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Back Hamilton, Capt. Edwards

Saturday June 8th

Comes in fine breeze from S. dark and cloudy with light S. S. 2.00. A. Synalls by to S. S. 2. P. M. the Charles Edwards in sight. Middle and latter by to E. S. M. 10. hours saw whales to windward. Ship by the wind on different tacks working up to them. 12. hours whales in sight. Dist. 2. miles. So Ends.

Sunday June 9th

Comes in strong breeze from S. at 2. hours P. M. lower two boats. Waist-Boat went up and the Boat-tender started to yick. Boats came on board and hoisted up 3 hours lower again with no success. 5 hours come on board. Ship by the wind to E. Middle by on different tacks. Latter by to E. So Ends. Shipkeeper sick and of Duty.

Monday 10th

Comes in breeze from S. dark and cloudy by to E. by S. Middle the same. S. M. breeze from S. S. W. 1.16. A. by to S. E. by E. two miles in sight. So Ends.

Tuesday 11th

Comes in light from S. S. W. by to S. E. by E. Middle the same. S. M. wind S. Stearing E. water employed in painting the Plankshies and combings of the Hatches. So Ends. Shipkeeper sick and of Duty.

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Wednesday June 12th

Comes in fine breeze from S. Stearing E. by S. water employed in painting the water ways. S. Middle and latter fine breeze, Stearing E. S. E. So Ends.

Thursday 13th

Comes in fine breeze from S. Stearing E. by S. saw a couple of Whinches. Middle and latter synally. So Ends.

Friday 14th

Comes in fine breeze from S. Stearing E. by S. 3 hours by the wind to E. S. Middle the same. S. M. Stearing E. 2.44. M. Employed in setting up Shocks of water. So Ends. Shipkeeper sick and of Duty.

Saturday 15th

Comes in fine breeze from S. Stearing E. by S. employed in setting up Shocks. 2.30. S. M. lower for Blackfish. took one to the ship. 4 hours lower again and took another one to the ship. 7 hours ship laying a back. Middle by to E. S. E. under Short-Sail. S. M. 6.30 lower for Blackfish. took one to the ship. Latter employed in breaking out Shocks. So Ends.

Sunday 16th

Comes in fine breeze from S. Stearing E. by S. lower for Blackfish. took 4 to the ship. Cooper setting up Shocks. S. E. Middle Stearing E. S. E. S. M. Stearing E. Employed in boiling the Blackfish. So Ends. Shipkeeper sick and of Duty.