

July 1847.

Thurs July the 1st 1847 a strong breeze
finished boiling some
rain & sail in sight one
ship got fast but she lost him
and her line we gammed with
her in the evening it was
the Ontario of Sag Harbor
5 whales this season

Frid the 2nd a strong breeze and
some rain employed for
steering down saw whales
and lowered without
success spoke the ship
Wm. Thompson of New
Bedford with 2 whales this
season she is boiling
now so goes the timer.

Sat the 3rd a strong breeze stirring by
the wind it rained all day
& sail in sight killed a
hog but saw no whales

Sunday the 4th of July a strong breeze
laying to with a close
reef main top sail thick
and raining most of the
day roast Pig for dinner
& sail in sight saw
no whales thus 24 hours

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Upon the 5th a light breeze & sail in
sight one boiling & cutting
and one caught a whale
plenty of them in
sight we struck one to
S. Boat struck and
sunk him at 7 P. M.
gammed with the party of
New Bedford with 8 whales
this season so goes it

Tues the 6th a light breeze & sail in sight
saw a plenty of whales
at 2 P. M. the S. Boat struck
but she drew at 7 P. M.
saw dead whale to the
windward of us we picked
him up and took him
along side at 11 P. M. so goes

Thurs the 7th a strong breeze foggy
and some rain cut in the
whale and began to boil
the last part the same
saw no whales thus 24 hours

Thurs the 8th a strong breeze employed
in boiling saw whales and
lowered for them but
without success last part
a stronger breeze and very
rough bore too under
close reef main top sail and
fore sail saw 2 whales
lost to the ship to rugged
to lower so goes the day