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Saturday May 5th This day comes in with a light breeze from the Southward At 6 a.m. we set the main sail and started and stood to the Westward At 10 a.m. raised whale lowered and the starboard boat struck and got stove slightly came alongside and hooked on to the whale and at 7:30 p.m. finished cutting the whale and took up - took in the main sail Calm. raised more whale.

So ends this day Sat 38-36 Long
Sunday 6th This day comes in with it calm raised whale lowered and struck three and the iron came out of one and a lone whale showed the fin of another brought the ship alongside and cut her in. So ends this day

Monday 7th This day comes in with it fine saw whales but did not get any new employed in working on oil So ends this day

Tuesday 8th This day comes in with a light breeze from the S. W. saw blackish lowered and struck one and the iron came out and then it heaved up fresh from the S. E. took in sail and stood to the Westward So ends this day

Wednesday 9th This day comes in with a fresh North wind under short sail morning to the Westward So ends this day

Thursday 10th This day comes in with a fresh North wind latter part the same So ends this day

Friday 11th This day comes in with a light breeze from the Westward we raised in sight called her a whale latter part the same So ends this day

Sat. 12th This day comes in with a light breeze from the S. W. raised whale lowered and got two came alongside and cut her in So ends this day

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Sunday 13th This day comes in with a fresh S. West wind under two top sails and heading to the Westward At 3 p.m. took the John A. Mearns of Provincetown with 100 lbs. of sperm oil latter part the same So ends this day

Monday 14th This day comes in with a fresh breeze from the S. E. set the main sail and stood to the Southward in company with the John A. Mearns at 3 p.m. saw Mearns boat down and then raised a school of whales close by lowered and got one brought the ship alongside and made fast for the night. So ends this day

Tuesday 15th This day comes in with fine weather and wind to the Westward. Raised a school of whales lowered and the starboard boat went up alongside of a whale and the boat skinned the whale nose and struck a whale and as soon as the line set caught the iron came out - went up alongside of another and struck another and the iron came out again Boat came alongside and finished cutting the whale and set the works again that was caught the day before. So ends this day

Wednesday 16th This day begins with fine weather Raised whale lowered and the starboard boat struck one and the starboard boat John Mearns boat skinned raised one boat came alongside and started to cut in raised more whales broke John Mearns and found the starboard boat with Olanow's Oilmore Boat skinned in her and got her came alongside and cut her in So ends this day

Thursday 17th This day comes in with a light breeze from the S. W. Raised whale lowered and got two came alongside and cut her in So ends this day