

Whale Ground N. H. Port 1844

Monday June 24th
All these 24 hours strong gales of wind from the Southward and thick rainey weather Employed in getting fresh water out of the fore hole at 4 P.M. Stopped work being too rough to start Down at 8 A.M. Commenced Stowing Down oil So Ended Employ in Stowing Tarry oil in the fore hole Plenty of White Whale in sight through the day

Tuesday June 25th
First part of this Day strong winds from the Southward and thick weather Employ in Stowing Down oil at 4 P.M. got through at 5 A.M. Lowered for Whales got fast and Draved at 9 A.M. the Boats came on board at 10 A.M. Lowered and got fast So Ends this Day Boats fast to A. Whale light winds from the S.W. and fog at Spells
No Oils this Day



Wednesday June 26th
All these 24 hours light winds and calm at 8 P.M. Commenced cutting in the Whale at 5 P.M. got through and cleared away the head and fins and started the tryworks at 10 P.M. Spoke the Ship Stonington of New London 40 months out of the Whale the Capt. came on board at 10 A.M. Lowered for two Whales got fast but the fire in Spading him and the Whale went off with two irons in him So Ends this Day Employed in boiling one Ship in sight
No Oils

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Thursday June 27th
First part of this Day winds from the S.W. and Cloudy weather middle and latter part thick rainey weather with strong Southerly gales at 2 A.M. Cooled Down on account of rain at 8 A.M. started the work again Saw several white w. hump back whales but no white the Ship Stonington of New London in sight So Ends
Lat 55° 41' North

Friday June 28th
First and middle parts of this Day strong gales of winds from the S.W. and foggy weather Employed in boiling at 5 A.M. Cooled Down the work latter part strong winds from the S.W. and Cloudy at 8 A.M. commenced breaking out the fore hole Shifted fresh water between Decks in pipes one Ship in sight So Ends this Day Cooper Employed in setting up pipes for fresh water
No Oils

Saturday June 29th
First part of this Day strong winds from the S.W. and Bazy weather saw one Ship middle part moderate winds latter part the same saw one back to the windward saw one white whale in course of the Day and lowered for him but did not get fast saw several fin back Whales Employed in shifting fresh water between Decks out of the fore hole and Stowing Down oil So Ends this Day
Lat 54° 23' North
Lon by Chron 153° 40'