

Saturday
Sept 3rd
1836

Cruising in the Indian Ocean

Commenced with fine weather
Board struck one whale at
6 pm Got him fast by the
tail took in sail and got the
watch under taken very fine
At 6 Am commenced cutting at 10 Am
finisht and began to haul to end
Lat 39° 58' S Long 39° 40' E

Sunday
Sept 4th
1836

Commenced with fine weather and fine
Breuses from N.E. star to S.W. at
4 pm Saw whale board struck
One at 5 pm had him along side
Weather continues fine
At the middle and the latter part
Got in with bare hook on to the
Whale At 7 Am and at noon finisht
Cutting very by swell and when
we had so ends this 24 hours -

At 8 pm
Saw a ship
Pass steering
to the S.E.

Monday
Sept 5th
1836

Commenced with unsettled weather
Wind from N.W. star to the S.
Raising old pallet at 7 pm
Weather looked bad middle part
About the same latter part cloudy
Weather with strong & light breeze
Alternately so ends Lat 39° 12' S
38° 50' E

Tuesday
Sept 6th
1836

Commenced with unsettled weather
Lap tow boiling & middle part
Rising and equally weather finisht
Boiling All the latter part strong
Gales hands employed in cleaning
Boat so ends Lat 39° 57' S Long 40° 30' E

Wednesday
Sept 7th
1836

Commenced with fair weather strong breeze
The sea on At 4 pm Saw & sail to the leeward
Got ready for stowing down & at day
light Commenced and continued till 11 Am when
Whale board to no avail so ends Lat 39° 59' S

Thursday
Sept 8th
1836

This 24 hours commenced with Calms
And light air continue stowing down
In the fore peak At sunset quit for
The night several whales seen from the
Mast head could them finisht At 11 Am
finisht stowing Saw whale board stuck
Tried him up and sunk him so ends
Latitude 39° 17' S

Friday
Sept 9th
1836

Commenced with fine weather Saw another
Whale board and chased to no success
At 7 pm Shorten sail and lay to
At 5 pm Saw 2 whale board struck and
finisht he sunk lost 2 part of 2 mics
To came on board and shorten sailing
At 11 Am board & mure and latter strong
Gales from N.W. star to the S.W. so ends
Latitude by Dead reckoning 39° 55' S

Saturday
Sept 10th
1836

Commenced with strong Gales from N.W. to
Star N.W. under short huff top sail at
4 pm took in the mainsail At 7 pm took
In the topails and lay to all the
middle and latter part strong Gales so ends
This 24 hours Lat 39° 41' S Saw 2 whale

Sunday
Sept 11th
1836

Commenced with strong Gales from N.W. to
Lap tow headed to the N. and close huff
Main top sail and spencers weather continued
The same all the middle and latter part
So Saw 2 sail steering to N.W. - E by N
So ends Lat 39° 26' S

Monday
Sept 12th
1836

Commenced with A heavy Gale from
N.W. lay too headed to the N.W. &
Continued A strong Gale all the middle
and latter part this 24 hours Lat 39° 21' S

Tuesday
Sept 13th

Commenced with A strong Gale from N.W. to
Lap tow headed to the N. latter part fine
Moderate so ends this 24 hours Lat 38° 54' S