

Sunday Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> 1853  
 First part of this day light airs from S. & W.  
 Steering N. E. under all sail employed in painting  
 the Deck Middle part light airs & calms  
 from S. & E. latter part nearly calm

Monday Nov 24<sup>th</sup> first & middle part  
 calm latter part light airs from N. to  
 N. E. steering to the Northward & West  
 under all sail under all sail so ends  
 nothing in sight so ends this day Sat.

Tuesday Nov 25<sup>th</sup> all these 24 hours light  
 breezes from N. E. to N. W. steering to  
 the Eastward by the wind under all sail  
 so ends this day

Wednesday Nov 26<sup>th</sup> all these 24 hours  
 light breezes from N. E. to N. steering  
 to the Eastward under all sail employed

Thursday Nov 27<sup>th</sup> all these 24 hours  
 calm weather the Capt. employed in  
 making belaying pins & nothing in  
 sight so ends this day Sat.

Friday Nov 28<sup>th</sup> all these 24 hours light  
 breezes from N. W. steering N. E. by N.  
 under all sail the Capt. employed in  
 turning some belaying pins

Saturday Dec 1<sup>st</sup> first part of this  
 day light breezes from N. W. steering  
 N. E. by N. under all sail Middle part  
 a good breeze from N. to S. W. steering  
 N. W. E. latter part

Sunday Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> 1853  
 All these 24 hours calm this morning  
 at 6 A. M. saw 3 Whales lured the  
 boats the J. Boat got one whale at  
 so ends the boats employed in towing  
 the whale to the ship

Monday Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> first part calm  
 at 1 P. M. got the whale alongside  
 at 2 P. M. commenced buting at  
 4 P. M. finished then heard away  
 the head at 6 P. M. started the work  
 Middle light airs from N. W. steering  
 N. E. by the wind employed in boiling  
 & latter calm so ends boiling

Tuesday Dec 4<sup>th</sup> first part light  
 airs from N. W. steering to the Northward  
 by the wind under all sail employed in  
 boiling at 9 P. M. finished so add  
 part a good breeze from N. W. steering  
 to the N. E. by the wind under all  
 sail latter part washed of decks & sent  
 the work below so ends

Wednesday Dec 5<sup>th</sup> first part of this  
 day a good breeze from N. W. steering  
 to the Northward & Eastward by the  
 wind Middle part light airs & squalls  
 of rain latter part the same so  
 ends this day

Thursday Dec 6<sup>th</sup> first part light  
 winds from N. W. to N. steering to the  
 Eastward by the wind some squalls  
 with rain took in the light sails &  
 double reefed the topsails latter part  
 good weather employed in flowing down  
 oil so ends under all sail