

Friday Sept 3<sup>rd</sup>

Fresh wind from S.E. to E. and some times thick snow squalls, but not very cold. At 5 in the morning, saw 3 bowheads, lowered the boats and Mr Warren got a whale, took him along side and broke out and got ready for cutting, & then saw another whale still, lowered the boats and Mr Warren caught the whale and got him to the side at half past eleven and cut in both whales by that night. A number of ships in sight at a whaling, Edward Chase by, saw a bylight, 14 Jathums water, these whales are off Key Cape.

Lat by 03 40, 55 N

Saturday Sept 4<sup>th</sup>

Strong wind from S.W. and S.W. and foggy & wet all day till 6 PM then let up and saw 15 ships, no whales to the S.W. B.R. Komen close by, we cleared away the leads & showed them below and started the work, the mincing Maskeene work by had, Saunders and had 14 Jathums water, 14 Mithy water, saw some seals in the water.

Sunday Sept 5<sup>th</sup>

The Moon changes this day, the weather strong wind from N.E. by E. and cloudy weather. Standing upon opposite tack by the wind, carrying double reefed topsails, saw no whales, saw a Borgue cutting a whale & saw 2 other Borgues chasing whales & saw other ships haul aback, whales blowing off to the South by the boats working, 18 ships in sight & not good sailing weather, saw 4 ships a bailing, we are a bailing & Cooper setting up shocks, see very few birds, saw to the Eastward 3 or 4 small Cakes of ice.

Lat by 03 40, 48 Long by Ch 161, 40

Monday Sept 6<sup>th</sup>

Moderate wind from S.W. E. and cloudy with snow flurries, saw a number of ships, and some of them a bailing, saw the Florida chasing 2 whales, saw the Bay Head chasing a whale & spoke her with her 3<sup>rd</sup> whale, the saw 16 whales taken the last 4 or 5 days, saw the Concorda chasing a whale & spoke her, the last whale yesterday by leading line, we hauled back for Devilfish, saw small ice and saw Walrus in the water, broke out for shocks & Cooper setting up shocks to save the fresh water Cask, hauled & got 19 Jathums water.

Lat by 03 40, 41 Long by Ch 161, 39 East

Tuesday Sept 7<sup>th</sup>

Pleasant breeze from S.W. E. and fine clear weather, plenty of ships in sight. In the morning hauled for whales, California & James Allen got a whale, saw plenty of whales going to the windward all day, we carried all sail & went to the N.E. all day and came to a gam of whales at sundown & Mr Potter got one of his cut him in the night, he is light to the N.E. & the whales are working in and out of the ice, they are about 100 or 80 lbs. whales, most of the ships beating to the N.E. of whaling.

Lat by 03 40, 00 N

Wednesday Sept 8<sup>th</sup>

Moderate wind from S.E. and clearing & bright. At 3 PM finished cutting the whale, set sail & went to the N.E. A number of ships in sight & all a whaling during the day, saw several whales to the windward, between the fog & squalls, not a good day for seeing whales, some scattering ice about and saw some Walrus on the ice, saw the Bay Head, Sagoda, Daniel Webster & Florida take whales, we are a bailing in sailing.

Lat by 03 40, 40 Long by Ch 161, 50