

Ship Board of New Bedford in the South

Remarks On Board Monday November 19th 1838

First Part of these 24 hours Commences with Gentle Breeze from the North Ship sailing on different Tacks Cruising at 10 AM Commenced Storing down Crib at 3 PM saw two Right whales with out success at 5 PM finished storing down Crib at 7 PM took in sail let the Ship by to under short Sail. Middle Part fresh Breeze with thick rainy weather at 9 AM fine weather made all Sail on the Ship saw several fine Backs Latter Part Fresh Breeze from the West Ship on different Tacks Cruising to Ends these 24 hours all hands employed

Lat in by 34 57 E

Remarks On Board Tuesday November 20th 1838

First Part of these 24 hours Commences Gentle Breeze from the West Ship on different Tacks Cruising at 5 PM saw a Right Whale Lined the Boat Landed Boat started to the Whale the Whale charged and arched the line could not get past to the Whale a gain lost one iron at 7 PM took in sail and let the Ship by to under short Sail. Middle Part Gentle Breeze and Pleasant weather at 5 AM made all Sail on the Ship saw two Right Whales Lined the Boat with out success two Ships in sight one of them Boilers Latter Part Light Winds intermixed with Calms to Ends these 24 hours

Lat in by 35 13 S
Long in by 17 00 E

Remarks on Board Wednesday November 21st 1838

First Part of these 24 hours Commences with a Calm with Pleasant weather saw a Right Whale Lined the Boat with out success at 5 PM the Starboard of New London, Boat came on Board reported 10 Whales and one Spinnaker Whale at 8 PM took in sail let the Ship by to under short Sail Middle Part Calm at 5 AM made all Sail on the Ship saw several Right Whales Lined the Boat several times without success at 11 AM Starboard Boat parted to one Whale iron dragged lost the Whale three Ships in sight Latter Part Gentle Breeze from the West Ship on different Tacks Cruising to Ends these 24 hours

No Obs this day

Atlantic Ocean Cruising for Right Whales.

Remarks On Board Thursday November 22nd 1838

First Part of these 24 hours Commences with Light Winds variable from the West to N W Ship on different Tacks Cruising saw several Right Whales Lined with out success at 4 PM took in sail and let the Ship by under short Sail. Middle Part light Winds from the West at 5 AM made all Sail on the Ship saw several Right Whales Lined the Boat with out success three Ships in sight Latter Part light Winds and variable like heading on different Tacks Cruising to Ends these 24 hours all hands employed

Lat in by 35 20 N
Long in by 18 00 E

Remarks On Board Friday November 23rd 1838

First Part of these 24 hours Commences with light air from the South intermixed with Calms Ship on different Tacks Cruising saw several fine Backs three Ships in sight at 7 PM took in the Main Sail & Main top Gallant Sail and let the Ship lead to the South made all Sail on the Ship saw several Right Whales Lined the Boat with out success two Ships in sight Latter Part Gentle Breeze from the West Ship on different Tacks Cruising to Ends these 24 hours all hands employed

No Obs this day

Remarks On Board Saturday November 24th 1838

First Part of these 24 hours Commences with light Winds from the N East intermixed with Calms Ship on different Tacks Cruising saw several Right Whales Lined the Boat with out success at 7 PM took in sail & let the Ship by under short Sail. Middle Part Calm at 5 AM made all Sail on the Ship saw several Right Whales Lined the Boat several times with out success Latter Part Light Winds from the North with Pleasant weather Ship on different Tacks Cruising, three Ships in sight to Ends these 24 hours all hands employed

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