

on a Whaling voyage Captain Gibbs Master 1855

latter part squally and winds backing took in the  
lute sails and double reefed the topsails so ends  
this day

Tuesday

November the 27

this day commences with a moderate gale from the  
E S E ship under close reefed maintop sail and  
main spencer and foretopmast stay sail heading  
S middle and latter part more moderate set the  
foresail and shook one reef out of the maintop sail  
and set the fore and mizen topsails heading S W  
by S saw a ship heading E by N so ends this day

Wednesday

November the 28

this day commenced with a fresh breeze and pleasant  
weather from the W S W ship under all sail  
steering S S E hands employed in setting up  
rigger midle and latter part the same so ends this day  
Lat 38, 45 Long 60, 16 W

Thursday

November the 29

this day commences with a light wind and pleasant  
weather from the S W ship under all sail steering  
E S E saw a sail hands employed in coiling lines and  
fitting boats at sunset took in all sail to double  
reef topsails and foresail it blowing strong so ends  
this day

Friday

November the 30

this day commenced with a fresh breeze from and ragged  
weather from the N ship heading E S E under double  
reefed topsails and courses hands employed in different  
jobs about the deck middle part took in the jib  
so end this day

Saturday

November the 1

this day commences with a moderate breeze from the  
ship under double reef topsails and foresail steering  
E S E at 6 AM wind shifted to the N blowing a