

Remarks on board the Bark Weaver of

Saturday April 20th 1856
 These 24 hours begins with moderate breezes from the S.W. with fine weather ship heading S.E. at day light made sail at 6 A.M. steered off W.P. at 8 A.M. saw breeze to the windward huffed up for it proved to be finbacks at dawn A.M. steered off W.P. middle part moderate breezes at 2 1/2 P.M. steered S by E at sundown shortened sail & huffed by the wind on the darkest deck heading West latter part light breezes & rain at 12 P.M. were ship heading S.E. & saw this day Sat by 66 608 Long by 66 1021

Sunday April 21st
 These 24 hours begins with moderate breezes from the S.W. ship heading S.E. at day light made sail & steered off North Middle part much the same at 2 1/2 P.M. saw sperm whales about 3 1/2 miles off 4 P.M. lowered away the boats whales galled by a whaling bark unknown to us ship 277 struck two & at one at 9 1/2 P.M. took him along side latter part moderate breezes from the S.W. ship heading S.E. with all sail set at 10 1/2 set up the cutting gear & saw this day Sat by 66 608 Long by 66 1021

Monday April 22nd
 These 24 hours begins with moderate breezes from the S.W. with fine weather ship heading S.E. with all sail set at day light commenced cutting in middle part with sculler at 9 1/2 A.M. finished cutting at 10 1/2 A.M. were ship heading West at 11 1/2 A.M. commenced beating latter part fresh breezes from S.W. ship heading West to land this day beating blubber

New Bedford Alfred C Davis Master 1856

Tuesday April 23rd 1856
 These 24 hours begins with moderate breezes from the S.W. with fine weather ship heading West at 5 1/4 A.M. tacked ship heading S.E. watch employed in beating blubber middle part much the same at 11 1/2 finished beating 2 P.M. sailed with rain & closed up the light sails 2 1/2 P.M. tacked ship heading West at 3 P.M. set all sail at sundown tacked ship & shortened sail ship heading S.E. latter part much the same & saw this day Sat by 66 431 Long by 66 912

Wednesday April 24th
 These 24 hours begins with moderate breezes from the S.W. with pleasant weather ship heading S.E. at day light made sail Middle part light breezes from the S.E. at 2 1/2 P.M. tacked ship heading S.E. at 4 P.M. saw a breeze & the weather mist tacked around for it proved to be killers at sun down tacked ship & set in sail ship heading S.E. latter part much the same & saw this day Sat by 66 431 Long by 66 833

Thursday April 25th 1856
 These 24 hours begins with moderate breezes from the Southwestern ship & set the foresail and gaff topsail ship heading S.E. at day light made sail at 6 A.M. tacked ship heading S.W. Middle part much the same watch employed in beating and for under sail coopersing to the fore for back at sun down took in the main course & top gallants sails tacked ship heading S.E. wind from the S.W. latter part much the same & saw this day Sat by 66 431 Long by 66 833