

Cruising In The South Atlantic

1837 first & middle part of these 24 hours light breezes from S.E. to East & same cloudy
 Wednesday later part lively breezes from N.E. clear
 13th of pleasant weather saw about 15000000 of
 December finbacks & plenty of seals & ship of the
 sea saw boiling during N.W. at these
 24 hours on light N.W. sail repaired
 & bent it again saw no right whale

Latitude by Obs. 35° 23'
 Longitude at 3 P.M. 22° 56'

first part fine breezes from the N.E.
 pleasant weather steering S.S.W. saw
 a great number of finbacks & a plenty
 Thursday of seals saw 1 right whale board without
 14 success at sunset shortened sail for
 the night heading to the Eastward
 middle & later part lively breezes from
 North & flying clouds later part
 steering to the south & to the west
 saw several finbacks Latitude 34° 18'
 Longitude at 3 P.M. 22° 52'

first & middle part of these 24 hours lively
 breezes from N.W. & flying clouds saw
 several whale struck one & lost by the
 harpoon drawing at 8 A.M. spoke ship
 Cicero - saw New Bedford 2 whale
 the wind shifted to the south with rain

Friday & fog saw several whale so ends these
 15. 24 hours with strong S.E. winds & cloudy
 heading to the Eastward under double reefs
 a heavy swell from S.W. No observation

first part strong breezes from S.E. &
 cloudy weather under double reefs saw
 Saturday several whale board without success
 16th later part strong gails from East &
 some rain under short sail saw 1 whale
 heading to the N.E. No observation

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All these 24 hours strong gails from East
 Sunday to N.E. cloudy weather & some rain under
 17th of short sail & no whale weather first part
 December saw 1 whale later 2 & 1 ship in sight
 No observation

All these 24 hours strong gails from N.W.
 Monday to North cloudy & some rain under short
 18th sail later part saw 1 whale spoke ship
 Pacific Collins New Bedford & Wright & 1 sperm
 whale ends more moderate latitude 35° 03'
 Longitude at 4 P.M. 23° 16'

first part fresh breezes from N.W.
 & foggy weather middle & later part
 Tuesday light breezes from N.W. to S.W. & some
 19 fog saw 4 whale board without success first
 part heading to the N.E. later part to the
 N.W. 3 ships in sight 1 cutting No observation
 saw a plenty of seals & few birds
 Latitude at 3 P.M. 22° 45'

All these 24 hours light breezes &
 Wednesday pleasant weather first part from the
 South later from East at 6.30 P.M.
 20 struck 1 whale & parted line 5 ships
 in sight 1 cutting & 1 boiling later part
 saw nothing 4 ships in sight
 Latitude 34° 36'

All these 24 hours light breezes from East
 to N.E. & pleasant weather first part saw
 2 whale 3 ships in sight later part saw
 21 1 whale board struck & held took along
 side & cut him in so ends these 24 hours
 5 ships in sight stove the waist boate
 Longitude 22° 21'

