

1871

Bark James Naury Log Book

Weds July 12th

Begins with good weather Ship laying at anchor getting ready for Humpbacking Middle and latter parts the same

Thurs July 13th

Begins the same Ship laying the same all hands employed in painting Boats & Middle and latter parts the same

Fri July 14th

Begins the same Ship still at anchor getting off Jams &c Ship Niger arrived and came to anchor Middle and latter parts the same

Sat July 15th

Begins the same Ship laying the same saw two Whales come in the Bay did not chase them

Sund July 16th

Begins the same Ship laying the same sent the Starboard Watch on shore at sun set all came on Board

Mon July 17th

Begins the same Ship laying the same set off two Boats Whaling never saw any come on Board

Tues July 18th

Begins the same Ship laying at anchor getting off Jams and Jigs Middle and latter parts the same

John C Smith Master

Weds July 12th

Begins with good weather Ship still at anchor trading for Jams &c Middle and latter parts the same

Thurs July 20th

Begins the same Ship laying the same saw no Whales

Fri July 21st

Begins with good weather Ship laying at anchor getting off Jams Middle and latter parts the same

Sat July 22nd

Begins with strong Winds from S & Ship laying the same waiting for the Whales to come in saw none

Sund July 23rd

Begins with heavy Rain and strong Winds from S Middle and latter parts the same Port Watch ashore on liberty at 4 P.M. Bark Napoleon Arrived and Anchored

Mon July 24th

Begins with pleasant weather at 8 P.M. took the Anchor and went off shore about 4 miles and Anchored again in 15 fathoms of water Bark Coral Arrived and Anchored and Bark Cleve

Tues July 25th

Begins the same ship laying the same saw 4 or 5 Whales out side of the Reef did not lower for them