

Sand Spit, Scattering Ice to the S.W. of the
Sand Spit, Lost 500 fathoms whole line by a whale.

Friday July 4th

Commenced with a thick foggy
and a calm. At 4 in the morning recovered all 5
boats. At 10 foggy cleared off. Saw a few Whales
to the S.W. of the Sand Spit, and got a big Whale
along side and cut in one a half. 2 Ships
boats came up here a whaling and one ship
got through the ice and came up here to
anchor. Call her John Coggeswell & Co. So
ends this day at anchor and sails cleared.

Saturday July 5th

Light wind from E and foggy part
the time. 2 boats off whaling. Saw 4 or 5 Whales,
one ship up here to anchor and 2 more coming in
light. About 3 Ships boats up here from the S.W. or
see finished cutting a whale and in the head
gear from the big Whale. Started the ship masts
Mr Benjamin and Mr Coffee and Mr Bell, saying
in 4 fathoms water. Much bottom, big anchor
hook and shaped and 30 fathoms there out

Sunday July 6th

Light wind from E and foggy
part the time. At 3 in the morning called all
hands and finished cutting our whale. At 8
sent off 3 boats whaling. Saw the Whale. Most of
the ships are getting near the Sand Spit. John Cog-
geswell and Carolina up here to anchor. Ship
Sarah Metapost got a 60 lb whale. Mr Benja-
min and Mr Coffee & Unwell Employed in bailing

Monday July 7th

Commenced with a calm and
fine weather. 2 boats went down bay on the
E side and 2 on the W side. Saw in thick ice
half way to Washington Head plenty Whales. Saw
no whale on the East side the bay. Saw 2 boats
from Potter's Head. No whale there. Boat belong to
B. H. Vernon. At 2 P.M. came on board took the
anchor and pushed down bay 2 miles then
anchored and secured the sails. Great breeze
from E and some ice coming a-fowl of us.
1 more ship went to the South of the Sand
Spit to anchor. Sand Spit bearing N.W. by S
about 1 mile. Hard bottom Employed in bail-
ing.

Tuesday July 8th

Light air from the South
ward and foggy and rain. Took the anchor and
flected the ship down bay to the ice. 3 boats
off in the ice whaling. Saw and heard 4 whales.
The Charles Phelps light from Jones Island
and has taken 3 Whales there since we part-
ed company. Mr Tate came on board of us
bound up to the Sand Spit. The Phelps just
through the ice off in the bay. We are anchor-
ed 2 miles from the West shore in 9 fathoms
water. Employed in bailing. Mr Benjamin off
the hooker yet.

Wednesday July 9th

Light wind from S.W. and
foggy and rain. At 4 in the morning 4 boats
went off whaling. Heard a number of whales in
the ice. At 10 A.M. came on board. Employed
in bailing. The Timmer's boats came along side.
3 barges flected down bay. Some ice came
a-fowl of us.