 24, 1878.
Began with good weather, and the
chiefs from the 8 spoke the Burning
Billow and ended for a visit of Gervillie
and got our Round Gun. Mid part of day
rather poor. Fine weather and Hon.
same quarter employed breaking
stumps.

Shrove's
Thursday 7th
Began with fine weather wind
from the N. We employed breaking
out Shrove about 2 P.M. raised the
battering pillow. Whaling ran down
to Geo saw her boat strike and the
other chase off the whales going
in shore about 5:30 P.M. raised a
pod close to the boat lowered
and got one third part squabs.
Day light hooked on 9:30 A.M. finished
cutting and got breakfast. got the
last bailed and bunked out and
started the works saw sperm whales
to windward no chance did not
lower wind, hauled out South so
ends the Strand bearing NNE 40 miles

Friday 8th -
Breeze with fine weather wind S.
employed sailing latter part with
light breeze from the S. about 12 A.M.
Covered for Open Whales again -

Saturday 9th
Modcoats braced, from the Eastward
got up with the whales and got
our Bounding Billows boat lowered
and chared off. Finished boiling and got
up the cutting at daylight. Hooked on
got the body & bunk in and got
 dinner so early this day