

Sunday Dec 11 1859
light airs from the NE fine
pleasant weather nothing to
be seen at 7 at night sounded
43 fathoms latter part fine
weather at meridian 58 fathoms
Lat 36. 58 Long 54. 25

Monday Dec 12
fine weather wind from NE
steaming at 5 on middle fine
weather wind variable at 1 PM took
a strong squall from the SE then
rain. latter part fresh winds from
NW to SW
Lat 37. 16 Long 54. 40

Tuesday Dec 13
strong winds from the SW at 3
doubt reefed at 4 in fore & main
head to the SE mid and latter part
fresh winds fine weather
at midnight more ship to the
to the SW Lat 37. 48 Long 56. 08
46 fathoms

Wednesday Dec 14
fine weather wind ESE heading
to the South by the wind at night
doubt reefed mid and latter part
fine weather wind from the East
Lat 38. 24 Long 56. 58
62 fathoms water

Thursday Dec 15 1859
fine weather wind from the East
at 3 lowered for a humpback plank of
birds and fish at night in sail Steered
SSE mid and latter part moderate smoky
Lat 39. 24 Long 56. 42

Friday Dec 16
fresh winds from the East Steaming
to the SW at 5 spoke the excell of Sag
Harbour 14 whale mid and latter part
strong breezes some fog at 10 fog lighted
made sail headed to the west by the wind
Lat 39. 33 Long 55. 50
55 fathoms

Saturday Dec 17
strong winds from the North at
2 saw a Right Whale lowered & chased
got nothing at 6 in sail strong
wind mid strong breeze from the
North latter light winds thick smoky at
8 saw two Right whales lowered with
high hopes got very near the whales
the wind all left and the whales kept
on going so we could not get up
Lat 39. 37 56 fathoms

Sunday Dec 18
moderate winds from the North thick
weather sea but little excitement at night
in sail mid and latter part light
airs calm most of the time
thick fog caught lots of fish
55 fathoms water