

Whale Ground C. W. Post 1844

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Tuesday June 18th

First Part of this Day light air and breezy
Weather. Ship in sight at 9 P.M.
Lowered for a Whale got fast and
turned him up at 7 P.M. took him
Along Side. Middle Part rain
and fog at 4 P.M. Commenced cutting
in the Whale. Latter Part light air
and calm. No land this Day. Employed
in cutting in the Whale. Several
Whales in sight. No land.

No Wh this Day

Wednesday June 19th

First and middle Parts of this Day
20 hours light air from the Westward
and calm at 3 P.M. got through
cutting in the Whale and lowered and
struck another the Whale sounded
and parted the iron strap and the
Whale went off with one iron in him
at 8 P.M. started the tryworks
and cleared away the lead and pins
and sawed. Latter Part pleasant
with light wind from the S.W.
at 11 P.M. lowered for whales but
did not get fast. No land this
Day. Boiling. Lat 56° 0' N. Long 153° 46' W.

Long 153° 46' W.

Thursday June 20th

All these 24 hours fresh gales and rainy
Weather. Wind from N.W. to S.W.
Employed in boiling. Saw several
hump back Whales in course of the
Day. But no White. No land.

This Day at Boiling

No Wh this Day

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Friday June 21st

First Part of this Day thick fog and
fine rain. Wind S.W. middle Part
light air and pleasant weather. Latter
Part the same at 2 P.M. Cooled down
the works are not being broke at
4 P.M. Commenced taking down the
tryworks to take out the broken pot
the land in sight. Plenty of hump
back Whales but no White. No land.
This Day the Employed in setting a
pot. Lat 56° 0' N. Long 153° 46' W.

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Saturday June 22nd

First and middle Parts of this Day
light air from the S.W. and pleasant
weather. Great many hump back Whales
in sight. But no White. Employed in
setting a pot in the tryworks at
5 P.M. finished building up the works
and commenced boiling. Latter Part
strong winds from the Eastward and
a Bonspiel on two ships in sight.
No land this Day. Employed in
boiling. Lat 55° 30' N. Long 153° 46' W.

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Sunday June 23rd

First and middle Parts fresh gales
from the S.W. and thick rainy
weather at 3 P.M. Got through
boiling. The Whales saw a ship at
cutting a Whale. Latter Part strong
gales from the S.W. and thick rain
fine rain at 5 P.M. Commenced
braking out the fore hole and
shifting fresh water between decks
in pipes. No land this Day with
a fresh gale of wind and heavy
sea. Saw several
White Whale close to the ship.

No Wh this Day