

Finch & C^o



S A I L O R S S C R I M S H A W C

A SAILORS SCRIMSHAW CARVED WHALEBONE
DECORATED WITH INSETS OF BALEEN AND
REPLICATING A NARWHAL TUSK
OLD SMOOTH MELLOW CREAMY
CIRCA 1840-50
SIZE: 92 CM LONG - 3 6 ¼ INS

L I T E R A T U R E

SCRIMSHAW RESCUED THE WHALE MAN FROM
OCCUPIED. ONE JOURNAL (BARBEAU) STATE
NOTHING, AND WORK ALL DUN. AN IDLE HEAD
THE CAPTAIN OF THE BARK, JOHN.A.ROBB,
THE LAST 8 MONTHS. COMMENCED SQUIMSHO
ADDITION TO THE PROBLEMS OF BOREDOM A
YEAR VOYAGE, THERE WAS THE ANTAGONISM
TOGETHER UNDER SUCH DIFFICULT CIRCUM:
JOURNALS ARE FILLED WITH COMMENTS SUCH
MENDING THE SAIL.... THUS ENDS AN