

A Journal of the Ship Margaret St. John N^o 52

Latter part light winds from S.W. and hazy weather. At 7 A.M. spoke Ship Friend of New York N^o 101. So ends First sail in sight.

Lt Obs. 36. 42 S.

Saturday October 13th

Sixty of
Cod fish

This Day begins with light winds from S.E. and hazy weather. At 1 P.M. spoke Ship Thron one whale in company with the Fore Ship. Latter part winds from N.E. and hazy weather. At 10 A.M. saw the Friend of New York take a whale. Four sail in sight. So ends the Day. Long by Chron. 3. 20 M. Lat Obs. 36. 58 S.

Sunday October 14th

This Day begins with strong wind from N.E. and hazy weather. At 2 P.M. spoke Ship Polara of New London. 1000 barrels Oil. Latter part winds and weather much the same as the first. At 7 A.M. saw three whale going to the windward. Landed 24, nothing. At 8 A.M. spoke Ship Atlas of Lynn one whale. Seven sail in sight. This Day So ends.

Lt Obs. 37. 38 S.

Monday October 15th

Sixty of
Corns

This Day begins with strong winds from N.E. and hazy weather. At 5 P.M. spoke Ship Minrod of Long Harbour. Two whale caught fresh, a boiling. Latter part light winds from S.W. and pleasant weather. At 11 A.M. raised a white whale. Landed for him could not strike. Seven sail in sight. So ends. Long by Chron. 4. 36 M. Lt Obs. 37. 55 S.

On a whaling Cruise to the Cape of Good Hope

Tuesday October 16th

This Day begins with light winds from S.E. and pleasant weather. Latter part strong winds from N.E. and hazy weather. Saw a number of Fin Back whale and one white whale going quick did not land. Three sail in sight. So ends. Long by Chron. 4. 44 M. Lt Obs. 38. 03 S.

Wednesday October 17th

This Day begins with strong winds from N.W. and hazy weather. At 1 P.M. spoke Ship Jasper of Boston three whale. Latter part much the same as the first. Saw a number of Fin Back whale, & a school of Black Fish. Four sail in sight. So ends. Long by Chron. 4. 12 M. Long by Chron. 3. 55 M. Lt Obs. 38. 46 S.

Thursday October 18th

This Day begins with light winds from N.W. and pleasant weather. Latter part strong winds and hazy weather. At 7 A.M. saw two white whale going to the windward. Four sail in sight. So ends. Long by Chron. 2. 22 M. Lt Obs. 35. 48 S.

Friday October 19th

Barrel of
Flour

This Day begins with strong winds from N.W. and hazy weather. Latter part the same as the first. Four sail in sight. So ends. Lt Obs. 36. 39 S.

Saturday October 20th

This Day begins with strong winds from N.W. and thick hazy weather. Latter part strong winds from N. and hazy. One sail in sight. So ends. Long by Chron. 00. 54 M. Lt Obs. 37. 40 S.