

and the boat went up and
started so ends in chase of the whale

Monday March the 20th the 1848
the first part moderate winds
from N.E. of chasing the whale
the Capt went along side again
but did not get fast to hold on
at sunset came on board took
in sail heading to the N.W. the
middle in strong breeze wore ship
at daylight moderate made sail
heading to the E.S. at 7 am tacked
latter the same in calm in breeze
out for whale so ends this day

Tuesday March the 21st the 1848
the first part strong winds from the
N.E. heading N.W. at 4 pm took
in main topgallant sail at 4:30 am
doubled reefed the topsails and took
in gib and mainsail at sunset lost
sight and wore ship saw the Isle of
Cuba the middle the same at daylight
turned one reef out of each topsail and
set gib and mainsail the watches impl
oid main sprung on at 11:30 am wore
ship so ends off the N.W. part of St. Domingo

Wednesday March the 22nd the 1848
the first part strong winds from N.E.
heading S.W. saw a bark to the lea
ward at 3 pm wore ship at sunset
took in mainsail and gib the middle
moderate winds all round the compass
heading to the Eastward when the wind
would let up at daylight calm made
some sail two sails in sight at 7 am
sent down the fore sail to mend
latter the same so ends this day
Gonave Island bearing E. by S 20 miles

Thursday March the 23rd the 1848
the first part light wind from North
heading to the Westward at 3 pm calm
three sails in sight the watches imploy
ment in the fore sail at 4 pm took a light
breeze from the W. heading to the northward
at sunset shortened sail the N. Point
of Gonave bearing E. by N 15 miles and
Cape de la Pointe bearing N. by E the
middle and latter the same on dif
ferent tacks saw the Bark Rhine
and several other sails so ends this day

Friday March the 24th the 1848
the first part light winds from
the W. heading to the S. at 5 pm
spoke the Rhine took in sail
the middle light wind from the
Eastward on different tacks at day
light made all sail heading S.E.
latter the same so ends this day
Gonave bearing E. by S 10 miles

Saturday March the 25th the 1848
the first part light winds from
the S. steering Southward at 2 pm
steamed W. saw a brig heading to the
Eastward saw St. George's turned up
the main topgallant back stays at
sunset took in sail and luffed to
the wind W. by N middle strong winds
heading to the Westward at daylight
quite moderate made all sail steamed
S.W. by W so ends this day

Sunday March the 26th the 1848
the first a fresh breeze from N.E.
steering S.W. by W at sunset
strong wind and rugged coast
raised the topsails off the West
End of St. Domingo the middle
the same heading to the Northward
latter at 6 pm wore ship
so ends this day