

Ship Balaena of New Bedford Capt John Darn
Thursday Nov. 16th 1854

This day Comes in with light Breezes from S.E. the
Ship Standing to the S.W. at Sunset Charles Island
bearing N.W. Saw nothing latter part being Domingo
is Still off Duty Sick Ends with light Breezes

Friday Nov. 17th
Comes in with fine Weather and light trade Winds
the Ship Standing to the S.W. by the Wind Saw nothing
Ends with fine Weather unluck the Mainmast and
lost another Sheadore Willcut off duty Sick
Lat by obs 2.34 Long by Chron 92.01

Saturday Nov. 18th
This day Comes in with fine Weather and
Moderate trade Winds the Ship Standing
to the Westward Saw nothing latter part being
Lat by obs 3.36 Long by Chron 93.01

Sunday Nov. 19th
Comes in with light trades the Ship Standing
to the Westward Middle part much the same Saw
with fine Weather. saw a school of Blackfish but
could not get to them Domingo is some better and
stands his Watch Sheadore by same better
Lat by obs 4.10 Long by Chron 94.36

Monday Nov. 20th
This day Comes in with fine Weather and Moderate
trade Winds the Ship Standing to the S.W. Saw
of Finbacks and porpoises Ends with light
Breezes
Lat by obs 5.20 Long by Chron 95.01

Tuesday Nov. 21st
Comes in with fine Weather and Moderate
trade Winds the Ship Standing to the S.W.
Saw finbacks & porpoises
Lat by obs 6.20 Long by Chron 96.01

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Wednesday November 22nd 1854

This day Comes in with gentle trade Winds the
Ship Steering off W.N.W. at Sunset luffed to
the Wind to the Southward at daylight Steered off
W.N.W. Saw finbacks
Lat by obs 6.42 Long by Chron 98.10

Thursday Nov. 23rd
Comes in with fine Weather and Moderate trades
the Ship Steering off W.N.W. saw nothing Middle and
latter part fresh trade Winds Saw finbacks, Sardinians
and off Duty Sick with the Venereal
Lat by obs 5.50 Long by Chron 98.45

Friday Nov. 24th
Comes in with strong trades the Ship Steering off
S.W. at Sunset luffed to the Wind to the S.E.
Middle part much the same latter part Steering W.
Saw nothing Lat by obs 5.08 Long by Chron 99.36
Long by Lunar obs 98.53

Saturday Nov. 25th
This day Comes in with fine Weather and Moderate
trades the Ship Steering off W.S.W. at Sunset luffed
to the Wind to the S.W. at daylight Steered off
W. Saw finbacks Lat by obs 5.09 Long by Chron 100.20
Long by Lunar obs 100.09

Sunday Nov. 26th
This day Comes in with fresh trade Winds the Ship
Steering off S.W. at Sunset luffed to the Wind to the
S.E. at daylight Offed Ship to the Southward Saw
porpoises & finbacks Sardinians Still off duty Sick
Lat by obs 5.02 Long by Chron 100.45
by Lunar obs 100.42

Monday Nov. 27th
Comes in with light trades the Ship Steering off
N at Sunset luffed to the Wind to the South
latter part Steering to the North a N. Brig in sight
Steering S.W.
Lat by obs 4.40 Long by Chron 101.52