

Remarks On Board Of Bark Lydia Of New Bedford

Wednesday January 16th 1867²³

First part turned up the whale and took her in tow. 4 Bell took her to the ship. Middle part lying with the whale along side. Latter part cutting. 3 boats whaling but saw none.

Thursday Jan^y 17th

First part chasing a cow & calf. and cutting up the blubber. Middle part boiling. Latter part looking for whales. Saw none. finished boiling 30663.

Friday Jan^y 18th

Clearing up the decks & took in Stoven boat to repair. got a Bullock from the Shore. Middle part the same. Latter part boats off whaling. Carpenter repairing Stoven boat. Saw no whales. So Ends this another day.

Saturday Jan^y 19th

These 24 hours much the same as the former. Boats off looking for whales. Saw none.

Sunday Jan^y 20th

First part of this day saw two whales. But could not catch them. Capt. Hathaway went in the Country to buy Bullocks. Latter part got half of a small Bullock from the Shore.

Monday Jan^y 21st

Throughout these 24 hours much the same. did not send our boats out to day to look for whales. the Capt. not returned.

Tuesday Jan^y 22nd

Capt. returned. Middle and Latter part fine weather. all hands on board doing nothing. Saw no whales.

Mr. B. Hathaway Master In Lea Bay.

Wednesday January 23rd 1867²³

Fine weather. Started one bark. Fred. The rest of this day cloudy & light rain. Sent 3 boats to look for whales. but could not see any. So Ends

Thursday Jan^y 24th

Continued fine weather one of our men John Williams undertook to run away by jumping over board. but was discovered in time to save his life. boats in quest of whales. Saw two. So Ends

Friday Jan^y 25th

Throughout these 24 hours fresh breezes and quite rugged. Saw a cow & calf and 2 lone whales.

Saturday Jan^y 26th

First part fresh breezes & rugged. the rest of this day fine weather. Saw a cow & calf. Struck to the E. waist. Boat the calf struck the bow to our waist boat. at Meridian took her to the George. So Ends this day.

Sunday Jan^y 27th

All these 24 hours fine weather. All hands on board but one boats crew Cystring. Received a visit from 2 Gentlemen. Engineers from the Shore.

Monday Jan^y 28th

First part fine weather got half of a small Bullock from the Shore. Latter part saw a cow & calf gave chase but could not catch her. at Meridian came on board. So Ends this day.

Tuesday Jan^y 29th

Throughout this day fine weather saw whales but could not come near enough to get fast. got some cheese from the Spaniards. So another day