

Journal of the Whaling Brig Eunice H.
Saturday Sept 30th 1893

Rafting water all the day and stowing the hulk with wood and provisions. Fine weather all the day. The shipkeeper came from the hospital and deserted the vessel.

Sunday October 1st 1893

Fine weather all the day. Arrived Sch. Ellen Swift of Provincetown Dyer Master from a whaling cruise.

Fine weather until 7 P.M. then a light rain but clear again the balance of the day.

Monday 2nd

Finished tacking water at 12 P.M. also stowing the hulk and cleared up the decks. Weather fine and the wind from the eastward.

Tuesday 3rd

Sailed the vessel outside and commenced to paint. Fine weather and the wind to the northeast.

Wednesday 4th

Finished painting the vessel at 2 P.M. At four P.M. John Brown came aboard from the hospital all well. At 9 P.M. he left the vessel unbeknown to any one and suppose to have deserted the vessel.

Thursday 5th

Cleaning the paint work inside of the ship and scrubbing the decks. Weather cloudy and the wind to the southward.

Friday 6th

Getting the vessel ready for sea. Weather cloudy with light rain showers.

Adams, C. J. Sylvia Master

Saturday 8th

Painted the larboard boat and done other light jobs also broke out a barrel of Beef. Weather cloudy with a light rain. Wind east.

Sunday 9th

Arrived today in Barges by steamer to go out as mate the present one going to be discharged. Weather fine. Wind light from the eastward.

Monday Oct. 10th

First part of this day wind from the westward and cloudy middle part ditto latter part much rain.

Tuesday Oct. 11th

Threw twenty four horse moderate weather wind from the S.W. loosed the sails and dried them the sch. E. W. Morse M. C. Simmons and Pedro Varilla sailed discharged the mate whom is to go home in the bark Sarah of Boston.

Wednesday 12th

First part of this day fair weather wind from the westward middle and latter fresh breeze from the same quarter shipped three men to-day.

Thursday 13th

This day moderate breeze from the S.W. shipped a 2nd mate hand employed in ship's duty also shipped one foremast hand.