

Dark Mary & Susan off the Gallapagos

Remarks Tuesday Aug³¹ 1880.
Begin with fresh breezes from S. Saw 1st
Boats. at 6 PM the rock bearing E & E Dist 15 miles
Dark heading W by S under Cap Sails. Latter part
Moderate. At noon the rock bearing S by E Dist 8
miles

Remarks Wednesday Sept 1st
Begin with strong winds. The Grace Marks
and E & West in sight. at 6 PM rock bearing
S by E Dist 15 miles. were ship head off shore
under Cap Sails. Latter part fresh breezes. at 6 1/2
PM raised the E & West whaling. at 7 PM
Grace Marks hauled. at 8 we lowered and joined
in the chase. at 11 One of the Marks Boats
struck. the E & West had already fastened. must
have struck soon after daylight. At noon
we were still chasing. the whales going
into the Bay. N Head dist 8 miles.

Remarks Thursday Sept 2nd
Fresh breezes Boat chasing. at 4 PM the
whales and Boat was within 1 mile of
Barbarough. N Head bearing N W. They
then dogged the Boat and returned to the
windward out of the Bay, up the North
side of Barbarough. Chase until sundown
no success. N Head bearing N by W Dist 6 miles.
Latter part Moderate. The Grace Marks in sight
Cutting. at 8 AM put away for the rock.
at noon bearing N N E Dist 19 miles.

Remarks Friday Sept 3rd
Begin with moderate breezes. Steering for the
rock. at 12 PM raised boats along side of
the rock. at 1 lowered the Boat. at 2 PM got down
to the whales. they kept about 1 mile to the west
of the rock. at 3 PM the W & B. struck. got stone
and lost the whale. at dark got the Boat
along side. Latter part fresh breezes. employed
repairing the W & B.

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Remarks Saturday Sept 4th 1880
First part fresh breezes finished the Boat. at 6
PM the rock bearing S Dist 10 miles. Saw the
Grace Marks sailing. Latter part fresh breezes. the
rock Dist 8 miles. a strong S W. Current.

Remarks Sunday Sept 5th
First part Moderate breezes and thick weather.
at 6 PM the rock bearing S by E Dist 8 miles.
heading by to the westward. the E & West and Grace
Marks in sight. Latter Moderate with a Lee Current.

Remarks Monday Sept 6th
First part Moderate breezes. had a gam
with the E & West and Grace Marks. the E & West
had 10 Bbls of Oil on deck. two large whales.
the Grace had 30 Bbls. one large whale. the same
sort of whales as we last. Had the line not
been cut by the E & West I think should have
got him. Latter part fresh breezes. Latter
Dist at noon 20 miles.

Remarks Tuesday Sept 7th
First part fresh breezes with strong tide
rip. the Grace Marks in sight showing oil.
at 6 PM N Head bearing S by E. Barbarough
bearing E. were ship off shore under Cap Sails.
Latter part strong winds. at 8 AM Barbarough
bearing S by E. put off to the S. at noon N Head
bearing E by N Dist 12 miles. both sails in sight.

Remarks Wednesday Sept 8th
Begin with strong winds. Boat under double
reefs. at 6 PM land Dist 18 miles. heading off
shore under two double reef and jib. the E & West
& Grace in sight. Latter part strong winds.
steering down the land toward the rock. at
noon the rock bearing S E Dist 8 miles.