

Remark On Board

Thursday Dec 11th 1847
First part strong wind from the S.W. at 4 p.m. more moderate made sail leading to the S.E. at 6 were ship to the S.W. and ship in site leading to the S.W. at night took in sail. Second part light. Latter part strong wind from the S.W. and rugged at 7 A.M. spoke the ship Camper of Barbary being our first whale. Lat 36.33 Long 5.09

Friday 12th
First part strong wind from the S.W. starting S.E. and C in company at night took in sail leading to the S.W. mid part strong gale from the S.W. Latter more moderate. Left off starting S.E. the C in site. Lat 37.30 Long 6.30

Saturday 13th
First part strong breeze from the S.W. and fine clear weather starting S.E. at 5 saw a Wright whale head could not get fast at night took in sail. Mid part moderate. Latter part strong wind from the S.W. ship starting S.E. to C. Lat 35.37 Long 5.20 W

Sunday 14th
First part strong from the S.W. and rugged starting S.E. at 1 p.m. spoke the Camper at 1.4. Leaving heavy gale left to the South under close reef main top sail. Mid part more moderate. Latter part light wind from the S.W. and fine weather S.E. Lat 35.47 Long 3.11 W

Monday 15th
First part light airs from the South leading to the East and mid part calm. Latter part light airs from the S.W. and fine weather at 7 p.m. and saw for two Wright whales could not get fast. Lat 35.54

Tuesday Dec 21st 1847

First part fresh wind from the South leading for a while thick and killed him at 5 A.M. took him to the ship put on the block chain took in sail for the light at 6 A.M. commenced cutting at 12 got through the S. 63

Wednesday 22nd

First part fresh wind from the Westward near ship. At 10 A.M. we made sail at dark left the topmasts commenced heeling. Mid part light wind from the Eastward. Latter part calm. Left off heeling. Lat 36.35 Long 2.29 W

Thursday 23rd

Commenced with calm and clear weather. Mid part calm. Latter part light air at 5 got through the heeling at 6 saw two Wright whales. Latter could not get fast going quick to the S.W. to by. Lat 36.47 Long 2.51 W

Friday 24th

First part light airs from the South and fine weather leading to the South at 5 p.m. saw and lowered for a whale going quick to the S.E. and dark stormy sail. Mid part moderate. Latter part light wind from the S.W. and some thick left off starting S.E. with all sail. Lat 37.30 Long 1.27 W

Saturday 25th

First part light wind from the S.W. and fine at 4 p.m. spoke the bark Charleston Port of Southeyport 14 M. out 300 M. from 200 whale. Mid part rising starting S.E. Latter light air from the South leading to the S.E. at 6 A.M. lowered for a Wright whale going quick to the S.W. with out success. Lat 37.13 Long 00.30 E