

Journal of a Whaling voyage in the good Bark

70. Thursday Jan 8th. 1852.
Commenced with fresh breezes from N.E. with a heavy swell from S.W. at dark finished boiling. Middlepart moderate. Scatterpart a fine breeze steering N.E. a Barque and Brig in sight, at ends. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.17. S. Long.

71. Friday Jan 9th.
Commenced with fine breezes from S.W. two sails in sight. Middlepart fresh breeze. Scatterpart the same steering South. S. Ends. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.19. S. Long.

72. Saturday Jan 10th.
Commenced with fresh breezes from South at dark took in sail and wore ship to the West. Middlepart moderate. Scatterpart the same. Employed in stowing down oil, saw a Bark steering to the west. S. ends. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.13. S.

73. Sunday Jan 11th.
Commenced with light breezes and fine weather at 4 P.M. finished stowing down. Middlepart, pleasant. Scatterpart the same, steering N.W. by N. Exchanged signals with a Barque steering to the South. S. ends. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.07. S. Long 49.30. W.

74. Monday Jan 12th.
Commenced with fresh breezes from N.E. steering W. at 2 P.M. saw a Bark take a whale at 3 P.M. lowered for whale at 5 P.M. struck and drew the iron at 7 P.M. struck another and at dark took him to the ship and made him fast for the night. Middlepart strong breezes. Scatterpart the same employed in cutting. The above mentioned whales were in sight cutting. S. ends. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.06. S. Long 49.30. W.

Atlantic Commanded by A. G. Smeij

75. Tuesday Jan 13th. 1852.
Commenced with strong breezes and rugged weather employed in cutting at 5 P.M. finished. took supper and set the watch. Middlepart employed in clearing up the decks. Scatterpart squally at 11 A.M. commenced boiling. S. ends this day. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.40. S.

76. Wednesday Jan 14th.
Commenced with fresh breezes from S.W. heading N.W. employed in boiling. Middlepart fresh breezes. Scatterpart employed in boiling. S. ends a Bark in sight. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.07. S. Long 49.50. W.

77. Thursday Jan 15th.
Commenced with strong breeze from S.W. heading N.W. employed in boiling, a Bark in sight boiling. Middlepart strong breezes, wore ship to the South, at daylight finished boiling. Scatterpart fresh gales from S.W. heading N.W. S. ends. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.15. S. Long 49.30. W.

78. Friday Jan 16th.
Commenced with fresh gales from S.W. going to with her head to the N.W. at 4 P.M. furled the foresail. Middlepart more moderate. Scatterpart fresh breezes employed in stowing down oil at meridian wore ship to westward. S. ends. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.15. S. Long 48.00. W.

79. Saturday Jan 17th.
Commenced with fine breezes and pleasant weather, heading west nothing in sight. Middlepart moderate. Scatterpart the same, employed in stowing down oil. S. ends. Home S.S.P. Lat 35.06. S. Long.