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N. E. Dist 7. Mich, as it is no holding ground
and the appearance of a heavy gale I did not
judge it prudent to let go the Starboard Anchor
but otherwise to have seized Ship and Cargo
at 7 A.M. I slipped the Chains and made all prudent
sail and steered through Peconic Strait in to the
Long Sound at 10 A.M. led the Ship by the wind close
to the Land heading S.W. the wind from S.E. &
blowing a hard gale and squalls harder, Ship
under storm sails several Ships in sight

Wednesday August 15th
Commenced with hard gales at S.E. & squalls
harder Ship under storm sails Middle
part much the same. Latter part light airs
and Calm with thick fog and rain. At 4 P.M.
Commenced Boiling, and raising up Shacks
saw Nothing

Thursday August 16th
Commenced with a Calm and thick fog at 6
P.M. to blowing a fresh gale at N.W. with
a heavy sea and thick Ship under storm sails
heading N.W. Employed Boiling and raising
up Shacks. Middle part hard gales at N.W. and
squalls harder with rain at 10 P.M. Calm down
Ship standing on opposite tack. Carrying all
prudent sail to hold on. At daylight close
to the Land 6 Ships in sight. at 7 A.M. steered
for the Strait and started the Shacks. ends with
fresh gales at N.W. & Ships in sight

Friday August 17th
Commenced with fresh gales at N.W. and pleasant
Ship under short sail, shake Ship Washington
Bay harbor 21.00 bbls. Employed Boiling, Middle part
much the same. Latter part light winds at S. Ship
close to the Land under short sail. Employed Boiling
and hoisting oil, several Ships in sight. Whales
in sight. Covered to no purpose

Saturday August 18th
Commenced with light airs at S.E. & with thick
fog Ship close to the Land under short sail
Employed Boiling and stowing oil, Middle
and Latter part much the same at 11 P.M. finished
Boiling. Ends with strong breeze at N. with fog
squalls. Employed Stowing Oil several Ships
in sight

Sunday August 19th
Commenced with fresh gales at N. and squally
Ship close to the Land saw Whales to range to
Whale. Middle and Latter part fresh gales at
N. Ship standing on opposite tack in St. Lawrence
Bay. Employed Stowing Oil

Monday August 20th
Commenced with fresh gales at N. and squally
Ship standing on opposite tack in St. Lawrence Bay saw
a Ship on shore at 2 P.M. sent a Boat alongside
it proved to be the Ship Richmond of Cuba. Shrimpf
found 2 Boats crewed on Board one from the Range
Calumetia Bay harbor reported 12.00 bbls. the other from
Ship Anaschanka Fairmount reported 1.000 bbls. the 2 Ships
went at anchor up the Bay a boat 20 Mich. Middle
and Latter part fresh gales at N. Ship under moderate
sail close to the Land at 7 P.M. part Ship. For
Shennetta Boiling and a Whale long side