

Journal of George kept on board Ship Moore

Tuesday July 16th 1844

Fresh gales from the Westward lowered twice for Whales without success scraped our bone to day

Wednesday July 17

Light variable winds dried our bone and put it below
Saw several Humphricks at 7 P.M. saw 1 Right Whale
3 Sails in sight

Thursday July 18

Fresh breezes from the S.E. at 7 A.M. saw 1 Dead
Whale took him along side cut him in and commenced
boiling 1 Sails in sight

Friday July 19

1 heavy gale from the S.E. at 3 P.M. cooked
down the pigworks and have the remainder
of our blubber over board it being so rugged
to try

Saturday July 20

first part heavy gales from the S.E. later
part more moderate 1 Sails in sight

Sunday July 21

Fresh breeze from the Southward Nothing in sight
Lat 55° 55' Long 146° 04'

Monday July 22

Moderate breeze from the Southward 11 Ships
in sight lowered twice for whales without
success spoke the Eagle of 5 whales since
we saw her and the Hope of Providence

of their House Cruising on the N.W. for 31 Whales

7 Whales this season the Hope reports the Bowline
of Providence with the loss of Cooper in Sled and
7 men he having got lost to 4 whales and
not captured and 5 of them perished before
the boat got to them 1 being saved by getting
his finger into the Plughole of the boat and it
swelling kept him from falling off

Tuesday July 23

Fresh breeze from the S.W. saw the Hope take
a dead Whale along side 5 Ships in sight

Wednesday July 24

light winds from the S.W. 4 Ships in sight
at 5½ P.M. lowered for Whales without success

Thursday July 25

First part heavy breeze from the Southward lowered several
times for Whales but without success spoke the boat belonging
to the Amherst Smyth of New Bedford 6 months 11003 ship in sight

Friday July 26

Fresh gales from the Southward with fog saying to under
storm sails to rugged to lower for Whales 1 Sails in sight

Saturday July 27

First part Fresh breeze from the S.W. later part more
moderate at 2 P.M. made sail the Eagle of Providence in sight

Sunday July 28

at 9½ A.M. lowered for Whales the Southward boat
fastened and saved at 4½ P.M. took him along side
and commenced cutting took in one lip and started