

Remarks On Board Bark Lamer Of New Bedford

Capt James H Fisher Master

Tuesday Jan 21st 1879

Commenced with fresh breezes and fog from S. Capt Fisher fell from the fore top mast cross trees overboard nearly lost him took the whale to the ship at 4 hours got 2 Chanix on him and hauled forward at 5 to tow him off shore hauls but a short dist off having about a thick fog heading off from W to W.S.W Capt Fisher in great distress till 8 got him more comfortable but he is a very sick man has been out of his head a number of times. Middle strong breezes and thick fog heading W by S the whale in fore end fine but a heavy swell Emplice cutting lost the head the pier fore got a hook in the head it came out hurt the mate yound him up for a while

Lat 43:18 S

Wednesday Jan 22nd

Bim weather from S Emplice a cutting clean up and started the works Capt Fisher now comfortable Enos light seas and fine weather Emplice Boiling Lat 43:14 S find thro out - Temp 60.1 W

Thursday Jan 23rd

Capt Fisher is bad off is hurt inside has raised blood but it has stopped now he is very sore inside breaths a little easy now Commenced with light sea and bearing to the W and N.W.W heading to the S.W Enos with thick fog from the South Emplice Boiling Lat 43:14 S Temp 60.1 W

Friday Jan 24th 1879

Commenced with strong breezes from S.E. by the wind off shore S.W. and S.W.S. Short sail Middle thick and rainy finished Boiling Enos with thick fog No obs

Saturday Jan 25th

Capt Fisher is no better to day has lower pains in his breast and heart Commenced with fresh breezes and thick haze weather from S.E. headed in S.W. for the land saw 4 sails heading off S.W. at 12 middle thick Enos with light breezes and fog squalls Emplice steering down 17 lbs 2 galons Lat 43:35 S

Sunday Jan 26th

Commenced with light and fresh breezes from S with some fog squalls saw 3 sails Enos with strong breezes from S some parts thick and hazy Steaming off down the land the Chronometer is out

Lat 43:45 S

Temp 75.24 W

Monday Jan 27th

Capt Fisher no Commenced with strong breezes better at 8 pm from S to S.W. Steaming off S.W. gave orders and at 8 by 8 at sunset stopped to be put the ship Short sail No land in sight away for Port Enos with strong breezes and hazy from S.W. course N.W.W for Jacksons all fair saw a number of Manbills

Lat 43:20 S

Temp 74.43 W