

Brig. Hopeton on a Whaling Voyage to the

Sunday August 15th

all this day fine clear pleasant weather with light baffling winds boats down chasing whales all day at 3 pm saw a sail to the SE coming in for the land so ends this day

Monday August 16

fore part of this day calm with clear pleasant weather middle and latter part light breeze from N^W struck two whales cut from one and sunk the other

Tuesday August 17

first part of this day calm middle and latter part a light breeze from N^W with pleasant weather all hands at work filling up the boats so ends this day

Wednesday Aug 18

first part of this day cloudy with baffling winds middle part the same most of the latter part rainy with a breeze from N^W in the forenoon lowered for whales

so ends this day

Thursday August 19

fore part of this day light baffling winds and rainy middle same latter part strong breeze from W^N with clear pleasant weather all the fore part chasing whales so ends this day

Friday Aug 20

first part calm middle rainy latter part pleasant with breeze from W^N in fore noon struck whale parted the line so ends this day

Saturday August 21

all this day clear pleasant weather fore part light baffling breeze middle and latter strong from N^W employed in chasing whales

Sunday August 22

all of this day fine clear pleasant weather with baffling winds and calms this day as others chasing whales so ends this day

Sunday 22

all this day fine clear pleasant weather with from N^W chase whales all day

Atlantic Ocean aboard Delano Comander 1858

Monday 23

fore part of this day clear weather with wind from SE middle part rainy latter part clear and pleasant wind at N^W

Tuesday August 24

first part calm with pleasant weather at 10 am taken on board 7 bbl of oil from bark tropic bird at noon got underway with wind from N^W stood over for main land with all sail on so ends this day

Remarks on Board Wednesday August 25

all these 24 strong breeze from S^{SW} with pleasant weather at midnight the south point of Fernando no born N^W by compass distant 15 miles at daylight saw the land bearing S^E distant 12 miles the brig on a wind working up the coast saw a number of whales going quick to windward

so ends this day

Remarks on Board Thursday August 26

all this 24 hours a strong breeze from S^{SW} with fine pleasant weather with the brig on a wind working up the coast with all sail set the land in sight

so ends this day
Lat 2-39 North

Remarks on Board Friday August 27th

all this 24 hours a moderate breeze from S^W with clear pleasant weather the brig by the wind working up the coast with all sail on saw three whales in forenoon the land in sight

Lat 2-28 North

Remarks on Board Saturday August 28th

this 24 hours clear pleasant weather with moderate breeze from S^W at 7 am anchored in 18 fathoms of water at sunrise hove up made all sail steering along up the coast

so ends this day

Lat 1-43 North