

Thursday Oct 8<sup>th</sup> 1868

Comes in with moderate breezes from S.W. and fine pleasant weather. Ship by the wind to the S with all sail out.

In the A.M. saw one sail steering to the S and one school of porpoises. In the P.M. saw one school of porpoises nothing more in sight all day. Wind hauling to the S and S.E.

Lat at merid. 41 45  
Long by Chron. 46 20

Friday Oct 9<sup>th</sup>

Comes in with moderate breezes from S.W. and fine weather. Ship steering N.W. with all prudent sails out. Saw one sail steering to the S. at 10 A.M.

raised a school of Sperm Whales going slow to the windward. Lowered two boats at 11 and at 1 P.M. lowered the other at 2. Starboard boat struck a 60 Bbl. - killed him and got him alongside by 4. - hooked on and cut the head off and the body in by 9 P.M.

Lat at merid 41.17  
Long by Chron 46 48

Saw Sperm Whales  
Took One To Boat

Saturday Oct 10<sup>th</sup> 1868

Comes in with fine weather - with light airs from the S.W. - at 6 hooked on to the head and cut it in - bailed the case and started the works for bailing - saw two sail at 9 A.M. Saw Sperm Whales lowered and chased with two boats at 3 1/2 P.M. Boat struck a 40 Bbl. Bull - killed the whale and got him to the ship by dusk. - saw only three whales quivering slow to the S.W.

Lat at merid. 41.12  
Long by Chron. 46.28

Saw Sperm Whales  
Took One To Boat

Sunday Oct 11<sup>th</sup>

Comes in with light airs from S.W. and fine weather. At 7 hooked on to the whale and commenced cutting at 8. Saw Sperm Whales about a dozen going slow S.W. lowered and chased with two boats. Starboard boat struck a 40 Bbl. bull - killed him by 12 and commenced towing for the ship. Starboard boat crew and ship keepers cutting - got through and took the other whale alongside by 2 P.M. Lat part bailing Lat 41.12 - 46.20

Saw Whales  
Took One To Boat