

Remarks on Board Barge

Friday 6th

Commences today with a strong breeze from the E. S. E. with quite a heavy sea vessel by the wind heading E. crew employed on ships duty we expect to reach our whaling ground in a few days Middle and Latter parts wind the same with a few rain squalls saw nothing so ends this day

Saturday 7th

Commences today with a strong breeze from the E. S. E. vessel by the wind heading E. crew employed on ships duty Middle and Latter parts the wind the same with cloudy weather saw nothing so ends this day

Sunday 8th

Commences today with a moderate breeze from the E. S. E. vessel steering a course E. S. W. with smoky and cloudy weather crew employed on ships duty and washing the ship inside Middle and Latter parts wind and weather the same saw one sail so ends this day

Monday 9th

Commences today with a strong breeze from the E. S. E. vessel steering E. W. crew employed on ships duty At sundown took in sail for the night at 12 O'clock luffed to the wind Middle and Latter parts wind more moderate At 7 O'clock lowered for Blackfish the Thairt boat got one the other boats did not succeed in getting fast came aboard and skinned him saw nothing more so ends this day

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Tuesday 10th

Commences today with a moderate breeze from the E. with fine pleasant weather vessel steering E. W. crew employed breaking out for water & on ships duty saw three sails bound across The Western Ocean At sundown took in sail for the night we have arrived on our whaling ground the 12. 40 sp Middle and Latter parts a strong breeze from the E. S. E. saw one sail so ends this day

Wednesday 11th

Commences today with a strong breeze from the E. S. E. vessel by the wind cruising on different tacks for whalps saw a school of Blackfish lowered two boats and gave chase but without success Middle & Latter parts wind and weather the same saw Blackfish again but did not lower for them also saw Cow fish and got one so ends this day

Thursday 12th

Commences today with a strong breeze from the E. vessel by the wind on different tacks crew employed on ships duty saw porpoises struck one but lost him saw nothing more At sundown took in sail for the night Middle and Latter parts wind & weather the same saw Blackfish but did not lower for them so ends this day

Friday 13th

Commences today with a strong breeze from the E. S. E. vessel by the wind cruising on different tacks for whalps crew employed on ships duty At sundown took in sail for the night Middle and Latter parts wind and weather the same so ends this day