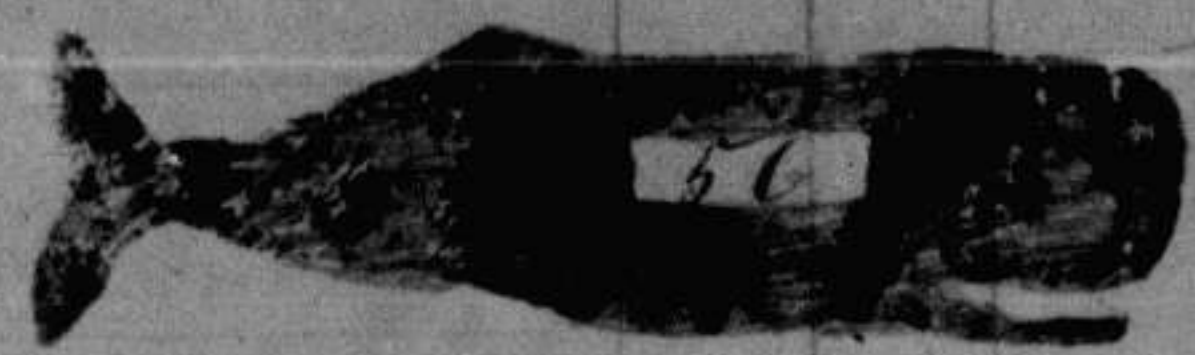


Bark *Staph* of Port Bedford. Edward Stoffin master

Wednesday Feb 25th Commenced with the wind South with fog

1 P.m. lit up and saw Whales and toward 4 boats and went in per suite the Whales were the islander got some of them at noon I got with in two darts of them & twice and they settled the next time I was on there in Seirum with them on the eye and the second mate went on and



Struck and when turned round saw a boat Sundown and the ship 8 miles of bearing S. E. by S and a came 11 miles part got him to the ship and got Super

and let them all go to bed the Capt. in Store the watch 5 A.m. Cold all hands this part the fine wind North in play in but in 10 the m. in spoke us

Thursday Feb 26th Commenced with fog in play in but in

Saw the islander abating 5 P.m. got the Cape over but this part in play in but in the 8 P.m. had in play in but in middle and later part Strong breezes from S. W. to South apart of the time fore top Sail in in play in but in and setting up Shocks for oil Fat 43 45 Long 15 52

Friday Feb 27th Commenced with Strong breezes from the S. W. with a heavy swell on under double reef top Sails in play in but in and set in up Shocks middle and later part in play in but in Wind from the Word Fat Long

Saturday Feb 28th Commenced with fresh breezes from the S. W. in play in but in and stowing of the oil on the Carboard side aft the blubber room 4 P.m. all threw sayling Sundown took in Sail Wind W. S. W. thick and overcast middle and later part fine weather Wind W. S. W. Fat Long

Sunday March 1st Commenced with fine weather Wind W. S. W. all Sail out heading to the North Sundown took in Sail middle and later part this part foggy 5 A.m. wore ship of Shore Wind S. W. heading Fat Long

At Landing of Quasi for Sperm Whales

Monday Mar 2nd Commenced with rain 1 P.m. the Wind hauled to the S. W. and Cloud of 3 P.m. the Capt. went on board of the islander 7 P.m. came on land and wore ship to the S. W. heading W. S. W. middle and later part fresh breezes from the S. W. in play in but in Fat Long

Tuesday Mar 3rd Commenced with fresh breezes heading to the S. W. in play in but in Coopering oil Sundown took in Sail and wore ship to the South middle and later part thick fog overcast with Wind W. S. W. in play in but in Coopering oil a kept the blubber room

Wednesday Mar 4th Commenced with thick weather heading to the North in play in but in Stowing oil 4 P.m. all down the Capt. went on board of the merchant middle and later part foggy heading to the S. W. this part in play in but in Washing ship in Side Fat Long

Thursday March 5th Commenced with fog and rain in play in but in scrubbing decks 4 P.m. all threw 8 P.m. thick fog Wind light from the Word under double reef top Sails middle and later part foggy 10 A.m. lit up this part in play in but in making setting ship out of the old port rope of the old fore sail Fat 43 44 Long

Friday March 6th Commenced with fog Squalls saw at Bark Bound is Side of quasi this part wind light from the W. S. W. this part in play in but in mending the old main top sail Sundown took in Sail middle and later part Strong breezes from the W. S. W. heading on the S. E. Stowing to the S. E. in play in but in mending the old main top sail

Saturday March 7th Commenced with Squalls of rain in play in but in the main top sail half past 6 the Capt. went on board of the merchant for a few minutes middle and later part this part in play in but in the old main top sail and main top Gallant sail Wind from the Word Fat 43 43 Long