

Journal of the Whaling Bark President 1894  
Cruising on Western Ground

61 Saturday June 16  
This day comes in with a strong breeze with rain squalls from the Srd. ship laying to under lower Top sails. Nothing in sight ship still leaking about the same middle port the same. latter port third moderated some set the upper Top sails and fore sail and fit wabt employed in ship duty

Lat 32 55  
Long 51 24

62 Sunday June 17  
This day comes in with a strong breeze from the Srd. ship steered off to the Wrd and Wrd until sun down then hauled to the wind and took in the upper Top sails and fit nothing in sight. Middle port wore ship latter port still squally

Lat 32 55  
Long 52 40

63 Monday June 18  
This day comes in with a moderate breeze from the Srd brook all sail wearing off to the Wrd and Wrd. saw one merchant vessel at sun down hauled to the wind and shortened sail as usual. Middle port wore ship. latter port good weather made all sail Cruising for Whales

Lat 32 52  
Long 51 56

64 Tuesday June 19  
This day comes in with a light breeze from Srd. saw Porpoises. at sun down shortened sail as usual. the vessel leaking about the same. middle port the same. latter port a calm wabt set up the head stays

Lat 32 42  
Long 52 21

John P. Pravo, Master 1894

65 Wednesday June 20  
This day comes in with a calm and clear weather saw Grampars. wabt employed in ship duty. Middle port still a calm and also latter port saw Porpoises

66 Thursday June 21  
This day comes in with a calm and clear weather. wabt employed in ship duty Middle port the same. latter port still a calm, wabt sent down the lower fore Top sail and repaired it and sent it up again

Lat 32 55  
Long 52 04

67 Friday June 22  
This day comes in with a calm wabt employed in ship duty. Nothing in sight. Middle port the same. latter port still a calm. wabt set up the lower Main Rigging

Lat 32 40

68 Saturday June 23  
This day comes in with a light breeze made all sail and soon after Thomas Stoker Man forward raised Sperm Whales a long ways off got the Boat ready and lowered all spray Boats. Wrt Boat got a large Whale Starboard Boat got one Starboard Boat got 2. got the four Whales along side and made fast about dusk and shortened sail. called all hands at day light and got the cutting up and cut in the large Whale and cleared away the head

