

Journal of a Voyage kept on board Ship Sharon
one of our cutting bells and quit work for the night
spoke the Bowditch of Providence Capt Fletcher
one dead whale this season

Monday July 29

at 4 A.M. called all hands and commenced cutting
at 11 A.M. finished & sailed in sight spoke Eagle had got
nothing since we spoke her last reports the General & Whales

Tuesday July 30

Enging out under easy sail thick fog with some rain
Saw 1 seal

Wednesday July 31

light winds from the S.W. with fog saw a ship fast
to a whale spouting blood when it came up foggy
Employed in boiling out

Thursday August 1

Finished trying at 10 last night at 5 A.M. commenced
breaking out the after Hatchway to stow down
at 6 P.M. quit work having stowed down 80 bls
of oil thick fog

Friday August 2

at 5 A.M. called all hands and commenced stowing
down stowed down 10 bls when we raised whales
at 9 lowered for them the larboard boat fastened
and sailed at 12 1/2 took him along side at 1 A.M.
commenced cutting at 7 P.M. finished cutting

Saturday August 3

Employed in boiling out and stowing down gaud with the Eagle and
saw the Isaac's man out 600 of A.B. Capt Pinck

Our Steam Cruising on the N West for Right Wh

Sunday August 4

light winds from the Southward with fog at 4 P.M. lowered
for whales but did not get on at 7 took up the boats
& sailed in sight Lat 54:36 N Long 146 20 West

Monday August 5

First part light winds from the Southward later part
strong winds with fog and rain took in sail to a down
reefed main topsail and fore sail at 10 1/2 last night
finished trying out Sat up 4 Ship Shooks Eagle in sight

Tuesday August 6

Fresh gales from the Northward with squalls of rain
stowed down 80 bls of Oil to day Whales in sight

Wednesday August 7