

Cruising on Chamickatska in 1856,

Hours. Day out M. S. Course
L. P. P. 3
116 33, N. P. M. by the
S. P. P.
Remarks on board July 24th.
First part strong breeze and
clear pleasant weather, saw a great
many humpbacks.
Long by Obs. Alt 104. 14 M.
Middle part moderate breeze,
Latter part fresh breeze and pleasant
all sail set, variously employed,
saw several Sulphur bottom
Left by mariner Alt. 15. 34. 35. 1.

Remarks on board Friday Aug 2
First part moderate breeze and
frequent fog, squalls saw several
whales, employed in cutting, 11 whales
appear to be working to the off
Long by Obs. Alt 163. 54 M.
Middle part strong breeze and heavy
squalls of rain.
Latter part still strong, but squalls
less frequent, and not quite so hard,
employed in cutting and
saw the head.

Hours. Day out M. S. Course
L. P. P. 3
117 34, N. P. M.
Remarks on board Friday July 25th.
First part fresh breeze and
pleasant weather, by the S. P. M.
Long by Obs. Alt 100. 30 M.
Middle part moderate breeze
with fog clouds, heavy low,
Latter part fresh breeze at 6 M.
saw a rock bearing N. W. about 12 miles
distant, wind still blowing to the
southward, saw large quantities
of humpbacks, and a few
of them at a distance of 10 miles.

Remarks on board Saturday Aug 9th
First part strong breeze and
squalls of rain, some coming
from the S. W. and some from the N. W.,
Middle part fresh breeze and squalls
of rain, saw a ship sailing.
Latter part fresh breeze and squalls,
employed in cutting, 11 whales
seen, a whale in sight,
Left by mariner Alt. 10. 40. 1.

Hours. Day out M. S. Course
L. P. P. 3
118 34, N. P. M.
Remarks on board Saturday 26.
First part fresh breeze and moderate
with thick fog, at 1 P. M. saw
an Island bearing N. W. about 10 miles
distant, as we stood in it lighted
up some, saw other islands and
rocks, bearing from S. W. to N. W.,
could not distinguish main land from island.
Middle part the same, with strong
breeze, and veered to the S.
Latter part strong breeze and
fog, squalls, water discolored,
Left by mariner Alt. 15. 10. 1.

Remarks on board Sunday Aug 11th
First part light breeze and low
hanging fog clouds, saw a whale
lunge without success, the E. S.
struck a whale in sight of us,
Long by Obs. Alt 164. 22 M.
Middle part variable and foggy
with mingling rain,
Latter part lighted up some by squalls
breeze fresh, saw a large number of
whales, seem to be quite employed
in cutting.