

Remarks On Board of Ship Mawson of New Bedford

Friday July 25th 1862. First part moderate breezes and cloudy heading to the N. E. Middle and latter part fresh breezes heading to Southward near Indian

Saw R. W. and lowered 3 Boats

Salt Obs 45. 28 W. Long by Chron 148. 53 E

Saturday July 26th at 12. 30 Harbor Boat struck



a fine Bull at 2 P.M. took him to the ship and commenced

cutting at 9. 30 finished and took in sail heading S. W. Middle and

latter part fine weather cleared away the head and commenced boiling. Saw R. W. lowered 3 boats and

galled 11 C. C. took up Boats. Saw Pinkback

Salt Obs 45. 51 W. Long by Chron 148. 50 E

Sunday July 27th continued fine weather. Employed in boiling. Middle and latter part the same. Saw R. W. to windward did not lower. Employed in boiling

No Obs

Monday July 28th First part fresh breezes and cloudy

Saw R. W. and lowered the boats 5. 30 Harbor boat

struck. the whale run to windward but did not get fast with sickboat until after dark. but

it was no go. parted on line & cut the other 9. 30 took up the boats & let him go to the S. E.

Employed in boiling the whole of this day. Middle part strong breezes with rain. Latter part strong

breezes & dragged Saw Right Whale to windward. did not lower. Ends dragged & shows of rain

No Obs

Tuesday July 29th continuing strong breezes with

showers of rain. Saw R. W. lowered the boats but could not get fast. 3 P.M. took up boats. Saw

Pinkback in a few quantity. Employed boiling Middle and latter part moderate breezes with

some rain cooled down for 2 hours. Saw Pinkback

Salt Obs 45. 50 W. Long 145. 25 E

Henry C. Leidy Master Cruising in "Ochoata" Sea

Wednesday July 30th First part moderate breezes heading various ways 4 P.M. saw R. W. lowered 3 boats & chased but could not get fast. finished boiling. Middle part light breezes. Latter part fine weather

Saw R. W. B.W. lowered 4 Boats & B.

Struck & Killed 9. 30 took him to the ship and commenced cutting

Employed in cutting the rest of this day. Saw many R. W.

Salt Obs 45. 52 W.

Thursday July 31st continued fine weather. Saw R. W. lowered 2 Boats & chased. 4 P.M. finished cutting and

cleared the head. 7 P.M. took up boats. no fish. at 8. 30 commenced boiling Middle part

fine weather. Latter part saw R. W.

7. 30 lowered the boats Harbor Boat struck & Killed 10. 00 took him to the ship. Employed in cutting & boiling. To Ends

No Obs

Friday August 1st First part cloudy & light showers of rain took in throat Lips & head & part of the body. 7 P.M. Lashed down for the night. boiling & setting up shocks. Middle part rainy dirty weather. Latter part foggy & employed in boiling. Moving down and setting up shocks. Saw the whale to day.

Fog Fog

Saturday Aug 2nd continuing foggy 3 P.M. commenced cutting again 5 P.M. finished. boiling & setting up shocks. Middle part calm. Latter part light breezes and cloudy. Moving down. boiling and setting up shocks. Saw Pinkback

Cloudy. Opened 2 bbls. Beef

Sunday Aug 3rd continuing moderate breezes and cloudy heading to the North. Middle and latter part Rainy cooled down the work. Employed in setting up shocks. Ends Rainy

Rain

