

Off these Scares

Saturday July 17th 1841

First part fine weather heading to the N^W
in hopes to see another whale soon Middle part
Latter part much the same still prospects
Latitude of Ch 1.35 S Long of Ch 108.8

Sunday July 18th

First part fine weather with a light wind
heading to the Northward Middle & latter the same
Latitude of Ch 0.22 S Long of Ch 108.30

Monday July 19th

First part wind light heading to the N^W in hopes
of seeing whales saw Finback & porpoises
Latter part much the same still as usual
Latitude of Ch 0.50 S Long of Ch 108.2

Tuesday July 20th

First part fine weather & latter part
saw a few Blackfish but got nothing
Latitude of Ch 0.45 S Long of Ch 110.30

Wednesday July 21st

First part fine weather with a moderate
breeze heading to the N^W Latter part the same
Latitude of Ch 1.25 Long of Ch 112.20

Thursday July 22nd

First part heading to the N^W and no signs of
whales yet Middle part much the same
Latter part fine weather with a light breeze
Latitude of Ch 1.50 Long of Ch 112.37

Friday July 23rd

First part heading to the N^W Middle part
by & latter part heading to the S^W with squalls
Latitude of Ch 2.6 Long of Ch 114.28

Saturday July 24th

First part heading to the N^W Middle part
much the same Latter part still breeze
heading to the S^W still times nothing in sight
Latitude of Ch 3.18 Long of Ch 115.30

Ship Station

Sunday July 25th 1841

First part fine weather saw a large ship
signalized with her but could not make her
out this day saw nothing of consequence & saw
Middle part standing to the South Latter part
much the same saw S. Ende at night
Latitude of Ch 4.6 S Long of Ch 115.10

Monday July 26th

First part still breeze saw a ship at night
spoke her and found her to be the Henry of
Newburyport Capt Brooks 14mth 800 Wt
200 of kit sperm. the rest whale Middle part
heading to the S^W Latter part tracked to the S^W
Latitude of Ch 4.35 Long of Ch 117

Tuesday July 27th

First part trying hard to see some whales but
no likelihood heading to the S^W at night tracked
to the S^W Middle & latter part much the same
Latitude of Ch 5.15 Long of Ch 117.22

Wednesday July 28th

First part still breeze heading to the S^W Middle
part much the same Latter part strong winds
tracked ship to the S^W S. Ende with 1000
Latitude of Ch 5.6 Long of Ch 117.7

Thursday 29th

First part blowing strong under reef Topsails heading
to the Northward saw a jumper see
Middle part heading to the S^W Latter part squally
weather strong wind and nothing in sight
Latitude of Ch 4.58 Long of Ch 117

Friday 30th

First part strong wind & no whales yet for us
Middle part much the same Latter part
blowing strong began to show down our last
fore that we took nearly 4 weeks ago and
have not seen the spirit of a whale since
S. Ende with Charles & Coffin quite sick
with the rheumatism
Latitude of Ch 3.50 Long of Ch 117