

Tues. Aug. 18th 1903

This day gentle breeze from S.W. & cloudy.
saw two large shoals of Black fish
running to N.W. set up head staze
Lat 7-30

so ends this day

Wed Aug 19th

This day gentle air from S.W. & fine weather
saw Blackfish Porpoise & Finbacks doing
ship duty. Lat 7-12 Lon 10-22 running
North all day. at sunset hauled to holding
S.E.

so ends this day

Thurs. Aug. 20th

First part of this day calm & cloudy. latter part
gentle breeze from West & fine weather. At 7-30 A.M.
started to break out the hole. raised a white
water then a spout & called it a Sperm whale
lowered & pulled up to it - it proved to be
Hump back. so came on board & took up boots
then broke out slope & sails. at sunset
hauled to

so ends this day

Friday Aug. 21st

This day gentle breeze from S.W. & fine weather
repaired stay sails & fore Top Gallant sail &
unbent new ones. & bent old ones. saw a
Finback & Porpoise. Lat 6-49. Lon 10-50

so ends this day

Sat Aug 22nd

This day gentle breeze from S.E. & fine weather
all day. saw nothing but Porpoise painted
myid lass & started to paint mast heads
Lat 6-30 carried sail all night

so ends this day

Sunday Aug. 23rd 1903

This day gentle breeze from S.E. & fine weather
steering S.W. At 10 A.M. raised a large Sperm
whale. lowered at 2 P.M. & chased until sundown
could not get on so came on board at 7 P.M.
& took up. Boats. set patch at 7 P.M.
Lat 6-46. Lon 10-18

so ends this day

Monday. Aug 24th

This day gentle breeze from S.E. & fine weather
saw Krampus & Finback. painted Fore mast
Lat 6-32 cruising with all sail out carried
sail all night.

so ends this day

Tues. Aug 25th

This day gentle breeze from S.W. & fine weather
all day. Steering South saw some white
water & spouts called them Hump backs.
saw Porpoise Lat 7-20. Lon 10-23
unbent lower Top sail so ends this day.

Wed. Aug. 26th

This day gentle breeze from S.E. & fine weather
stood to meat ward all day. saw nothing fled
water & filled both tanks. fixed foot ropes
on Top sail yard. Lat 7-46. Lon 10-15

so ends this day

Thurs. Aug 27th

This day gentle breeze from South & hazy weather
At 11 A.M. lashed ship & stood to S.E. wind
kept hauling at sunset steering S. by E.
with every thing set. saw several Finback
& Hump backs. Lat 8-05

so ends this day