

Ship Minerva on North West Coast.

Saturday July 12th 1845

This day commenced with fine weather and calm. at 6 A.M. the L.B. fastened to a whale and the W.B.

at 11 A.M.

Side and

cutting at

in about 1/2 of the whale and lowered away again and the W.B. fastened the whale down

about 8 hours and then we turned him up.

the ship a

with one

aboard at 12

8 mile off in a calm. so ends this day.

Sunday July 13th 1845

This day commenced with fine weather and light wind commenced towing the whale and got him at the ship at sunset so ends and sat boat crew matches at 3 P.M. commenced cutting so ends this day.

Monday July 14th 1845

This day commenced with strong winds from the N.E. finished cutting on the whale at 4 A.M. the deck full of blubber and sat boiling matches so ends

Tuesday July 15th 1845

This day commenced with fine weather and light winds match and match boiling so ends this day

Wednesday July 16th 1845

This day commenced with heavy weather with rain. latter part blowing down & boiling so ends this day



got him along commenced 2 P.M. cut

cutting in boats crew the ship was

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Thursday July 17th 1845

This day commenced with rainy weather for part match below, latter part boiling & slowing down. so ends this day.

Friday July 18th 1845

This day commenced with fine weather and light wind from N. all hands slowing down and boiling out so ends this day.

Saturday July 19th 1845

This day commenced with fine weather and moderate winds from N. at 3 A.M. the L.B. fastened to a large whale and cut from him coming on deck and coiled not hold on. all hands boiling & slowing down one sail in sight so ends this day. at 12 M. coiled down the masts.

Sunday July 20th 1845

This day commenced with fine weather and light winds from N. slowing on diff. tacks at 4 A.M. the B. Boat fastened and the line parted match and match slowing down. so ends this day.

Monday July 21st 1845

This day commenced with dead calm and fine weather

the starboard

and the

the whale and

towing got him along side at 10 and sat the match at 4 P.M. commenced cutting found him out to be a bay skin but the B.P. got him in so ends this day.



at 6 A.M.

boat fastened

W. killed

commenced