

Bark Alfred Gibbs Cruising

Remarks Wednesday June 8th 1870
 Begins with strong winds from S. S. W. and very rugged sea full of tide rips. At 2 P. M. got the whales along side At 3 1/2 commenced cutting At 9 finished. At 9 1/2 started fires The whales turned up 55 Blls
 Lat 35-43 Long 63-05

Remarks Thursday June 9th
 Begins with fresh breeze from S. S. W. and a rough sea. Employed Boiling
 Lat. 35-48 Long 61-37

Remarks Friday June 10th
 Begins strong winds from the westward Employed Boiling. Employed Stowing Oil Strong wind and very rough
 Stowed 95 Blls
 Lat 35-48 Long 62-40

Remarkable Saturday June 11th
 Begins strong Gale and rough
 Employed Scrubbing Ship and repairing rigging
 Lat 36-48 Long 61-15

Remarks Sunday June 12th
 Begins calm and pleasant. Latter part moderate
 Lat 36-44 Long 62-08

Remarks Monday June 13th
 Begins light air from S. W. Course S. E.
 Employed repairing M. T. Sail
 Lat 36-40 Long 61-39

N. East of Bermuda

Remarks Tuesday June 14th 1870.
 Begins moderate breezes from N. W.
 Employed Rigging Studding sail. Spars to get them out the way. Very hot
 thermometer 85 in shade
 Lat 36-02 Long 61-03

Remarks Wednesday 15th
 Begins fair wind and pleasant
 Course E. Wind from Southward
 Lat 36-06 Long 59-14

Remarks Thursday 16th
 Begins with pleasant breezes from S. W.
 Course E. S. E. Latter part pleasant breezes At 4 1/2 A. M. raised a school of small whales to the windward and going to windward. So ends. Beating to windward for whales.
 Lat 35-37 Long 58-15

Remarks Friday June 17th
 Begins pleasant breezes from S. W.
 At 1 P. M. lowered for whales The S. B. L. B. W. Boats fastened at 4 P. M. took the whales along side Hooked on and took one in At 7 1/2 finished. Commenced cutting in the other two at 4 1/2 P. M. Killed sharks around the dead whales upward of 1/2 Doz. Finished cutting in at 9 1/4 P. M. Today is my 15th birth-day but it don't seem like it for there is no one to pound me.
 Lat 35-34 Long 58-05

Remarks Saturday June 18th
 Begins pleasant breeze from S. W.
 Fixed up at 2 1/4 P. M. Employed repairing irons and Boiling I do not feel very well. Father gave me some pills