

1917 - December - 1917

Monday-24. cont.

At sunrise saw 4 fifty barrel hulk
and got 3 of them. but in two of them

lat. 33-00

long. 44-45

Tuesday-25:

S.E. winds all day and strong.
but in the other whale and lashed
to on the port tack under the main
topsail.

lat -

long -

Wednesday-26.

Fresh S.E. winds and cloudy weather.
Vessel lying to on port tack. Boiling.
Saw a merchant vessel.

lat. 33-35

long. 45-03

Thursday-27.

Strong southerly winds and clear
weather. Vessel on port tack under
lower topsails. Got through boiling. At
sunrise saw some spouts and a
white water which probably were
sperm whales.

lat. 33-52

long. 45-31

Friday-28.

Light S.W. winds and good clear
weather. Seas still big. Vessel running
under all sail. Stowed 117 barrels
of oil.

lat. 33-50

long. 45-36

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Saturday-29.

Light N.W. winds and good weather.
Seas smooth. Vessel cruising under all
sail. Stowed 50 barrels of oil today.

lat. 33-50

long. 44-10

Sunday-30.

Fresh southerly winds and smoky
weather all day. Course N. by E. Saw
a few grampas breaching.

lat. 33-05

long. 45-36

Monday-31.

Strong winds from the N.W. and
foggy weather. Vessel running under
upper topsails. Course N. by E. Saw
a merchant vessel. At sundown saw
a large sperm whale going to the southwest.

lat. 33-10

long. 45-04

And so ends the year 1917