

Bark Mary Frazier of New Bedford

Thursday June 17th 1869

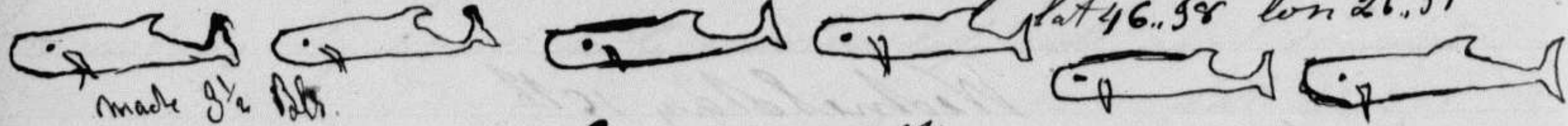
Commenced with fine weather, with wind S.E. steering to S.E. by E, lowered and struck a Sunfish and just got him alongside and the iron came out, and lost him. Through the night the same. latter part wind freshening from same quarter, lowered a boat and picked up a large square stick of timber some fifty feet long cut it and split it and severed. Lat 44.12 Lon 29.06

Friday 18th

Commenced with the same wind steering N.E. by E. water a dark Green, saw several Humpbacks. Through the night the same steering E. N.E. latter part several vessels in sight, the same fine weather filled Bath with water from Tank made new Smoke Stacks for the tryworks so ends. Lat 43.43 Lon 29.43

Saturday 19th

The same fine weather with wind S.W. steering E. by E. saw plenty of Sulphur Bottom, water Green through the night much the same. at daylight raised Blackfish, lowered and landed & waist Struck, took them aboard and got breakfast and lowered four Boats, landed boat got two Starboard & Bow one waist Boat lost head. Several sail in sight so ends. Lat 46.58 Lon 26.51



Made 3 1/2 Blk.

Sunday 20th

First part wind light from S.W. and pleasant land and minced the Blubber and steering E. N.E. through the night wind working to W. and latter part S.W. and pleasant. Saw plenty Sulphur Bottom boiling Blackfish oil. Several sail in sight steering to E. through the day steering N.E. so ends. Lat 47.46 Lon 25.57

Cruising in the North Atlantic

Monday June 21st 1869

Commenced with light breeze from N.W. steering N.E. Nothing to be seen that looks like Hump Whales latter part light breeze from same, a number of sail in sight water very Green so ends. Lat 48.53 Lon 25.19

Tuesday 22nd

Commenced with light air from N.W. and died away near Calm, picked up a large stick of timber and a plank, cut the timber up, caught a large Rock Cod. Cleared down top sail and furled the light sails, Calm through the night. at Daylight lowered for Blackfish. Struck three, clearing them away, and so ends. Lat 49.08 Lon 25.05



Made 3 Blk

Wednesday 23rd

light air springing from S. made sail steering to E. then E. by S. Several sail in sight. took in top gallant sails and hauled up the courses and steering E. by S. made sail at daylight with fresh breeze from S.W. a number of sail in sight all bound to E. started the works and boiled our Black fish, steering through the day to E. S.E. Lat 49.50 Lon 25.42

Thursday 24th

Commenced with fresh breeze from S.W. steering E. S.E. till sunset when luffed to wind heading S.E. through the night under short sail breezing on the latter part and heading the same, Lat 50.02 Lon 26.11

Friday 25th

Commenced with strong breeze from S.W. wore ship at noon to W. under double reef, and courses, saw plenty of vessels, and all kinds of whales but the right kind through the night moderating and latter part wind died away nearly calm, with a swell setting from N.W. two vessels that we call whales. so ends. Lat 49.53 Lon 26.03