

Sunday Sept the 17 com with fine weather  
with a light breeze from the N.W. B.X.  
under all sail Course S.W. by S. 1/2 E. To  
day had a man Edward by the name  
of Manuel Perosa to whip & flog a boy  
Edward. This Manuel Perosa is the same  
man that we put in irons for fighting  
last month on the 23. The Captain told  
him that the next time that he got a  
fighting that he would not put him in  
irons but he would whip him. So Capt  
Benton gave him 2 or 3 Slaps with his  
hand a long side of his head

Mon Sept the 18 com with squally  
weather with a fresh breeze from the  
N.E. B.X. under topsails heading  
S.W. by S. To day we picked up a spar &  
we caught 19 net fish that was around it  
we are to going to make a Davit out of it

Tues Sept the 19 com with clear weather with  
a fresh breeze from the N.E. B.X. under  
topsails heading S.W. by S. To day have been  
employed in making a Davit

Wed Sept the 20 com with squally weather  
with a fresh breeze from the N.E. B.X.  
under topsails heading S.W. by S. Have been  
employed to day on the Davit

Thurs Sept the 21 com with squally weather  
with a fresh breeze at 10 AM fine weather  
& calm. To day finished the Davit & put  
it up at 2 P.M. a light breeze from the  
N.W. Course S.W. by S.

Fri Sept the 22 com with bad weather  
with a strong breeze & heavy squalls from  
the N.W. B.X. under topsails heading  
S.W. by S. at 3.30 P.M. close reefed the  
topsails & altered the course & sent out  
kites & net. Picked up one lb of xerosene

Sat Sept the 23 1882  
com with pleasant weather & calm at 10  
AM a light breeze from the N.E. B.X. under  
all sail Course S.W. by W. To day Broke out  
fresh water. Picked up another cuse of  
xerosene

Sun Sept the 24 com with pleasant weather  
with a light breeze from the N.E. B.X. under  
all sail Course S.W. by W at 9.00 AM Raised  
a school of small sperm whales coming  
to the windward. Toward the boat for  
them did not get any. I think that the  
whales were. Spurred by a merchantman  
that passed close to them. Although Capt  
Benton told me that I killed them  
with my Paddles, if I was a fool he  
could make me believe it. For I did not  
get within 1/4 of a mile of them.

Mon Sept the 25 com with squally  
weather with a fresh breeze from  
the N.E. at 6.30 AM Raised sperm  
whales. Toward for them. The B. Boat  
struck a whale at 9 AM took him to  
the ship at 11.30 AM. Commenced  
to cut him at 1 P.M. at dark had  
his body in left his head until  
morning

Tues Sept the 26 com with fine weather  
took his head in. Started to boil  
at 1 P.M.

Wed Sept the 27 com with pleasant  
weather with a light breeze. Employed  
in Bailing at 2 P.M. a calm. The  
Captain went on Board of a merchant  
man an Italian The Donna from  
Lisbon bound to New York

Raised by Mr. Carpenter