

1870

Bark James Maury's Log Book

Sues Aug 2nd

Begins with good weather all the Boats off cruising struck and took a Whale to the Louisa at sun set the rest of the Boats came on Board

Wedns Aug 3rd

Begins the same Boats off cruising - Mate of the Louisa struck and got a Whale and took him along side of the James Maury and the Ship keepers cut him in at sun set came on Board

Thurs Aug 4th

Begins the same all the Boats off Whaling struck and sunk one to the Starboard Boat at sun set came on Board

Fry Aug 5th

Begins with strong winds from the S.E. all the Boats off cruising saw plenty of Whales but very shy at sun set came on Board

Sat Aug 6th

Begins with strong drizzle and cloudy Boats all off out side the Bay no Whales inside Bay struck nothing

Sund Aug 7th

Begins the same all the Boats off struck and got one to Starboard Boat and took him along side at sun set all Boats came on Board

John C Smith Master

Mon Aug 8th

Begins with the same weather Boats all off struck and got a Whale to the Starboard Boat and took him to the Louisa at dark got him along side

Tues Aug 9th

Begins the same all Boats off saw very few Whales and wild Mate of Louisa struck and got one and took him along side the James Maury so ends

Wedns Aug 10th

Begins the same all the Boats off saw no Whales in the Bay and but few out side at sun set came on Board

Thurs Aug 11th

Begins the same Boats all off Starboard Boat ^{very} struck leak and came on Board and took a new Boat from the House

Fry Aug 12th

Begins with fresh S.E. Winds and cloudy at day light called all hands and sent the two Starboard Boats off up to the North End of the Brampton Key to see if there was any Whales sent the other Boats off Whaling at sun set came on Board

Sat Aug 13th

Begins with good weather Boats all off Whaling two Starboard Boats still off to the North End at sun set the rest of the Boats came on Board