

Dec 30. th

1856

Journal of J. W. Scher Waterbury
Remarks onboard Tuesday
All of these 24 hours strong N.E. trades
at 6 A.M. lowered the boats & took a
cruise in the bay. at noon came on
board. Saw nothing. So ends this day.

Dec 31. th

1856

Remarks onboard Wednesday
All of these 24 hours strong N.E.
trades. at 6 A.M. lowered the boats
and cruised in the Bay. at noon came
on board. Saw nothing. So ends these 24 hours.

Jan 1st

1857

Remarks onboard Thursday
All of these 24 hours strong N.E. trades.
at 6 A.M. lowered the boats and took a
cruise in the Bay. at 11 came onboard.
Saw nothing. So ends this day. all well.

Jan 2. th

1857

Remarks onboard Friday
All of these 24 hours strong gales
from the S.E. at 5 A.M. the Sks
Oliver Clark & Montizuma left the Bay
at 6 A.M. lowered the boats and cruised
at 11 came on board. Saw nothing. So ends this day.

Jan 3. th

1857

Remarks onboard Saturday
All of these 24 hours strong
N.E. trades at 6 A.M. the Bark
John Duval left the Bay. at 6
A.M. lowered the boats and cruised
at 10 came onboard. So ends this day.

Jan 4. th

1857

Remarks onboard Sunday
all of these 24 hours strong N.E.
trades at 6 A.M. got under way
and run down the coast
all hands employed at ship's duty
So ends this day.

Jan 5. th

1857

on a Whaling Voyage in the A. M.
Remarks onboard Monday
All of these 24 hours gentle N.E. trades
at 5 p.M. came too anchor 20 miles
too the Northward of Cape Barbest in
14 f. of water at 6 A.M. got under way
at 7 saw a whale lowered the boats
at 8 the La Boat struck and killed the
whale at 9 took his long side
at noon finished cutting cutting
Saw the Brig Medford and B. Stafford Boiling
So ends these 24 hours.

Jan 6. th

1857

Remarks onboard Tuesday
All of these 24 hours strong N.E.
trades at 5 p.M. came too anchor
in 14 f. of water at Cape Barbest barring
W by S 20 miles distance. So ends this day
at 10 finished Boiling 3 bbls.

Jan 7. th

1857

Remarks onboard Wednesday
All of these 24 hours strong N.E.
trades at 6 A.M. got under way at 8
saw a whale lowered the boats and saw
nothing afterwards. So ends this day.

Jan 8. th

1857

Remarks onboard Thursday
All of these 24 hours strong N.E. trades
at 5 p.M. came too anchor off Gorea
Bay in 13 f. of water. So ends this day.

Jan 9. th

1857

Remarks onboard Friday
All of these 24 hours strong N.E. trades
at 6 A.M. got under way. So ends this day.

Jan 10. th

1857

Remarks onboard Saturday
first part of these 24 hours gentle N.E.
trades at 4 p.M. came too anchor off Gorea
Bay in 14 f. of water middle and latter
part of this day heavy gales from the
N.E. and a heavy sea running from the N.W.
So ends this day.