

Bureau Sarah
Thursday March 17th This twenty four hours
begins with suggest weather and strong
breeze from S E ship on the port tack
with double reefed topsails six oc to ck
took in all but foresail and main topsail
latter part weather the same ship
under topsails and courses Lat 50 48

Friday March 18th Commences with strong
breeze from the Eastward ship at
Leaving South with main top galant
sail out 4 o'clock P M hauled to the
125 wind reaching S E S W Middle part
wind S E S ship on the port
tack 10 o'clock raised sperm whales
at half past Eleven towed two
boats and within about one and half
hours the Harbour boat struck and
killed and got him along side at
half past three. Lat 51 56

Saturday March 19th This twenty four hours
begins with a light breeze from the
East Commenced cutting at half past
4 and got his jaw in at sunset
lasted down for the night Middle
part fine weather. Latter part wing
from the Eastward Employed
in cutting. Cook still off duty
with a fellow on his thumb.
Lat 51 52

Mattapoisett
Sunday March 20th This twenty four hours
begins with strong East wind
got the whales body in at half past three
P M. Wore ship and got the whale
all in and early thing done at nine P M
and commenced boiling. Middle part strong
breeze with a little rain. Latter part
weather the same Employed in boiling
Lat 52 26

Monday March 21st This twenty four wind
also from the Eastward with quite a heavy
sea ship made about reefed main topsail
Middle and latter part weather
more moderate Employed in boiling
stowing down & No observation

Tuesday March 22nd This twenty four
hours begins with strong breeze from
N E and rain. One o'clock cooled down
5 P M spread in old foresail over the
works and commenced boiling again
Ship on the port tack Middle and
latter part fine weather Employed
in boiling and stowing down Lat 52 40

Wednesday March 23 Commences with fine
weather Ship reaching N E on the
Harbour tack under foresail and
main topsail Middle and latter part
squally and rainy. Got the old fore
sail up over the works and continued
boiling &c &c Lat nearly the same as yesterday
Eleven o'clock Long very little to the westward
No raised whale lowered the boats and got two