

Journal of a whaling voyage on board the good

953. Friday July 9th. 1853.
Commenced with fresh breezes from NW heading
W. R. W. At sunset took in sail. Middlepart
fresh breezes. Batterpart the same heading.
W. R. W. Saw first backs. So ends.
Lat 37.34. N. Long 42.45. W. (Home Side)

954. Saturday July 10th.
Commenced with fresh breezes from NW heading
W. R. W. Employed in making spungum.
At 6 P.M. took in M.C. sail and cast to sail
Middlepart cloudy and rainy. At daylight
saw a steam ship steering to the eastward.
Batterpart moderate winds heading W. R. W.
At 7/8 A.M. picked up a large yawl boat
stem gone. Saw a big and schooner steering
Eby S. Caught two dolphins. So ends.
Lat 38.00 N. Long 43.00 W. (Home Side)

955. Sunday July 11th.
Commenced with moderate winds from NW
heading W. R. W. 1 mile in sight. Middlepart
moderate. Batterpart light breezes and rainy.
At 9 A.M. cleared away pleasant. At 11 A.M.
saw ship Samaras. Mol. of Fair Haven
12 days out ahead. (Home Side)
Lat 38.06. N. Long 46.00 W.

956. Monday July 12th.
Commenced with fine weather heading
westward in company with the Samaras
Middlepart calm. Batterpart the same
Employed in sending up G.B. madd.
Sends two sails in sight.
Lat 38.02. N. (Home Side)

Board Atlantic.

957. Tuesday July 13th. 1853.
Commenced with pleasant weather and light breezes
from N.E. steering W. R. W. Employed in sending up
G.B. madd, and sail. At 7/8 P.M. luffed to the wind
Middlepart pleasant. Batterpart the same. Steering
W. R. W. So ends this day. (Home Side)
Lat 36.38. N. Long 46.57. W.

958. Wednesday July 14th.
Commenced with light breezes from E. steering W. R. W.
Middlepart light breezes. Batterpart the same
Steering W. R. W. At 7/8 A.M. saw black fish covered
the boats and caught one. So ends. Cutting said fish
Lat 36.14. N. Long 48.33. W. (Home Side)

959. Thursday July 15th.
Commenced with fine weather and light winds from
eastward steering W. R. W. At 7/8 P.M. covered for black
fish did not get any. Middlepart pleasant.
Batterpart the same. Steering W. R. W. Employed in
stowing off between decks. So ends. (Home Side)
Lat 36.15. N. Long 50.33. W.

960. Friday July 16th.
Commenced with fine weather and pleasant breezes
from E. steering W. R. W. Employed in cutting
black fish. Sent up main mast. Middlepart
fine breezes. Batterpart the same heading W. R. W.
Saw a big. So ends. (Home Side)
Lat 37.07. N. Long 53.30. W.