

New York, N.Y. Nov 25<sup>th</sup> 1843

Saturday Nov 25<sup>th</sup>

First Part of this Day strong gales from the NW and Rainy thick weather laying too leading to the Westward. Middle Part strong gales and clear weather at 9 P.M. we rounded to the SE & latter part more moderate but a heavy sea made more sail and kept of to the Eastward saw several fin back whales but no white so ends this Day Lat 32° 31' Lon by Chron 97° 00' East

Sunday Nov 26<sup>th</sup>

First and middle parts of these 24 hours Pleasant weather with a heavy swell steering to the Southward winds NW latter part strong gales from the Northward with rain so ends this Day saw several fin back whales Lat 38° 24'

Monday Nov 27<sup>th</sup>

First Part of these 24 hours strong gales from the Westward steering South middle part more moderate took in sail and lay by at night at day light kept of SE Pleasant weather but a heavy sea on saw several fin back whales but no white so ends this Day Lat 39° 39' South

Tuesday Nov 28<sup>th</sup>

First and middle parts of these 24 hours thick Rainy weather steering SE winds from the Northward latter part strong winds and clear weather saw nothing this Day so ends this Day as usual Lat 41° 10' North

Lon by Chron 101° 14'

Goose Hummock Nov 25<sup>th</sup> 1843

Wednesday Nov 25<sup>th</sup>

All this Day thick weather and Rain first Part steering SE with strong winds from the Northward at 4 P.M. hauled up East and doubled reefed the topsails and took in the main sail blowing heavy with a bad sea on latter part more moderate made sail as occasion required so ends this Day nothing in sight Lat 41° 00' Lon by Chron 104° 09' East

Thursday Nov 30<sup>th</sup>

First Part of this Day strong gales from the NW and hazy weather steering to the SE & middle and latter parts heavy squalls from the Westward with Rain took in and made sail as occasion required so ends this Day saw several fin back whales Lat 39° 23' South

Lon by Chron 106° 30'

Friday Dec 1<sup>st</sup>

First and middle parts of these 24 hours moderate weather wind from the WSW steering to the Eastward latter part strong winds from the NW and passing clouds saw several fin back whales steering SE for 24 hours this 24 hours Lat 39° 10' South

Lon by Chron 109° 16'

Saturday Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>

First Part of these 24 hours strong gales from the NW and a heavy sea steering SE at 1 P.M. took in all but the close reefed main top sail and main spencer and hove too middle part squally with rain latter part strong gales from the Westward steering SE Lat 39° 31' Lon 111° 23'