

Clark Ester Master 1844
 Wednesday August 7
 Corn with fresh gale from the
 SW and thick weather Ship lying
 under Close Reef Main top sail
 and fore sail ship head to the
 at 4 PM took in the fore sail four
 ships in sight Middle part
 fresh gale and thick weather Later
 Part continued the same

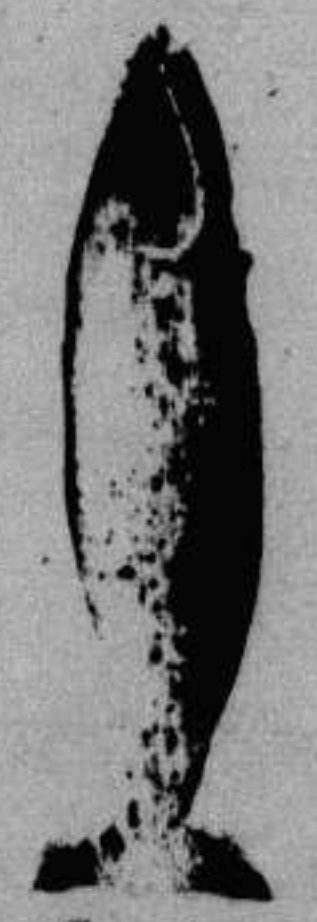
Thursday August 8
 There 24 hours Corn with fresh
 gale from the SW and foggy weather
 Ship under short sail heading
 NW one sail in sight Middle
 Part thick weather at 4 AM were
 Mordant set Dulle Reef Top sails
 Lat 52° 26' Later part Clear weather ship head
 Long 166° 15' W to Ender

Friday August 9
 There 24 hours Corn with fresh gale
 from the SW and clear weather
 At 4 PM wind increasing Shorten
 sail one ship in sight to the East
 Saw one whale going to the SW
 Middle part thick weather at 4 AM
 made all sail at 7 AM saw whale
 heard west boat struck and cut the
 line Later part foggy three ships in

Saturday August 10
 There 24 hours Corn with a fresh breeze
 from the South and foggy at 4 PM
 speak the ship distant of New Bedford
 at 7 PM Shorten sail Middle
 Part Hoist at 8 AM set Dulle Reef
 Top sails at 9 AM took them in later part
 thick weather S. E.

Sunday August 11
 There 24 hours Corn with fresh gale
 from the SW and thick weather
 Ship under Dulle Reef Main
 Top sail and fore sail ship head
 NW one ship in company
 at 7 PM Shorten sail at 8 AM
 made sail at 9 AM clear weather
 saw whale heard three boats struck
 Lat 52° 52' Boat struck the whale took the
 line five iron lines

Monday Aug 12
 There 24 hours Corn with light
 breeze from the SE and pleasant
 Ship under all sail at 2 PM saw
 whale heard three boats west
 Boat struck the whale took the
 line 5 ships in all whaling and
 got a whale at 7 PM Shorten
 sail Middle part Calm at 5 AM
 made sail at 7 AM saw whale
 heard three boats Starboard struck
 and broad at 9 AM heard three boats
 Starboard Boat struck and cut
 the line



Tuesday Aug 13
 There 24 hours Corn with light
 breeze from the SE at 2 PM took
 the whale to the ship and began
 cutting at 4 PM finished cutting
 Middle part Calm at 6 AM began
 hoisting at 9 AM saw whale heard
 west and starboard Boat struck and
 Lat 53° 10' Parted later part light breeze from
 Long 166° 09' S. E. to Ender