

Journal of a voyage to Mountscatha on board
Remarks on board Monday 15th July 1844

Come with light airs from N.W. and cloudy
by the wind to the N.E. Middle and latter
part - wind from S.W. at 4 P.M. started N.W. 1/2 N.
at 11 So lowered for 3 Whales which was a long
run. Quick to the Westward so Eng with
Moderate breeze from South and thick air

Lat 47° 30' Long 16° 30' E.

Tuesday 16th July.

Moderate wind from the South and
thick heading to the W. at 2 P.M. started off
N.W. 1/2 N. at 8 So lowered for three whales killed
two of them at 10 took one of them a long side
had to clear the other spouting thick blood lay in
run thick fog at 5 P.M. hauled on cut in the
latter part thick and rainy saw a number of
Whales Lat 47° 30' Long 16° 48' E.



Wednesday 17th July.

Wind from the East heading to the South South
and began to boil. at 10 P.M. were ship to
the N.E. latter part thick and rainy at 11 had
to stop Boiling Rane heavy saw a number
of Whales Lat 47° 30' Long 16° 50' E.

Thursday 18th July 1844.

Come with thick rainy weather heading
to the N.E. at 12 M. night - were round to the S.E.
latter part strong wind from the East and thick
by the wind to the S.E. employed Boiling Stead
15 lbs in fore peak. so Eng with thick fog & weather
at 4 Lat 47° 52' Long 16° 55' E.

Friday 19th July

Strong wind from the East heading to the
heading to S.E. at 4 P.M. headed to the N.N.E.
Middle and latter part - Strong gale from S.E.
and rainy at 8 P.M. finished Boiling so sea
with strong gale under close reefed main
top sail and spinnaker Lat 48° 25' Long 16° 20'

Ship Statira of New Bedford 1844.

Remarks on Saturday 20th July

Strong gale from the East and heavy
thick oil in fore hole at 1 P.M.
were round to the S.E. and set fore sail.
Middle part the same. Latter part rather more
moderate employed setting up Shocks and scraping
base. So Eng at 10 Meridian saw three whales a
gale set East Lat 48° 09' Long 16° 20'

Sunday 21st July

Wind from the East and heavy at 2 P.M.
headed to the N.E. at sundown saw a number
of Whales at 1 P.M. were round to the S.E. or better
lowered for a whale with no success at 10 So lowered
a gale at 10 Meridian took a whale to the ship
so Eng with gentle breeze from the East and foggy
squally Obs Lat 48° 30' Long 16° 45' E.



Monday 22nd July 1844.

Come with moderate breeze from the East
and foggy squally employed cutting at
1 P.M. had the whale in were round to the S.
middle and latter part light air and cloudy
employed Boiling saw several the pond
at 9 P.M. lowered out - fog Lat 48° 30' Long 16° 30' E.

Tuesday 23rd July 1844

Light air and cloudy at 1 P.M. lowered and
saw a large whale, at 7 P.M. fell in with the whale
that we lost in the fog 8 day ago so Eng with light
air from the N.E. and cloudy Lat 48° 45' Long 16° 00'



Wednesday 24th July

Light air from the N.E. and fair weather
at 2 P.M. lowered for a whale at 4 P.M. took him
a long side at 1/2 past 7 so had the whole in
bleed at and come Boiling. middle and latter part
light air from N.E. heading from N.W. to S.E. employed
Boiling and took out fore peak Lat 48° 40' Long 16° 00'