

Remarks on Board Bark S.B. Hale

Tuesday Feb 4 begins with light pleasant breeze ship steering by the wind heading S by E middle part the same latter part breeze the same ship heading the same

Lat 12-16 S Long 43 E

Wednesday Feb 5 begins with light pleasant breeze ship by the wind heading S by E at 3 o'clock wind veered to the starboard a little ship heading S by W on the port tack breeze light middle part light winds and weather at 4 o'clock on tack ship latter part the same ship heading S by E by the wind broke out beef and pork and bread

Lat 12-14 S Long 30 E

Thursday Feb 6 begins with light baffling winds and waves ship going round and round at 13 o'clock by raised sheets some that looked very much like sperm whales toward starboard and waste boats but saw nothing after lowering rather from the bows or ship's side 3 miles to the windward middle part light baffling winds ship heading from S by E on the starboard tack and head S by W on the port tack latter part breeze more steady ship on the port tack heading S by W at 11 o'clock raised small white water on the sea beam gun for it which proved to be finback broke out water

Lat 12-30 S Long 41 E

Friday Feb 7 begins with fresh breeze ship running for small white water which proved to be finback left to the wind at 12 1/2 m on the port tack headed S by W at 2 o'clock on tack ship headed S by E at 3 o'clock on tack ship again and headed S by W middle part breeze the same heading the same latter part the same

Lat 13-36 S Long 41 1/2 W

A. C. Sherman Master

Saturday Feb 8 begins with a strong breeze ship steering by the wind heading S by W middle part breeze the same and heading the same latter part the same with setting of fore top galant rig

Lat 13-04 S Long 48 W

Sunday Feb 9 begins with strong breeze ship by the wind headed S by W 12 1/2 m on tack ship headed then S by E middle part breeze the same and headed the same latter part the same at 4 o'clock by passed a whaling rig to the sea of or about 1 mile

Lat 13-57 S Long 29 E

Monday Feb 10 begins with a strong breeze ship by the wind on the starboard tack and heading S by W middle part breeze the same headed the same latter part at 6 o'clock on tack ship and headed S by W on the port tack at 4 o'clock

Lat 13-45 S Long

Tuesday Feb 11 begins with a pleasant breeze ship by the wind on the port tack watch at work overhauling the fish table blocks at 4 o'clock on tack ship and headed S on the starboard tack middle part strong breeze at 1 o'clock on tack ship and headed S by W on the port tack latter part light breeze ship heads the same

Lat 14-33 S Long 51 E

Wednesday Feb 12 begins with light pleasant breeze ship by the wind on the port tack and heading S by W middle part breeze the same and headed the same latter part at 6 o'clock on tack ship and headed S on the starboard tack

Lat 15-18 S Long 30 E

whales in sight