

Remarks On Dr. Addison July 1838

Saturday

July 10th Fresh & strong winds from S. & S. E. - some rain - 3 ships in company, 3 Am. ships the *Topsails*, 7 do. took out the ships - cruising in various directions - 30 strokes per hour

Sunday

Light winds & part of the time calm. 11th stopping boats inside the bar - 2 Am. boats 2 boats for "Muscle Diggers" without success. 6 P.M. came to an anchor 5 miles from the shore off Michigan Bay. - rainy. 8 A.M. cleared up & we got underway & stood along toward St. Lawrence Bay. Saw "M. Diggers" -

Monday

Good weather - wind Nth working 12th up toward the Bay. Lat 65° 25'.

Tuesday

Good weather - 5 P.M. anchored in 13th St. Lawrence Bay 23 fath. water, also B. Incher & Goethe - 6 A.M. sent two boats out the Bay to look for whales - 8 do got the ship underway to come out the bay got a little way & it coming calm anchored again.

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Wednesday

July 14th Light airs & calms. I. D. got a Muscle Digger 15 miles out the bay & anchored & left him. 9 A.M. fog cleared & a large spray up from I. D. stood over the bay & at 11 A.M. picked up the whale - ship taking 5 strokes per hour

Thursday

Light winds from Sth & from Eth. Cut 15th in the whale & stood off along shore to the Nth for a while - saw nothing of note.

Friday

Wind from Eth Off St. Lawrence Bay. 15th 5 ships in sight - spoke ship *Cromwell* Landon 1 whale & *Cromwell* nothing. 7 P.M. anchored off St. Lawrence St. head & sent astern a raft of cast for water. Later part thick & rainy - saw & chased a bow head going quick to the N. E.

Saturday

Fresh winds from N. E. at anchor as above. 4 P.M. got our water off - & at 5 do finished boiling our "Grogg". Cleared 3 bow heads in company with Nassau's boats going fast to the N. E. 5 A.M. anchored several times outside the heads going quick to the N. E. - saw a number of whales passing & all going very quick