

Ship Pacific Arctic Ocean Aug 52

549 Sunday Aug 23rd First Part of these 24 hours
Calm and light breezes chasing whales c 10 p.m.
came on board 18 Ships in sight c 4 AM down
a ship take a whale c 7 lowered 3 Boats
for whales noon came on board with the
same luck as usual after Sunday 3 more
ships take whales

550 Monday Aug 23rd Fresh breezes lowered
the boats for whales without success spoke
the Ship Croimbo of New Bedford 12 months
1400 lbs of Whale oil Meade and later parts
fresh breezes 10 Ships in sight also whales.

551 Tuesday Aug 24th Fresh breezes and
cold weather chasing whales sunset
came on board later part struck one
one boat fast secured - Later 68 -

552 Wednesday Aug 25th Moderate breeze
c 10 2 Boats fast c 4 p.m. got the whale
alongside and commenced cutting sunset
got the head aboard all hands went down
c 4 AM commenced on the body c 10 p.m.
so ended with whales in sight also ships.

553 Thursday Aug 26th Fresh breezes commenced
boiling whales and ships in sight lowered
one boat without success secured

554 Friday Aug 27th Strong breezes and
hazy boiling lowered 3 Boats for whales
without success later part fresh Gale
and heavy weather

555 Saturday Aug 28th Fresh Gale and hazy
finish boiling several ships in sight
cleaning bone

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557 Sunday Aug 29th Moderately cleaning
bone later part stowing down oil in the after
hold plenty of Rip sacks in sight and ships -
Later 67-40

558 Monday Aug 30th Light breezes and foggy
employed Coopering and stowing oil plenty of
Rip Sacks and Ships in sight

559 Tuesday Aug 31st Moderate breezes and
cloudy employed Coopering and stowing oil.
so ended with whales and ships in sight.

Sept 1st 1852. this night I am all alone

560 Wednesday Sept 1st First Part of these
24 hours employed stowing oil 3 days stowing
1400 lbs later part fresh breezes and cold
a great many ships in sight secured stubs
don't care as long as the Rig is good -

561 Thursday Sept 2nd All these 24 hours
strong breezes and cloudy saw Polar Whales
lowered the boats 3 no more without success
spoke the Ship Morea 7 Whales ship Citizen
11 Whales of N.D. and ship Champion of New
Town or Big Town. wanting 3 Whales to fite.
later part fresh Gale c 10 p.m. plenty of Whales
in sight

562 Friday Sept 3rd First Part of these 24
hours fresh Gale towards sunset Moderately
lowered 3 Boats for whales without success
later part 20 sail in sight secured with
the Ship Champion so ended with light
breeze Later 68 30 p.m.