

Saturday Sept 6th 1856

First part strong breezes from E.S.E. steering N.E. by the wind middle and latter the same employed in sloping down the oil. Lat 9.38 Long 43.20 E

Sunday Sept 7th first part strong breezes from E.S.E. steering N.E. by the wind middle part heading S. latter part at 11 AM saw breaches off the weather bow & killed 2

Monday Sept 8th first part strong breezes from E.S.E. steering N.E. by the wind at 1 PM saw sperm whales at 3 lowered the boats at 3 the wind boat fastened and her line got foul and she cut the S. boat struck the same whale the W. boat struck too the S. boat got stove & with some entered at dusk the wind boat with and I came in board latter steering S at 10 AM saw sperm whales at 11 lowered the boat sounds the day the boats still in chase of the whales Lat 9.38 Long 44.20 E

Tuesday 9th first part strong breezes from E.S.E. steering on different tacks by the wind under easy sail at 2 came on board at 3 P.M. saw the boat for a large whale but of no use at 4 AM came on board whale in sight at sundown a long way off latter steering to the S.E. by the wind Lat 10.19 Long 45.38 E

Wednesday 10th all of the 24 hours fine breezes from E.S.E. steering N.E. by the wind under all sail

Lat 9.38 Long 43.20 E

Thursday September 11th 1856

All these 24 hours strong breezes from E.S.E. steering N.E. by the wind under moderate sail employed in mending the R. & S. side & splicing the gill stay at 3 PM saw breaches at 5 under them but no sperm whales got the boats ready but did not know they were going quick to the leeward Lat 9.38 Long 43.20 E

Friday 12th first part strong breezes from E.S.E. steering E.N.E. by the wind middle & latter good breezes from & heading E.S.E.

Saturday 13th all these 24 hours strong breezes from S.E. steering from N.E. to W. under about all sail Lat 9.38 Long 43.20 E

Sunday 14th first part strong breezes from S.E. steering N.E. middle and latter the same Lat 9.38 Long 43.20 E

Monday 15th first part strong breezes from S.E. steering N.E. at 5 to spoke the ship Harold of N. Bedford Capt. Proctor 13 months out 5.50 on board latter steering N.E. at 12 PM saw breaches ahead 6 miles Lat 9.38 Long 43.20 E

Tuesday 16th first part light breezes from S.E. steering N.E. by S. under all sail at 1 PM saw sperm whales off the lee bow going quick to the lee and did not lower Middle steering by the wind on different tacks latter steering from S.W. to W. Lat 9.38 Long 43.20 E

Wednesday 17th first part strong breezes from S. steering W.S.W. under all sail middle part heading S.E. by the wind latter steering N.E. by the wind Lat 9.38 Long 43.20 E



Mass. L. Gull 18.56

