

Passage South To Right Whale Ground

Monday Nov 27th 1886
 the fore part moderate breeze from the S. & S. E.
 on Star tack. 2 sails in sight. Latter part wind the
 same but any thing seen.

Tuesday Nov 28th 1886
 the fore part calm but any thing seen.
 Latter part same as fore.

Wednesday Dec 1st 1886
 the fore part moderate breeze from the S. & E.
 on Star tack. whale raised by Mrs. Linton at 8 A.M.
 lowered & hoisted. Mate got on. Latter part cut the
 whale & set the whale by 6.45 P.M. whales wind S. & E. seen

Thursday Dec 2nd 1886
 the fore part light squally weather wind S. & E.
 on Star tack. calm. Latter part quite moderate weather
 but cloudy. also finbacks seen & heard.

Friday Dec 3rd 1886
 the fore part moderate wind & baffling
 from the N. E. on different tacks boiling. at noon finished
 Latter part cleared up around & washed off. one sail seen

Saturday Dec 4th 1886
 the fore part calm one sail in sight got out
 one case of Carver's. Latter part wind breezed up
 at 2 P.M. from the S. W. course S. E. & E.

Sunday Dec 5th 1886
 one sail the fore part fine weather course S. E.
 wind S. W. & W. at 10. Hallowing a head again at
 Latter part wind S. E. were around heading in to the N.
 Plenty of whale feet

Monday Dec 6th 1886
 the fore part calm & very moderate breeze
 from the N. course S. by W. not any thing in sight
 stored down oil in fore hold. Latter part quite a
 good breeze from the N. to right plenty of finbacks
 2 sails in sight steering S. E. & E.

Arrived To our Old Whale Ground

Tuesday Dec 7th 1886
 the fore part at 9 A.M. lowered down upper topsails
 & halloed the courses up. day light braced forward on star
 tack & dock. & filled around a while plenty of finbacks
 Latter part course S. E. & E. to night shotenail sail for
 the first time ship on her course. the same

Wednesday Dec 8th 1886
 the fore part light air from the N. on
 different tacks 2 sails seen & plenty of finbacks
 Latter part boarded a dutch brig today from N. York
 Bound to Port Natal. course S. E. blowing fresh & Rain

Thursday Dec 9th 1886
 the fore part blowing with a fresh gale from
 the S. W. on different tacks one sail seen bound East
 Latter part wind & rain main topsail on star tack but any thing seen

Friday Dec 10th 1886
 the fore part at strong breeze from the S. W. on
 Port tack. M. were around & Run S. E. & W. came down
 Port tack again. not any thing seen through the day

Saturday Dec 11th 1886
 the fore part moderate breeze from the
 S. W. & W. & calm. Latter part calm not a thing
 seen through the day.

Sunday Dec 12th 1886
 the fore part calm a few finbacks at 11 A.M.
 a whale raised by Mr. Beebe. Lost run of him & on
 raised by another. lowered at 4 P.M. for him & never got
 near. 2 more raised by the crew but never got any
 whales last seen going S. E. & E.

Monday Dec 13th 1886
 the fore part weather increasing from the S. W.
 at 7.15. A whaler raised on weather fore Running for
 us & got to us at 10. A.M. passed her. 17 miles from
 home. 800. got one whale on her. jammed untill

Back Gray Ground.