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Atlantic Ocean on a Whaling Voyage

Friday Nov 20 1835

First part moderate breeze from West and thick flying clouds  
Course S.E. by E. saw Finbacks and a great number of Fouts  
of different kinds.

Middle part much the same.

Latter part brisk wind from S.S.W. and thick heavy looking  
weather. saw but few Fouts and but one Finback

Course S.E. by E. so ends. all well.

Lat. Obs. 37° 15' South Long. by Cr. 48° 36' 45" East

Saturday Nov 21<sup>st</sup>

First part light breeze from S.W. to S.S.W. and thick  
flying clouds. Course S.E. by E. at 4 P.M. observed the sun  
to be in eclipse.

Middle part much the same.

Latter part light breeze and thick hazy weather  
Course S.E. by E. so ends saw nothing remarkable. had  
times and a long road to find Whales.

Lat. Obs. 37° 17' South Long. by Cr. 50° 04' 15" East

Sunday Nov 22<sup>nd</sup>

First part light breeze from S.W. and thick hazy  
weather. Course S.E. by E. with all sail set to the best  
advantage.



Middle part light breeze from N.W. and thin flying clouds  
Course S.E.

Latter part brisk wind from N.W. and thick hazy  
weather. Course S.E. by E. at 5 O'Clock. saw Right Whales  
put off and struck two and killed one. at 9 got  
him to the ship and began to cut at 11. O'Clock. got him in  
and made sail. had one boat lightly stove. at midnight  
were ship to the Eastward so ends.

Lat. Obs. 37° 20' South Long. by Cr. 51° 50' East

Monday Nov 23<sup>rd</sup>

First part brisk wind from N.W. to N.E. and thick  
hazy weather. at 3 P.M. saw Right Whales put off  
and killed one at 7. O'Clock. got him to the ship and  
took in sail for the night at 8 O'Clock began to boil.



Middle part pleasant weather