

Atlantic
Ocean

Thursday 14th

Commenced fine with a strong wind from
S.E., at 7.30 a.m. four men kept on deck
for midshipboard, at 8 o'clock a.m. secured
Fore & main Top Mast at 4 o'clock
Put Macomber on duty, having been
discharged from duty by the Capt about
18 hours, on account of having a noise
in the house.

Friday 15th

Commenced fine with a S.E. wind, at 5 a.m.
Flying jib halfoards parted & spliced &
hoisted again, at 6.30 a.m. further
Main Royal & stationer Lookouts
Left at 4 o'clock 2 m. light showers

Saturday 16th

Commenced with a strong breeze from
E.S.E., at 6.30 A.M. further Royal.
And stationer men aloft. Lightened
A sail of our weather beam at 8
o'clock, run down across the 2nd &
3rd & showed English colours

Right
Whale

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Sunday Dec 16th 1868.
Commenced with a nice breeze from E.S.E.
At 6.30 A.M. further main Royal, and
stationer Lookouts aloft. At 9 o'clock
P.M. wind decreasing, at sun down
Set main Royal

Monday 17th

This day commenced with moderate
winds from E.S.E. standing on Port-
tacking by the main heading S.E.
At 6.30 a.m. took in main Royal &
stationer Lookouts aloft, at 8 a.m.
Broke out fore top, at 10 o'clock
P.M. secured head stays, at 1.15 P.M.
Lightened sail, steering N. by E.

Tuesday 18th

This day good weather & a nice breeze from N.E.
Heading E.S.E., at daylight kept of station
S.E. and took in 1st Royal and maned the
head heads, at 1.15 P.M. raised right whale
Off our beam but lost run of them as
they were going quick to windward.