

Im played in Sending Sails

Bark Sappho of New Bedford Edward S. Coffin in master
Sunday March 8th Commenced with fine weather im played
in sending the old main top Sail and main top gullent Sail
and sent the fore Sail down and sent the main top Sail
up in its place took her reef in it and it made a good
fore Sail middle and later part rainy 11 A m Clear of
Wind hauled to the SSW Strong breezes under double reef top
Sails Saw the island of the weather quarter Got 43 43
Long 75 34

Monday Mar 9th Commenced with Strong breezes from
the SSW heding to the wind 11 P m spoke the island
And Captin Cook came on board took in the fore
top Sail for the night middle and later part fine weather
wind south im played in mending the fore Sail with
lig stuff Got 43 34 Long 75 37

Tuesday Mar 10th Commenced with fine weather Wind
from the South All Sail out im played in the fore Sail
Sundown took in the light Sails heding to the Wind
middle and later part fine weather this part im played in men-
ding the fore Sail Got 43 34 Long

Wednesday Mar 11th Commenced with fine weather Wind South
im played on the fore Sail 4 P m all down sent the old
main top Sail down and sent the fore Sail Sundown
took in Sail heding to the S E middle and later part
7 A m foggy im played in clearing of the forward boxes
and stowing it of Got Long

Thursday Mar 12th Commenced with fair Weather Wind
South this part sent the fore top Sail down to mill
stick and sent the main up in its place and took in
Bene reef in it 7 P m fresh breezes from the South
heding S E middle and later part fair weather Wind South
im played in middle sticking the fore top Sail 11 A m the
Wind S W with rain made up the Sail Got Long

Friday Mar 13th Commenced with the Wind S W with rain
3 P m Wind hauled to the S W better fair heding to the S W
middle and later part 6 A m Saw Sperm Whales
towards South towards 11 boats for them 7 A m
I boat struck 9 A m West boat struck

A Cruising of guano for Sperm Whales

Saturday Mar 14th Commenced with fresh breezes from the
North two boats fast to Whales 1 P m got the west
boats whale to the ship half past 3 took the Starboard
boats whale a long side 4 P m began to cut 11 P m
blowing fresh with rain much of cutting and made Sail
A double reef main top Sail and lost reef fore and
fore Sail 11 P m the flock Chain hook came out
around the specks and left the Chain on the plank
there this part heding S by E Wind S W Saw the
island a cutting to windward later later part
im played in cutting much got the head of

Sunday Mar 15 Commenced with Strong breezes from
the SSW im played in cutting lost a hook and Shack
11 4 P m flock appeared Chain put out and lost
the whale from his hump left saw the breakers of dark
side along shore the part heding S E middle
part 10 the watches later part in side of guano
im played in cutting 7 A m barometer and lig
ht rises from the S W Saw a brig

Monday Mar 16 Commenced with light airs from the
S W im played in cutting half past 7 took in the
last case this part im played in voyling guano being
W by S unimpaired barometer S E 7 P m heding S E W
middle part heding S W and S by W thick and foggy
6 A m Saw breakers of the island Wind hauled to
the South wore ship and run in side of guano
and came out around the South end im played in
voyling blowing fresh from the South

Tuesday Mar 17th Commenced with fresh breezes from the
South im played in voyling and breaking out for Shuck
heads middle and later part im played in voyling
Wind S W Starling S by E thick and foggy

Wednesday Mar 18th Commenced with fog im played in voyl-
ing 7 P m heding S W by S middle and later part
im played in voyling this part thick and rainy Wind
S W Starling S by E Got 43 34 Long