

Wednesday Nov. 28th Commences with a moderate breeze and haze heading to the E., employed in ship duty, Hoods Island in sight, at sunset tacked to the S. W. - Middlepart tacked to the E. - Latter part the same, employed in ship duty. Lat. by Obs. 1° 39' N.

Thursday Nov. 29th Commences with a light breeze and haze heading to the E., employed in ship duty, at sunset took in the light sails and main sail, Hoods Island bearing N. dist. 15 miles, one sail in sight - Middlepart at 3 o'clock hauled aback the main top sail - Latter part wore ship to the S. W. one sail in sight, employed breaking out the after hatch and stowing water down there. Lat. by Obs. 1° 40' N.

Friday Nov. 30th Commences with a light breeze and haze, heading to the E., employed in the hold, at 4 p. m. saw some breeches and steered for them, but saw nothing more of them, Hoods Island in sight, at sunset took in sail for the night - Middlepart at 3 o'clock hauled aback the main top sail - Latter part made all sail and wore ship to the S. W., at half past 9 a. m. saw breeches and spouts to the windward, thought there was sperm whales going quick, Hoods and Chatham Islands in sight. Lat. by Obs. 1° 35' N.

Saturday Dec. 1st Commences with a light breeze and pleasant weather heading to the E., at half past one p. m. saw sperm whales to the windward, lowered 3 boats, but did not see them out of the boats the whales going quick to the windward, at sunset took in the stay sails and fore top gallant sail - Middlepart at 12 o'clock tacked to the S. W. - Latter part made all sail, at 10 a. m. tacked to the E. Hoods Island in sight. Lat. by Obs. 1° 52' N.

Sunday Dec. 2nd Commences with a light breeze and pleasant weather, heading to the E., commenced coopersing oil at 1 p. m. saw sperm whales, lowered 3 boats and got one took him along side and cut him in - Middlepart employed clearing away the whale - Latter part employed clearing away the head and commenced boiling, one sail in sight. Lat. by Obs. 1° 52' N.

Monday Dec. 3rd Commences with a light breeze and haze heading to the E., employed boiling, spoke the bark Mary Frances of Warren R. I. - Middlepart finished boiling - Latter part saw sperm whales, lowered and got 2, one sail and Hoods Island in sight.

Tuesday Dec. 4th Strong breeze and rugged, took the whales along side and cut them in - Middlepart employed clearing away the heads and commenced boiling, heading to the E. - Latter part the same, one sail in sight.

Wednesday Dec. 5th Strong breeze and rugged heading to the E., employed boiling, one sail and Hoods Island in sight, at sunset wore ship to the S. W. Middlepart wore ship to the E. - Latter part finished boiling, saw sperm whales, lowered 3 boats and got one, one sail in sight.

Thursday Dec. 6th Moderate breeze and pleasant, employed cutting in the whale and commenced boiling - Middlepart heading to the E. - Latter part heading to the S. W., employed boiling, very rainy, Hoods Island in sight.