

Remarks Continued on the Coast

888th

Aug Thurs 10th/71

This day commenced with a light breeze at 6 1/2 o'clock lowered 2 Boats for a day cruise. Cooper employed in repairing the Stowin Boat. I lowered in the Starboard Boat to day as the Bow Boat is stove at sundown came aboard. Have chased several whales but was unable to strike any saw the Bk Triton & Draco to the windward saw them take a whale. saw the St. Home Boats chasing whales

889th

Aug Friday 11th/71

This day commenced with a moderate breeze lowered 3 Boats for a day cruise at sundown came aboard have seen 2 whales this day. saw the Bk Draco & Triton near by laying to an anchor by a sunken whale

890th

Aug Sat 12th

This day commenced with a light breeze all hands employed in stowing Broke down in the after hold. at 4 o'clock put a finished stowing. Have stowed down 63 cask of lble. saw the Triton & Draco. Boiling Broad have seen 3 whales this day.

891th

Aug Sun 13th/71

This day commenced with a moderate breeze at 6 1/2 o'clock lowered 3 Boats for cruising saw the Bk Triton take a whale at 5 o'clock the Starboard Boat struck a 30 lbl. whale at 8 o'clock cut from stowin and pulled to the ship which was about 15 miles distant arrived at 10 o'clock

of Africa Hump-backing Sea

892th

Aug Mon 14th/71

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This day commenced with a calm lowered 3 Boats to cruise. at sundown came aboard have seen 2 whales this day. Mer Riley is a little more comfortable to day. Capt. went aboard the Draco to spend the evening.

893th

Aug Tues 15th

This day commenced with a broke calm lowered 2 Boats for cruising at out a sundown came aboard have seen no whale this day. Capt. Bralby came aboard. and obtained 2 bars at 12 o'clock took a light breeze from the S & E got the ship underway steering down the coast under all sail. Nantux passed us broad down the coast. at 7 o'clock anchored in 17 fathoms of water.

894th

Aug Wednes 16th/71

This day commenced with a light breeze. at 7 o'clock got the ship underway steering down the coast under all sail. lowered the Bow & Starboard Boats to cruise along with the ship. at 7 1/4 o'clock the Starboard Boat struck a Cow Whale. there was a small one with her shot a bomb lance into the loose whale which at 7 o'clock caused him to spout thick blood. the Starboard Boat put an iron into the little whale. before the Bow Boat struck him. at 8 o'clock both whales turned up. the Starboard Boat came to anchor half way between the large whale along side