

Ship Montpelier in Delagoa Bay 1842.

Sunday July the 10<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours fine weather in the Boats in search of Whales as usual, saw two Whales got one of them, thus ends.

Monday July the 11<sup>th</sup>



Commences with fine pleasant weather employed towing of the Whales, at 6 P.M. took the Whales a long side at daylight commenced cutting at 10 A.M. finished the Boat went down the Bay as usual but the weather proving bad they came on Board, saw nothing employed Boiling, thus ends. &c

Tuesday July the 12<sup>th</sup>

Commences with a gale at S. and thick rainy weather, and continued so till the middle part, at 4 P.M. let go our Main Bear anchor, latter part light airs and thick overcast weather, at daylight hove up the Starboard anchor, saw nothing this day employed in Boiling, thus ends.

Wednesday July the 13<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours fine pleasant weather the Boats in search of Whales, saw nothing employed, in Boiling, at daylight the Ann Maria left the Bay, Bound to the Eastward, thus ends.

Thursday July the 14<sup>th</sup>

Commences with fine weather, saw a Brig standing up the English River, at 6 P.M. finished Boiling, latter part employed stowing down, the Boats in search of Whales, as usual, saw nothing, ends fine weather.

Friday July the 15<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours fine weather Sunst part employed stowing down, latter part employed deciding the Oils and fitting the Rind rigging, at 4 P.M. the Cheep Mate of the George Dick, Mr Yates, thus ends.

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Saturday July the 16<sup>th</sup>

Commences with fine weather employed stowing down at 4 P.M. finished, Middle and latter part much the same employed in stowing up the Main top Gallant Masts, and getting the Ship ready for sea, &c. thus ends.

Sunday July the 17<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours light refreshing winds and fine pleasant weather employed in Ships duty, saw nothing this day, thus ends.

Monday July the 18<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours fine pleasant weather at daylight got under way in Company with the General, and stowed down the Bay, at 7 A.M. saw Whales, saw two Boats from each Ship, ~~the~~ had one Whale seized by the Sunboun Boat, ends chasing the Whales.



Tuesday July the 19<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours fine pleasant weather at 1 P.M. struck a Whale and killed it, at sunset took the Whale a long side the General, and commenced cutting, at 3 A.M. finished cutting at 7 A.M. got under way and sent two Boats in search of Whales, thus ends.



Wednesday July the 20<sup>th</sup>

All these 24 hours fine weather at 1 P.M. struck a Whale and bore the Whales by the Lines being cut with the spear, the General Boats got a Whale, at 4 P.M. took the Whale a long side the Montpelier and commenced cutting, at 1/2 past 10 P.M. finished cutting, and set the watch at day took the anchor and commenced Boiling, the Ship standing out the Bay, in Company with the General, thus ends.

Thursday July the 21<sup>st</sup>

All these 24 hours light variable winds and fine pleasant weather standing on different tacks in Company with the General, the Lord in sight, saw the George steering to the S. employed Boiling saw several Sunbuckers, thus ends.