

Wednesday Sept 1st

Light airs from N.E.W. and S
and Calm, Ship lying 6 mile N of the S Head,
4 boats off whaling, Plenty of Whales and very
Shy, Plenty of boats, Saw no whales taken,
Chased hard all Day, I went on board the Dela-
ware and got a Sperm whale Tallow, I went on board
the Schooner E.L. Frost, Plenty of Ships betwixt
here and Elbow Island

Thursday Sept 2^d

Light variable air and Calm
and fine weather till 4 P.M. then took a rain
squall from N.W. At 1 P.M. started the whalers
4 boats off whaling, Saw very few Whales,
none taken, 40 Ships in sight about 18 bailing

Friday Sept 3^d

Light wind from E.N.E. and Chubby
weather, In the morning took our anchor and
worked out of the bay, with the tide and anchored
again, Most of the Ships under way part of them
abailing No whales seen this Day, Laying in 13
fathoms of water and 30 fathoms Chane out and
the topsails on the Coh, At 7 P.M. on old Swell hooked
in the Chane parted around the Windlass and lost
a 2500 lb anchor and 30 fathoms Chane, Made
sail and worked out of the bay through the
night, I put a letter on board the breiter, Capt
Kinworthy came on board, sent aloft the main top
gallant yard

Saturday Sept 4th

Light wind from N.W. & S.W. and foggy part
the day, Steering to the E.N.E. around the Shunter Island
for Old Mans Head, One boogie in sight to the N of
Fickle staff, working to the S.W. by the land looks down
No whales in sight out side, Finished bailing At 6 P.M.

West part of Fickle Staff bore S Distant 8 mile

Sunday Sept 5th

Light wind from S.W. and fine weather,
run off to the East a few miles and picked up the Delaware
whale they cut from in S.W. bay, Cut him in and
picked up a good tongue, Stowed Bacon part of our last
whale, Saw 3 sail coming from S.W. bay, Steering to
the N.E., 4 sail in sight to the N.E., Most of them bail-
ing, I will take a look where these Ships are bailing
before I go to Old Mans Head, Started the Whalers, Profile of
bailing, S.E. Distant 13 miles

Monday Sept 6th

First part of the Day fresh breeze from
N.W. and fine weather, Steered from Cape Ucoi
down to big Shunter and betwixt Progetiff, Told
Saw several Ships off Cape Ucoi, Chasing. Told
part of the Day Light airs from S.W. At noon we
are betwixt Progetiff and Round Island, Old Mans
Head in sight bailing, I employed 4 in bailing,
There is a Sand Spit off S.W. of Progetiff

Tuesday Sept 7th

First part of the Day light breeze from
S.W. and fine weather, Steering towards Old Mans
Head, Carrying all sail, Finished bailing the Shunter
Checked off the Main hold, Told part of the Day
light wind from E. run past Old Mans Head
Saw no whales to the S.W. of the Head, Saw one
sail off Round Island, I don't know where to look
for the Whales