

Wednes. Dec. 11th. First strong winds S. S. W. and
equally Steering S. E. by E. by Compass. Latter part more moderate
all sail set Lat. by obs. 38-13 S. Long. by Chrs. 60-00 E. -

Thursday Dec. 12th. first part fresh breezes from
S. W. and fair, Latter part light winds from S. W. to
W. S. W. employed in sail mending
Lat. by obs. 38-26 S. Long. by Chrs. 63-00 East.

Friday Dec. 13th. first part moderate Winds from
S. W. Middle and latter part fresh breezes from S. W.
to S. S. E. Steering E. S. E. Lat. by obs. 38-42 S. -
Long. by Chrs. 66-26 E. -

Saturday Dec. 14th. Strong winds from S. S. E. Steering
to the Eastward by the wind most of the time under
Double reefed Topsails Lat. by obs. 38-52 South. -
Long. by Chrs. 70-05 East. -

Sunday Dec. 15th. Commences with strong Gales from
S. S. E. Steering to the Eastward by the wind, under Double
Reefs. at 8 P.M. hove to headed to the E. winds from S.
under a Close reefed Main Topsail and Spencers, at 4 A.M.
the wind abated, heavy Rain followed, made Sail and
Steered E. at 10 A.M. cleared off at 11 Do. saw a Right Whale
and lowered 2 Boats. so ends under all Sail got no Whales
Lat. by obs. 38-23 S. - Long. by Chrs. 72-15 E.

Monday Dec. 16th. Commences with fresh breezes
S. W. and smoky Steering E. by S. at 6 P.M. lowered the
Boats for a Right Whale, returned to the Ship without
success. Latter part light winds from W. employed in
sail mending Lat. by obs. 38-02 S. - Long. by Chrs. 74-30 E.

Tuesday Dec. 17th. first part light winds from S. W.
Middle calm latter part light winds from S. W. Steer-
ing E. S. E. employed in sail mending
Lat. by obs. 38-03 S. Long. by Chrs. 75-38 E.

Wednes. Dec. 18th. Commences with light winds from S. W.
and fair at 2 P.M. lowered for a Right whale at 4 took him
to the Ship and commenced cutting at 7 finished
steered S. E. by E. through the night, Latter part light
variable winds at 6 A.M. made Amsterdam Island
leaving E. by S. by S. Compass. so ends Steering towards
the Island employed in cutting the whale into
lower pieces fitting Boats &c. Lat. by obs. 37-57 S.
Long. by Chrs. 76-17 E.

Thursday Dec. 19th. Commences with fresh breezes from
S. E. Steering to the E. at 7 P.M. tacked and Double reefed the
Topsails, Amsterdam I. bearing E. 4 mi. Dis Steering on S. by S. tack
through the night at Daylight Steered for the S. at 8 A.M. under
the Lee, the Island bearing S. W. and the wind from S. W. blowing
very hard almost a Hurricane at times Close reefed the Fore
Topsail and part of the time the Fore Sail hauled up, blowing
to hard to think of lowering a Boat to go fishing at Noon the
middle of the S. bearing W. and strong Gale from W. to W. S. West.

Friday Dec. 20th. at 1 P.M. more moderate lowered two Boats
and pulled in to the land in order to get a melf of fish at 4 Do
returned to the Ship with about 1 1/2 bbl. of fish and one bbl.
of Crayfish at 7 Do. spoke the Bark Wm. D. Wheaton nearly
3 1/2 mo. out 1 Whale at 8 Do. Steered S. E. under Single Reefs
Topsails and Main Topgallantail, at Midnight heavy Gales
from W. S. W. and a light sea running turned up the Lee
Boats at 6 A.M. split the Main Topgallantail and took it in
latter part much the same Lat. by obs. 38-13 S.
Long. by Chrs. 79-50 E.

Saturday Dec. 21st. Commences with strong Gales from
W. S. W. Steering E. S. E. at 2 P.M. hove to under a Close reefed
Main Topsail and Fore Sail and comm. boiling at 8 Do. spoke
the Ship Maria. of New Bedford Clean, at Midnight
moderate, at 6 A.M. light winds from S. W. at 7 Do. finished
haling, made all Sail and Steered E. S. E.
Lat. by obs. 38-48 S.
Long. by Chrs. 80-50 E.