

Friday Dec 15th 1848

The first part of the day pleasant with a light moderate breeze, latter part a gale of wind and raining, one ship in sight
Lat 34, 04 South Long 44, 24 W

Saturday Dec 16th

Commenced with pleasant weather, some of the men caught a Porpoise this morning, now we shall have some fresh meat at 7 P.M. spoke the ship Ohio of New Bedford, Capt. Stanton had spent the evening with us, Mr. Bryant brought me a letter from Mrs. Bradley & news of the Brunswick's arrival in N.Y. in October. In the P.M. falls, which denotes a gale of wind -
Lat 37, 57 South Long 44, 49 West

Sunday Dec 17th

It has blowed a gale of wind to day, rather more moderate to night, ship Ohio still in sight
Lat 38, 54 South Long 44, 27 West

Monday Dec 18th

commenced with pleasant weather, the wind blows very hard and a heavy sea running, latter part more moderate
Lat 39, 00 South Long 45, 00 W

Tuesday Dec 19th

first part of this day thick rainy weather, middle part pleasant, latter part pleasant with a light wind &c
Lat 39, 37 South Long 45, 30 West

Wednesday Dec 20th

This day has been pleasant with a light breeze the whale has caught 2. Porpoises this afternoon
Lat 38, 52 South Long 45, 13 W

Thursday Dec 21st

The wind has blown very hard all day, and a bad sea running, there is every appearance of a gale of wind to night
Lat 40, 09 South Long 45, 38

Friday Dec 22d 1848

commenced with fair weather and a sudden change of wind from S.W. to South, the latter part moderate
Lat 40, 22, S Long 46, 50 West

Saturday Dec 23d

first part of the day it blew a moderate gale and was some squally, latter part had a very severe squall, after which it is more moderate.
Lat 40, 25 South Long 46, 04 West

Sunday 24th

It has blown very hard to day, and been squally, with a heavy sea running
Lat 39, 48 South Long 46, 20 West

Monday Dec 25th

This day has been cloudy with the wind blowing strong, have seen several Finback whales, nothing of interest to note
Lat 40, 39, South Long 46, 22 West

Tuesday Dec 26th

first part of the day was cloudy with light air, and variable winds, latter part squally
Lat 41, 25 South Long 46, 15 W

Wednesday Dec 27th

It has been pleasant with a moderate breeze most of the day -
Lat 41, 50 South Long 46, 25 West

Thursday 28th

This day has been rainy, and the wind has blown a gale -
Lat 42, 28 South Long 46, 01 West

Friday Dec 29th

commenced with thick weather and blowing strong latter part pleasant
Lat 42, 50, South Long 46, 30 West