

Lat-38.8
Long 165.59 Wednesday Nov 16th 1887. Moderate breeze from the N.E. ship on the wind. at daylight commenced to cut got through about 10 A.M. saw fin backs. wore ship at sunset. employed boiling tonight. broke out four bags of flour.

Lat-38.23 Thursday Nov 17th Strong breeze from the N.E. ship stood on both tacks. employed boiling saw one fin back. weather quite thick.

Friday Nov 18th This day blowing a gale from the N.W. with heavy rain. and weather very thick finished boiling in the night. whale turned up 73 bls. no observation as ends.

Lat-39.2 Saturday Nov 19th Light breeze from the N.W. ship on the wind working to the N.E. employed stowing oil. got through about 4 P.M. saw two fin backs. and birds.

Lat-38.63 Sunday Nov 20th Long 164.31 First part of this day light breeze from the N.W. ship on the wind heading N.E. at 1 P.M. wind changed into the S.W. with squalls ship steering N.E. weather looks squally tonight saw some birds. just at dark saw five whales could not tell what they were. did not show flukes. made good spoils.

Monday Nov 21st Blowing a very heavy gale from the S.W. ship stood on the port tack. under main spencer. rainy in squalls. very high sea on tonight.

Lat-37.33 Tuesday Nov 22nd 1887. Long 163.87 Still blowing strong from the S.W. but moderating. wore ship about 2 P.M. heading S.E. nothing seen except a few birds.

Lat-38.13 Wednesday Nov 23rd Long 162.45 Very strong breeze from the S by W. and squally. ship on the wind heading S by E. saw one fin back. and gonies.

Lat-38.50 Thursday Nov 24th Long 162.10 Good breeze from the W.S.W. to W. first part on the wind heading S. middle and latter parts steering S.W. saw three fin backs.

Friday Nov 25th Blowing a gale from the N.W. with rain. moderating a little tonight. barometer down to 29. tonight.

Lat-39.20 Saturday Nov 26th Still blowing a heavy gale from the W. blowing heavy in squalls. barometer down to 28.85 tonight.

Lat-39.21 Sunday Nov 27th Long 161.28 Strong breeze from the S.W. and very squally ship on the starboard tack heading S.E. saw one fin back.

Lat-39.00 Monday Nov 28th Long 161.56 First and middle parts of this day strong breeze from the S.W. and very squally latter part light breeze ship stood on the port tack through the day heading W.N.W. wore ship at sunset and shortened sail. saw one fin back and gonies.