

The Ship Charles Drew of New Bedford

Tuesday May the 23<sup>d</sup> 1848

These 24 hours commences with a moderate breeze from E. by S. heading N. with fog at 10 A.M. wore ship to W. S. W. and a boiling middle and latter part strong breeze and cloudy weather at 5 P.M. saw right whales lowered our boat and done nothing  
Lat. " " Long. " "

Wednesday May the 24<sup>th</sup> 1848

These 24 hours commences with a strong breeze and a little rain with thick fog wind S.E. steering so the Eastward boiling with 2 ships in sight at 5 P.M. the ship Hamilton of Bridgeport spoke us she was on the second season with 700 blks of right at 9 P.M. spoke the Roman of New Bedford middle and latter part moderate breeze and foggy weather a boiling the whale  
Lat. " " Long. " "

Thursday May the 25<sup>th</sup> 1848

These 24 hours commences with calm and foggy weather steering N. at 5 P.M. one ship in sight middle and latter part fine breeze from the Southward steering W. S. W. at midnight finished boiling the whale at 10 A.M. we spoke the ship Roman of New Bedford again 3 other ships in sight at 5 P.M. we got up and rose some whales at 11 A.M. lowered 4 boats and one went on and struck and got the whale  
Lat. " " Long. " "

Capt Coffin on the North West Coast

Friday May the 26<sup>th</sup> 1848

These 24 hours commences with a strong breeze from the Southward still fast to the whale at 3 P.M. to the whale along side and at 4 P.M. commenced cutting him in at 7 P.M. finished cutting then wore ship to the Westward and took in sail middle and latter moderate at 4 A.M. commenced boiling the whale and saw right whales lowered 1 boat 4 times but done nothing with 3 ships in sight  
Lat. " " Long. " "

Saturday May the 27<sup>th</sup> 1848

These 24 hours commences with a moderate breeze from the E. N. E. steering N. at 3 P.M. saw a right whale lowered 1 boat all in vain with one ship one ship in sight still boiling middle and latter part light breeze and steady weather at 10 made sail  
Lat. " " Long. " "

Sunday May the 28<sup>th</sup> 1848

These 24 hours commences with a light breeze from the S.E. at 4 P.M. wore ship with one in sight steering so the Eastward still a boiling middle and latter part strong breeze with rain at 4 A.M. made short sail one ship in sight  
Lat. " " Long. " "