

Bark to Sears at Samston Shoals 1878

Sept 8

First part a strong breeze
 Employed boiling at day light
 Cooled down and loaded four
 Boats at three A.M. the Starboard
 Boat struck the whale kicked
 the iron out - Boats came on
 board started the big dows
 at ten A.M. finished boiling
 295
 175
 110
 242
 180
 135
 290
 170
 290
 220
 90
 2197

Saturday Sept 9

Fine weather
 Loaded four Boats but
 sent Whales no chance
 at three A.M. came on board
 and loaded oil in the
 fore peak

Sunday Sept 10

Calm and a light
 air from the S.W. saw but
 a few Whales at a distance
 did not load

Monday Sept 11th

First part a light
 air from the S.W. loaded four
 Boats The Starboard Boat struck
 at three A.M. got the whale
 along side came on board
 and broke out provisions
 bread meat &c.

Tuesday Sept 12

First part a strong
 breeze from the S.W. at day light
 looked on to cut in the whale
 at ten P.M. the Starboard and Waist
 boat loaded the Starboard Boat
 struck the iron came out - so came
 on board and finished cutting
 and started the big dows
 this day ends with a strong breeze
 from the S.W.

Wednesday Sept 13

Came in more
 moderate loaded three Boats
 but two Whales
 Employed on board cutting blubber
 and boiling

Thursday Sept 14

Fine weather from
 the S.E. with a light air at day
 light finished boiling and loaded
 four Boats the Starboard Boat struck
 at half past four A.M. got the
 whale to the ship. after four hours
 loading

110
 12
 110
 150
 120
 95
 105
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 15
 200
 200
 290
 2582