

Wed April 22nd 1903

This day gentle breeze from N.W. + smoky weather steering S.W. by S. with all sail out At 2 P.M. passed close to a piece of blubber. At 3-30 P.M. raised spouts + called them Right-whales. lowered + pulled up. but did not get up to them. to make them out before dark. so came on board + took up the boats + took in sail. Lat 42-50. Lon 60-07.

so ends this day.

Thurs. April 23rd

This day fresh breeze from N.W. + smoky run S.W. under short sail. saw a Finback Lat 43-05.

so ends this day.

Friday April 24th

First part of this day fresh breeze from N.W. cloudy + rough. latter part wind S.W. + more moderate. but still overcast. saw nothing Lat 43-41 at sunset more ship + led to N.W.

so ends this day.

Sat April 25th

First part of this day fresh breeze from N.W. with squalls of hail + rain latter part more moderate with rain squalls. saw a Steamer Man of War. Lat 43-14. Lon 59-50

so ends this day.

Sunday April 26th

This day gentle breeze from S.W. + fine weather made all sail at 7 A.M. saw nothing at noon Lat 42-37. at sunset took in sail

so ends this day.

Monday April 27th 1903

This day gentle breeze from South + very fine weather cruising with all sail out saw a Finback saw a Steamer. filled both tanks with water bent new middle stay sail + main top mast stay sail. Lat 42-31

so ends this day.

Tuesday April 28th

This day gentle breeze from S.W. + fine weather at 7 A.M. made sail + kept off S.E. At 10-30 A.M. raised a Right-whale. soon after saw three more. At 12 noon lowered + struck right away killed whale + took him along side made fat + took in sail. Lat 42-33. Lon 58-49 set watch at six P.M. waist boat



so ends this day.

Wed. April 29th

This day gentle breeze from North + fine weather At 6 A.M. turned to + put up gear hooked on to whale. all in at 5 P.M. set watch at 7 P.M. saw some whales. but could not make them out.

so ends this day.

Thurs. April 30th

This day gentle breeze from N.W. + fine weather at 7 A.M. made all sail + stood to N.W. saw lots of Finbacks + Porpoises also saw a Steamer bound S.W. panded blubber all day. + stripped the bone. Lat 42-28.

so ends this day.

Friday May 1st

This day light breeze from N.W. + fine weather at day light made sail + started mincing blubber At 9 A.M. raised some whales. lowered but found them to be Humpbacks. so came on board + started the fires. at sunset took in sail

so ends this day.