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Sunday the 7th a gale yet steering E by S
with the wind after us close
reap top sails middle and
last part masted a
little turned the reefs
out of the top sail and set
the main top gallant sail
saw nothing. Lat 37° 40' south

Monday the 8th the first part strong breeze
steering E by S took out
for water middle and last
part light breeze set the
main royal and fore
top mast stud sail employed
in ship's duty set the 10.30

Tuesday the 9th a light breeze steering E
by S with all sail set employed
in mending sails saw nothing

Wednesday the 10th a light breeze steering E by
S employed in mending
sails saw some porpoises
and a number of fin
backs so goes the time

Thursday the 11th a light breeze from the
W N W steering E with fine
weather caught two porpoises
and saw a number of fin
backs at 10.30 A.M. saw a
sperm whale and lowered
for him but could not catch
Lat 39° 20' south 11

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Friday the 12th a light breeze from W by S
steering E by S saw some porpoises
employed in ship's duty last part
a strong breeze from the S W
with some rain took in the main
royal and main top gallant stud
sail saw nothing at 10.30 Lat 40° 37'

Sat the 13th the first part a strong breeze
steering E by S took in the top
gallant sails and jibs last part
half a gale close reap the top
sails and furled the main sail
saw rain saw nothing to day
set down the main royal yard

Sunday the 14th the first part masted
some turned the reefs out of
the top sails and set the top
gallant sails jibs and fly jibs
middle and last part fresh
breeze steering E by S on the
wind saw some fin backs and
struck two porpoises but the
iron drew so much that they

Monday the 15th the first part a good breeze
steering E by S saw a plenty of
fin backs middle and last part
strong breeze steering E took
in the main sail and fore top
gallant sail and fore top mast
stud sail and set 10.30 goes
Lat 41° 35' south
Long 88° West

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