

Ship Robt Eamaly Coast of Calif

Monday 23. of November 1840

Strong S.W. wind two ships in sight to the eastward at 6 PM saw a large whale gave chase but too late mid afternoon steering to the N.W. later part of the Captains Lewis of St. Beaufort. 35 mos out 14.50 lbs Dried Oil

Massachusetts 9 E Dist 10 Mos

Tuesday 24.

Fresh wind from South and clear weather one ship in sight steering N. 9. 11

Massachusetts E by S. 11 Mos

Wednesday 25

No rain at midday and pleasant weather one ship in sight

Massachusetts S 10 Mos

Thursday 26.

Light winds and pleasant laying off and on at Massachusetts one boat on shore a floating midday and later part steering off to the S.W.

Massachusetts N.E. 20 Mos

Friday 27.

Light winds and clear heading off shore saw a ship

Massachusetts E 40 Mos

Saturday 28.

Light winds and pleasant cruising three ships in sight

Massachusetts S.E. 40 Mos

off Massachusetts Eamaly Howland No. 1840

Sunday 29. of November 1840

All this day brisk winds and clear spots the Elizabeth Starbuck Chase of Nantucket 37 mos out 15.00

Massachusetts S 3 Mos

Monday 30

Fresh winds from N and heavy weather heading N by N saw Sulphur Bottoming S. later part wind South

Massachusetts S.E. 50 Mos

Tuesday 31. of December 1840

Strong winds from S and clear steering to the Eastward at 6 AM saw whales towered and fought them so came on board at Meridian whales still in sight unless our men going quick the Island of Swan Heruanay in sight bearing E by N 30 Mos Dist

Wednesday 2. of December

Fresh winds and fine weather whales still in sight coming up with them at 1 PM towered and caught three one to each boat at 6 got them along side bay by them all night later part cutting



S.P. 45.

Swan Heruanay E.P.E. 25 Mos  
Massachusetts N. 9. 60 Mos