

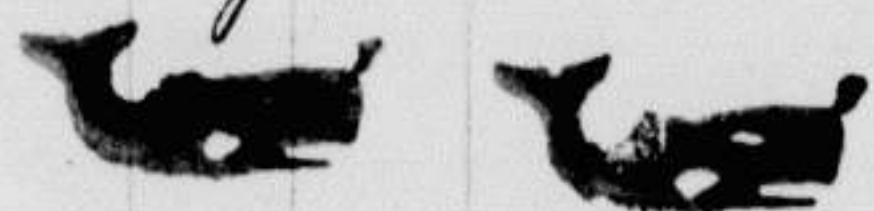
Off Shore Ground A.D. 1861

Remarks on Saturday June 29th
 P.M. Commences as usual, strong trade, and
 rugged weather, steering a course N.W.
 P.M. watch on deck attending to ship's duty
 Midnight steering N.W. with a moderate
 wind. A.M. light winds for a variety steering
 N.W. 1 o'clock port watch on deck employed

Remarks on Sunday June 30th
 P.M. Light winds and smooth, steering N.W.
 Starboard watch on deck employed. Midnight steering
 a course with a moderate wind. A.M. pleasant and
 smooth, 1 o'clock Starboard watch on deck at 2-22 South Long 111° 31'

Remarks on Monday July 1st
 P.M. Sprightly trade and smooth, steering a
 course N.W. 1 o'clock port watch on deck, at 2 o'clock
 saw a finback. Midnight light winds and smooth
 A.M. pleasant weather employed on the boat. 1 o'clock
 port watch on deck employed, saw porpoise.

Remarks on Tuesday July 2nd
 P.M. Gentle trade and smooth, steering N.W. Starboard watch
 on deck. At 1 o'clock saw spouts and white water off starboard beam
 and then sperm whales though they didn't look much like whales, lowered
 shot and chased but didn't get on, and as changes of mind they
 were transpired. At 4 o'clock. Midnight sleeping with the
 M. to wait at back. A.M. steering N.W. At 6 o'clock
 Mr. Carson saw spouts 1 ft. off starboard bow
 they proved to be sperm whales a large
 school of them. At 7, lowered 4 boats starboard boat
 went on and struck and got stove Starboard chest
 it hand went and killed the whale and then
 went off struck one and killed him and got
 him alongside at 12 M. in the mean time labored
 boat long till 10 windward with the whale.



Lat 00° 16' South Long 111° 30'

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Remarks on Wednesday July 3rd
 P.M. Nice pleasant weather beautiful for work
 as we employed at Starboard boat got the whale
 alongside at 3 o'clock got dinner commenced getting ready
 for cutting at 4, commenced to cut, at 5 on his own
 deck, Starboard watch first on deck cutting up
 blubber, on which alongside, Midnight were around
 A.M. port watch on deck clearing away the heads 1 o'clock
 all hands on deck cutting & blubber at 2 on
 in on deck,

Lat 00° 16' South Long 111° 42'

Remarks on Thursday July 4th
 P.M. Having beautiful weather, gentle trade and
 smooth ship heading N. At hands on deck much acid
 on the ship then down to and about away the head
 and cut blubber & foresh everything they need for
 more whales. At 6, at the watch Starboard first on deck
 cutting pink and baling 12 M. port watch on deck
 at daylight were around headed N.E. weather
 is pleasant and smooth, having a glorious 4th

Lat 00° 21' South Long 111° 22'

Remarks on Friday July 5th
 P.M. Commences with gentle trade and smooth, ship
 heading N.E. by the wind. Port watch on deck employed
 on blubber measuring and baling. Carson & P.M.
 present that the time that whales and on the line
 Starboard watch on deck baling at 3 M. Port watch
 till 7 A.M. having strong trade were around and
 started N.W. the blubber is nearly run through

Lat 00° 13' South Long 111° 11'