

Ship La Fayette on north. W Coast

Friday June 26
 Light winds from S.W. by N heading N.W.
 Lat. 56.08 } employees in stowing head and floor
 Long 144.13 } Mia and Lath. past moderate employees
 in stowing up shoes

Saturday June 27th
 Sun Obscured } Fine and pleasant at 6 P.M. saw whales
 hauled and chased Mia and Lath.
 past moderate with thick weather

Sunday June 28th
 Sun Obscured } Light winds from W heading N.W. at 6 P.M.
 saw some whales as we called them going
 quick however the boats lost saw nothing
 more of them at 4 A.M. saw a dead whale
 once took in to the ship Lath. past employees
 in cutting at 12 M finished

Monday June 29th
 Lat. 55.30 } Light air and calm employees in boiling
 Long 145.20 } Lath. past the same saw nothing

Tuesday June 30th
 Lat. 55.08 } Light air and foggy at 5 P.M. finished
 Long 145.00 } boiling Mia and Lath. past the weather
 much the same employees in cooping oil

Wednesday July 1st
 Lat. 55.34 } Light air and calm employees in stowing
 Long 144.38 } oil at 6 P.M. finished Lath. past some
 from S.E. and foggy saw Fin Backs

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Thursday July 2nd
 Lat. 56.55 } Strong breeze at S.E. steering N.W. by W
 Long 144.00 } employees in stowing up shoes saw 2 ships
 Mia and Lath. past a gale from N.E.
 and strong

Friday July 3rd
 Lat. 56.30 } Commenced with a gale from N.E. with rain
 Long 143.15 } Mia past more moderate at 5 A.M. made
 sail Lath. past saw fin backs

Saturday July 4th
 Lat. 57.14 } Fine weather with strong breeze from N.W. heading
 Long 144.23 } N.W. Mia and Lath. past moderate saw Fin Backs

Sunday July 5th
 Lat. 57.00 } Fine and pleasant steering N.W. by W at 5 P.M.
 Long 145.00 } saw and chased a whale at 9 A.M. saw whales
 hauled and struck 2 got fast but cut from 1
 Lath. past Boats fast once no hopes of getting
 the whale 2 ships in sight cutting

Monday July 6th
 Sun Obscured } Strong breeze from S.W. Boats off fast to a whale
 at 5 P.M. cut the line lost 2 fms and a half
 and 5 irons Mia and Lath. past thick fog

Tuesday July 7th
 Sun Obscured } Commenced with a calm and thick fog at 6 P.M.
 spoke ship B. Harrier of New London 12 M 15.50
 Mia and Lath. past calm with fog

Wednesday July 8th
 Sun Obscured } Light air and calm at 3 P.M. hauled the Boats
 for whales Mia past some breeze up from E. N.E.
 at 8 A.M. spoke ship Parachute of New Bedford 7 miles
 at 9 A.M. hauled the Boats for whales