

Remarks on Board Bark

Saturday 9th

Commenced with moderate breezes from the S. still boiling at 11 o'clock p.m. finished boiling middle part the weather the same at daylight Richard Williams raised sperm whales covered two boats starboard boat struck a large whale waist boat fastened to the same whale Captain came down and shot at him got him alongside at 12 o'clock got dinner

so ends this day Lat Long
34.33 41.40

Sunday 10th

Commenced with moderate breezes from the East commenced cutting and at dark got supper and at the 1/2 watch employed cleaning up decks and commenced boiling middle and latter parts strong breezes employed cutting and boiling so ends Lat Long

34.53 41.24

Monday 11th

Commenced with strong breezes from the S.E. employed cutting and boiling saw a brigg chasing whales at 11 o'clock finished cutting left the case towing alongside in the night the chase parted and we lost the case middle and latter parts the weather the same still a boiling so ends Lat Long

34.22 42.9

Tuesday 12th

Commenced to day with the weather more moderate we are still boiling and stowing down oil one sail in sight middle and latter parts wind and weather the same still boiling and stowing oil so ends Lat Long

34.00 42.35

Wednesday 13th

Commenced with light winds from the S. at 6 o'clock finished boiling middle and latter parts light winds from the S. employed breaking out and stowing down oil one sail in sight so ends this day Lat Long

34.22 42.54

Mattaponi Orlando P. Tripp Master

Thursday 14th

Commenced with light winds from the S. all hands employed stowing oil at 5 o'clock p.m. Captain Williams of the brigg Eschol of Beverly came on board. Three months out with 10 barrels sperm oil returned to his vessel at 7 p.m. took in sail for the night middle and latter parts squally weather the brigg still in sight finished stowing oil and so ends this day Lat Long

34.23 43.10

Friday 15th

Commenced with moderate breezes from the W. S. W. with squally crew employed cleaning the vessel brigg still in sight middle and latter parts free from squally wind at 8 o'clock cruising on different tack so ends Lat Long

34.31 43.32

Saturday 16th

Commenced with moderate breezes from various quarters at 1 o'clock saw a brigg 12 miles to windward did not see it again at 6 o'clock p.m. ran into the schooner Sarah of Lewis three months out with 150 barrels of sperm oil at sundown took in sail for the night middle and latter parts wind and weather the same so ends Lat Long

34.42 42.13

Sunday 17th

Commenced with light winds from the west heading N. N. W. crew employed taking in the starboard boat and putting out another one two sails in sight middle part the same latter strong winds and squally weather under short sail so ends Lat Long

42.20 31.45