

Log of Whaling Schooner F. Putnam of

Sunday July 26<sup>th</sup> Comes in with calm weather. Spoke a Brig four days from N York. gave his Longt as about 7400. Middle part light winds from N E latter part moderate breezes from E S E to S E Schooner to Southward under all sail except foregafftopsail steady light rains, Jennings & Joseph still off duty sick.

S. O. Obs  
Lat per Acpt 37 30  
Longt do 74 20 W  
Bar at 6h 29 07 04

Monday 27<sup>th</sup>

Comes in with brisk and increasing winds from S E & hauled to S W by 4h has tacked ship to S E & took in gafftopsail & mainsail, & opened our last barrel of Beef. Saw Blackfish at 2hs took a very heavy squall from S W took in all sail. heavy rains with thunder & lightning. latter part thick weather with moderate gales from S W. Schooner to S E under two reefed foresail jib &trysail spoke Brig Harold

Bar at 4h 29 09 04  
Lat per Obs 36 57 N  
Longt per watch 4h 73 50 W

Provincetown Elisha H. Fillion Master 1858

Tuesday July 28<sup>th</sup>

Comes in with moderate gales from N W Schooner to S E & spoke Schooner J. H. Collins Middle & latter parts more moderate with a thick atmosphere Employed fitting rigging Joseph on duty again

Lat 36 49 N  
Longt 4h 73 31 00 W

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup>

Comes in with light winds from N W with thick weather spoke Schooner J. H. Collins Express and Estella. Middle part S E on opposite latter part by to S E Saw Blackfish & lowered for them struck one & drew the from

Lat 37 57 N  
Longt 4h 73 46 W  
Bar at 6h 30 01 00