

Saturday August 26th 1848

at 5 P.M. got the whale long side and got one lip and the throat and last down middle part comes on heavy gale and rain from the eastward at 7 A.M. put a hawser on him and at 8 the fluke chain parted veered him out the hole length the hawser and took in all sail latter blowing heavy and rain and a heavy swell on

no obs

Sunday Aug 27th P.M. heavy gale and rain from E.N.E. lying with all sail in with the whale parted out middle and latter the gale the same Sat est 55-50
Song by Chron 140-12

Monday Aug 28th P.M. heavy gale and a heavy swell on from the eastward lying under bar poles with the whale parted out the length of the hawser middle part more moderate at 6 A.M. hauled the whale long side and commence cutting at 11-30 got him in the Bone fell out and whe lower it latter nearly calm and a heavy swell on
Sat obs 56-60
Song est 140-20

Tuesday Aug 29th P.M. nearly calm and heavy swell on all hands employed in bailing at 9 A.M. wore ship to S.W. fresh gale and frequent showers of rain latter the gale came to the eastward and increases the watch employed in bailing under double reef main top sail and fore sail
no obs

Wednesday August 30th 1848

P.M. heavy gale and rain from the eastward the watch employed in bailing at 8 comes on upper pick storm took in all sail but a close mizzen and fore top mast staysail and coiled down the works at 11 the gale fell to calm set the fore sail and recommence bailing at 10 set mizzen top sail and kept S.P.E. at 5 A.M. came on heavy gale from the westward took in all sail and coiled down the works at 8 more moderate set fore and main top sails close reefed and kept S.P.E. and started the works again at 11 took in fore top sail and luffed to the wind latter blowing heavy from W.S.W. all hands employed in bailing
Sat obs 55-47
Song by Chron 141-20

Thursday Aug 31st P.M. heavy gale from W.S.W. lying under close reefed main top sail and fore sail all hands employed in bailing the middle the weather continues the same latter the gale increases all hands employed in bailing and starting water in order to stow Down no obs

Friday September 1st 1848

P.M. blowing and raining a gale from the south all hands employed in bailing and stowing down at 4 finished bailing at 5 wore ship to the westward at took in fore sail middle blowing upper pick storm from the south latter the storm continues the same lying under close reef main top sail heading from W to S.W.
no obs