

Sunday March 14th 1869 (Continued)

Lat 35° 05' S. Close reefed the topsails standing to West 2nd Lead part
Long. 75° 41' W. Calm at 4 wind came out light from W. W. This W. W. Co.

24th

Monday March 15th

Comences light wind from S. W. pleasant weather on blair
No. Observe tack heading S. W. at 5 Pm. Lead captured a blackfish, secured
shortened sail. Last part gale of wind from N. with
bald out on blackfish's nose 3/4 b.

Tuesday Mar. 16th

In Observe at Comences gale of wind from W. W. begins to under double reef
main top sail at 3 Pm. wind hauled around to S. W. blowing
gale. Last part same

Wednesday Mar. 17th

Lat 35° 25' S. First part gale of wind from S. W. under short sail on
Long. 75° 41' W. Starboard tack. 2 sails in sight (Merchantman) Last part
fine weather 2 sails in sight. also fishlock

Thursday Mar. 18th

First part fine weather fresh breeze from S. W. 3 sails in sight
at sundown shortened sail. Last part calm

25th

Friday Mar. 19th

Lat 35° 05' S. First part fine weather light breeze from N. W. minus to S. W.
Long. 75° 41' W. at 3 Pm. Joseph Spurr raised whale off weather line large school.
Lowered mate got fast to small one. took him along side at sundown
down Last part fresh breeze from N. with rain cat in whale and
comer reef trying out.

Saturday Mar. 20th

First part fine weather wind from S. W. trying out and under
reparing Larped boat. Last part same finished trying out
at 3 Am. at 8 Am. raised whale 3 points on weather bow
toward at 10.35

Sunday March 21st 1869

Lat 35° 21' S.

Long. 75° 35' W.

3rd Mate boat struck at 1/2 past 12. took him along side
at 4 Pm. finished cutting at 7 Pm. whale last part going
to windward eye good. Last part same wind from N.
at 7 Am. raised whale going to S. W. lost sight of him in evening
the said in sight. trying out.



Monday Mar. 22nd

Lat 35° 26' S. Fine weather light air from N. W. run S. W. until sundown
Long. 75° 49' W. Lapeth wind and took in sail. Last part fresh breeze from
S. W. trying out.

Tuesday Mar. 23rd

Lat 35° 16' S. Cloudy weather strong breeze from S. W. running to N. W. until
Long. 76° 29' W. at 4 Pm. lifted to on Port tack finished hoisting at 4 Pm. whale turned
up 40 b. Last part fresh breeze from S. W. at 7 Am. 3rd Mate raised
whale off starboard Starboard tack. Covered and lost sight of
mate got on. took them along at 1/2 past 11 they stood in
a equal strain at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday Mar. 24th

Lat 34° 50' S. Cloudy strong breeze from S. W. had the whale out in at
Long. 76° 12' W. 5 o'clock commenced trying out at 7 Pm. Last part strong weather
wind from S. W. one sail in sight (Merchantman)

Thursday Mar. 25th

Comences rugged weather wind from S. W. on Starboard tack.
trying out. Last part same. Peter Spurr's charge lone whale
at 2.30 lowered the boat whale was not seen but one rising
after the boat lowered

Friday Mar. 26th

Lat 34° 52' S. Comences rugged strong wind from S. W. finished trying out
Long. 77° 58' W. at 3 Pm. Last part same standing down at

Saturday Mar. 27th

Lat 34° 24' S. Comences rugged wind from S. W. finished standing down
Long. 75° 45' W. 79° 16' at 4.30 Pm. Last part gale of wind from S. W. standing
to S. W.