

August 27th Fine weather light breeze from E. steering on the wind cruising for whales. spoke the Ship Hudson of Fairhaven this morning she has got 2 whales since we saw her last saw whales at 9 A.M. lowered all 4 for them the Starboard got fast to a Bull whale killed him and got him along side cut him in lowered the Waist and Starboard boats but with out success started the fire under the try pots at 8 P.M. 11 ships in sight & trying out & cutting in Lat 69.39. N

22nd Pleasant weather light breeze from the N. steering on the wind cruising trying out broke out the last Hold for shucks. coo per setting up casks all scraping down 3 ships in sight 1 Bailing saw plenty of rip sack whales.

23rd Bazy weather blowing a gale of wind from the N. Laying to under close reefed main top sail had to cool down last night at 1 O'clock on account of it being so rough. standing quarter watches saw rip sacks and one sail.

24th Pleasant weather light breeze from the E. started the fire under the try pots again last night at 10 O'clock P.M. finished trying out this morning at 9 O'clock. stowing down oil in the fore Hold the whale made us about 72 of oil got our malasses forward to day saw plenty rip sacks also saw 3 ships the fly jib guy parted to day Lat 70.70. N

25th Bazy weather strong breeze from the S. steering on the wind cruising for whales. spoke the Bath South American Capt. Walker of New Bedford she has taken 12 whales this season she got a whale this morning finished scraping and stowing down to day lowered all 4 boats for Bow Hunt. but without success spoke the try lee of St. John's Capt. Freeman Lat 70.33. N

August 26th Pleasant weather light breeze from the N. spoke the Try lee of St. John's Capt. Freeman she was trying out started a fire under the try pots and and made bye for all hands set all to washing their cloths got through washing and was had ship gammed with the Clipper Ship Japan of New Bedford Capt. Drimond thirty four months out thirty five hundred bbls. of oil she was a trying out 14 sails in sight 10 of them trying out saw plenty of Bow Head whales but could not get near them Lat 70.6. N

27th Fine weather strong breeze from the S. cruising for whales. broke out for water beef and pork washed the Boat falls and boats coo per setting up casks saw whales lowered all 4 boats but without success the whales were a going to the windward very fast 14 ships in sight 11 trying out

28th Bazy weather strong breeze from the N. steering on the wind under double reefed top sails saw whales this morning at 6 O'clock. lowered all 4 boats the starboard boat got fast to a Bull whale killed him got him along side and cut him in spoke the Bark Hercules of New Bedford she has got 2 whales this season, 15 ships in sight 12 trying out 3 cutting in saw obscure no reckoning.

29th Bazy weather strong breeze from the N. steering on the wind cruising for whales started the fire under the try pots this morning at 6 O'clock gammed with the ship Hudson of Fairhaven Capt. Thornton. 8 whales this season saw whales but too swift to lower for them saw obscure.

30th Bazy weather strong breeze from the N. steering on the wind under double reefed top sails trying out oil the Hunts got