

Ship Tristan of New Bedford

Friday Jan 4th

First part thick weather with heavy squalls of rain and wind at sunset south end of Dean Island 11 miles distant which speaking to Cape Cod with rain and about Middle and latter part weather the same

Saturday Jan 5th

First part light breeze from the North at sunset the south side of Dean Island bearing N. 4 miles distant Middle and latter part squally

Sunday Jan 6th

First part strong breeze from the North with squalls of rain at sunset the west end of Dean bearing South 10 miles distant island bearing North 5 miles distant Middle and latter part fine weather ship heading to the eastward

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Monday Jan 7th

First part fine weather at 1 P.M. left went all shore on the west end of Appatawa at 4 returned with anything at sunset 3 P.M. bearing S. 4 miles distant island bearing N. 11 miles distant Dean bearing S. 12 miles distant wind from N.E. whole watching ship making two windward Middle and latter the same

Tuesday Jan 8th

First part light breeze from N.E. ship lying off and on at Appatawa then back to shore at 6 back returned with a load of accounts at sunset the land bearing S. 4 miles distant end of Resolute 11 miles bearing S.W. 6 miles distant ship heading to windward Middle the same latter employed getting of accounts

Wednesday Jan 9th

Fine clear weather S.W. and B. Boat employed getting of accounts at 5 P.M. saw a school of sperm whales going quick to windward Middle light air 3 P.M. employed getting of accounts