

Remarks Past On Board Bk. Ocean of New Bedford On A. Whaling

268 Friday 3rd Course with light airs from E and S E
a few Whales were seen the watch employed in
Boiling sooty swell from S W steering N by W under
easy sail at 6 P. M. raised fire tacks Midale part light
Boiling from S E and cloudy weather on the Western
tack Latter part of day fairer S W wind closed
weather some rain the Ship on the Western tack
at 7 A. M. finish Boiling

269 Saturday 4th Course with fresh wind from
S W and some rain the watch employed in cleaning
up and cooping Oil in deck at 7 P. M. more
Ship to the S E and took in sail Midale part light
wind S. N. E. the Ship on the S W tack Latter part
of day pleasant light breeze from S at 6 A. M. saw
Spindle Whales four all four Boats the West Boat
look one along side at 10 A. M. at 11 A. M. commenced
cut so ended a cutting and cross weather Lat 47° 21' S
Long 56° 04' W

270 Sunday 5th Course with splenid weather some
S. N. W. at 6 P. M. finish cutting the today and
set the watch leaving the Whales Head along side
Midale part light breeze from N W and clear
Latter part light breeze from S W and increasing
at 8 A. M. hooked to the Whales Head and took in the
thick it blowing fresh left the case along side and
commence to stow down Oil in the Main Hatch the
Ship on the Northward tack making a dead drift Lat 47° 32' S
Long

271 Monday 6th Course with light gales from N the Ship lagging
by the Whales east side at 4 P. M. finish stowing down and
commence to cut up the Tank and put it in the Tank the
weather moderating Midale part light breeze from N at
9 P. M. started the wouks Latter part fresh wind S W
and S. N. W. at 6 A. M. called all hands and looked out
to the case and the inside of the case tore off from the
head skin and a bit about one half of the case so was
with a light S and rain

Page Cruising On Patagonia Rite & Spirit Whaling 1880

272 Tuesday 7th Course with fresh gales from S W to S. N. W
called down at 3 P. M. cooler down it being to much wind to boil the
Ship on the Northward Western tack laying to north clear
fresh gales weather in a part fresh gales from S W Latter part
of day fairer S W wind the Ship on the Northward tack quite
Broke out a heavy swell and clear weather Lat 46° 42' S
Long 55° 23' W

273 Wednesday 8th Course with fresh wind S W and N
Boiling at 1 P. M. started the wouks saw Sulphur bottom
Whales the Ship on the Northward tack Midale part light
breeze from S W the Ship on the Western tack Boiling Latter
part the same clear weather Lat 46° 45' S
Long 55° 31' W

274 Thursday 9th Course with light gales from the North
Boiling the Ship on the Western tack Boiling under easy sail
Gales and Midale and Latter part the same S W and N finish Boiling
thick weather clear weather Lat 47° 06' S
Long 55° 46' W

275 Friday 10th Course with fresh gales from North the
Ship on the Southward Western tack Midale and Latter
part fresh gales from North with rain and fog employed
in stowing down Oil in Main Hatch

276 Saturday 11th Course with light gales from North and
thick fog the Ship on the Western tack all hands
employed in stowing Oil at 6 P. M. finish Midale
part light breeze from N and clear Latter part
wind S W and thick fog the watch employed in
in taking Oil from between cracks and stowing it
in the Main hole the Ship on the Eastern tack

277 Sunday 12th Course with a thunder storm some
from all points of the compass and rain at 3
P. M. finish stowing in the bottom deck and washed
of the Ship Midale and Latter part light breeze
from S E and thick fog and rain the Ship on
the Western tack under easy sail saw a Rite Whale
going S. N. W. quick callia all hands for him but
going quick did not have no chance he going to fast to the main
part a thick cloudy weather