

1897

Journal of Whaling Voyage

Thursday June 24: 18:97
 this day begins with Clear and Pleasant weather from E. N. E. heading by the wind N. by E with all sail set at 7 A.M. sent the fore topsail down to be repair and the mate and the watch employed repairment at 2 P.M. finished and sent up at 4 P.M. washed of decks and 2 sails on sight so ends this day
 Lat 24:39 Long 39:04

Friday June 25: 18:97
 this day begins with Clear and Pleasant weather from the E. at day light the mate and the watch employed in cleaning the windles at 8 A.M. spoke the 4 mate ship trade winds from Calcutta Board to London Capt Ritchie Middle and latter part the same employed in windles at 4 P.M. watch of decks so ends. Lat 26:19 Long 39:26

Saturday June 26: 97
 this day begins with Clear and Pleasant weather from the E. heading by the wind N. N. E. with all sail set at 7 A.M. took down the main top sail to be repair and the mate and the watch employed repairment at 1 P.M. finished and sent up so ends this day.
 Lat 27:24 Long 39:55

Joseph T. Ennis Master

Sunday June 27: 18:97
 this day begins with Clear and Pleasant weather from S. E. steering N. N. W. with all sail set Middle and latter part the same so ends.
 Lat 28:46 Long 41:10

Monday June 28: 18:97
 this day begins with light breeze from the Southward steering N. N. W. with all sail set Middle and latter part the same the mate and the watch employed Windles at 4 P.M. Washed of decks so ends
 Lat 30:08 Long 42:23

Tuesday June 29: 18:97
 this day begins with Clear and Pleasant weather from S. E. steering N. N. W. at 7:10 A.M. saw 3 sperm whales going slowly to the windward at 8 A.M. lowered three boats for them at 8:30 A.M. all the boats got fast at noon got all the whales to the ship at 1 P.M. got dinner after dinner all hands employed getting up cutting gear at 2:30 P.M. began to haul at 5 P.M. got one whale in and got the tangles over to side at 7 P.M. got supper and set the watch so ends this day
 Lat 30:11 Long 43:10

Wednesday June 30: 18:97
 this day begins with Clear and Pleasant weather from S. E.

One sail passed tonight
 to wind Southward