

Friday Oct 30th

Begins strong gales and Rises from S.W.
Standing to the S.E. all hands employed
in Boiling and setting up Pies. at 5 Home
ship to the W.W. and set the Green Top sail
at 6 A.M. finished boiling Made all sails and
went to shooting Bait at 11 saw two Whales Landed
and got them both. So ends the day Lat 36.50
Get the two boats haul out off

Saturday Oct 31st

Begins Light air from S.W. at 3 took the
Whales to the ship but one in and commenced
Boiling at daylight. Worked on to the other
Whale and cut him in. So ends the day
Saw plenty of Whales to Windward but did
not lower and one ship Chasing sperm
Whales Lat 37.14

Sunday Nov 1st

Begins fine Weather standing to the S.
at 3 P.M. spoke the Ship Amethyst
Black 5 Month out 3 Weight Whales
at sundown shortened sail and stood to
the S.W. employed in Boiling. Middle part
fine Weather. Two Whales spouting round
the ship. Latter part stood to the S. under
double reefed main and Mizen. Topsails all Hands
employed in showing down and boiling. So ends
the Amethyst in sight in Whales Lat 37.22

Monday Nov 2nd

Begins fine Weather Light air from S.W. standing
to the S.E. under short sail. employed in
showing down and boiling at 2 saw the Amethyst
take a Whal along side at 3 own ship and stood to
the S.W. Latter part saw a number of Whales
going quick to Windward did not lower then
ends the day employed in boiling the Amethyst
in sight one plenty of finbacks Lat 37.21

Tuesday November 3rd

Begins Light air and calm employed in boiling
at 4 saw 1 Whale lowered and streaked lower him
up on his own to tow at 4 post 11 took the Whale
to the ship at sundown pulled all hands and commenced
cutting saw the Amethyst take a Whale along
side had been a towing all night at 11 finished
boiling and went to showing down. So ends the
day with a dead dead calm Lat 38.16 Long 114.48

Wednesday Nov 4th

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Begins a dead calm all hands employed in showing
down oil at 5 finished showing down and went to
boiling. Had the same ends. Much the same
by sails in sight Lat Lat 38.16 Long 114.07

Thursday Nov 5th

Begins Light air and calm all hands employed
in Boiling at 4 P.M. lowered for a Whale looked
and missed him at sundown spoke the Briton
7 Weight Whales and 1000 bbls of sperm oil
concludes Light air from S.E. steering S.W. &
employed in showing down oil saw 2 Whales and
sail Lat 38.13 Long 114.29

Friday Nov 6th

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Begins a fine breeze from S. steering S.E.
all hands employed in showing down oil at 4 P.M.
finished showing down took in Top Gallant sails
and stood to the S.E. all night under
Whale 3 sails Latter part a fine breeze steered
all About the House saw nothing. So ends
the day shooting 20 Albs

Saturday Nov 7th

Begins a strong breeze from S. steered to
the N. and E. employed in setting up Pies
at 1 saw two Weight Whales lowered without
Success at 5 lowered for 2 more but
could not strike at sundown took in
sail and lay to the S.E. Latter part saw 2
Whales lowered and took one to the ship. So ends shooting
in sight Lat 36.36