

Whaling Schooner Carrie D. Knowles , Provincetown, Mass.

Nov. 29th, 1893

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Whaling Voyage, Schooner Carrie D. Knowles, Nichols

Left Provincetown, Nov. 29th, '93 bound for Dominica

Nov. 30th fresh breeze from S. was sea-sick all day

Dec. 1st Sat. breezing up took in sail & set trisail, have not eaten yet.

Dec. 2nd. Blowing hard hove to with trysail close-reefed, foresail and forestaysail
am feeling better.

Dec. 3d, 1893 wind blowing harder and hauling to S.W. wore ship at noon took in forestaysail at night.

Dec. 4th Moderatis a little shook out reef and tacked ship.

Dec. 5th Good weather and sighted a bark bound W. in the morning.

Dec. 6 was fine

Dec. 7 broke out and got 1 barrel of beef, flour and 1 of onions.

Dec. 8 fine weather decks dry for first time out.

Dec. 9th broke out today got dory change and lances out of hold, warm as July some of
the crew barefoot, made a mat for starboard boat got the boats ready to lower. Henry
cut my hair.

Dec. 10 Sunday nice and warm light wind from S.S.W. Sighted a bark at 10 o'clock to
windward. course S.S.E.

Monday Dec. 11 squally in forenoon took in mainsail and set trisail. at 11 o'clock wind
shifted from S.W. to N. course S. sighted a ship bound E. at 10 a.m.

Tues. Dec. 12 fine day wind S course S. cleaned spades and ground all knives in A.M.
picked aackum in afternoon.

Wednesday Dec. 13th, 1893 rain squalls in morn made yarn for mats course S. Wind E.

Thursday 14th Course S set mainsail in morning squally in P.M. took it in and set trisail first watch at masthead, warm tore staysail last night.

Friday Dec. 15th 1893 squally reefed foresail in morning and E. course S. half quite rough. 60.17 21.54

Saturday Dec. 16 Wind E. by N. course S. half 3 blowing all day got water in cabin through skylight squally.

Sunday Dec. 17 shook out reef of foresail in morn I went aloft at 11:30 A.M. and sighted Desirade at 11:45 right ahead pleasant and warm passing at N. end of Guadaloupe in evening. 16.31 N.S. 61.35 N.S.

Monday Dec. 18 Squally broke flying jibboom beating across. got in P.M. I am night watch. Portsmouth Dom.

Tues. Dec. 19 Went ashore and travelled around in forenoon.

Wed. Dec. 20th pleasant took a bath in river in morning went ashore and got some cocoa. issac was put in irons in the P.M.

Thurs. 21st pleasant went to ride to a sugar estate in the P.M. up through sekok

Friday Dec. 22 Hoisted sails and got ready to leave 1 sailor ran away left Portsmouth at 1 o'clock moderate.

Sat. Dec. 23 pleasant Wind E. course N.W. by W. in company with a 3 master all day anchored at 12 o'clock St. Eustatius.

Sun. Dec. 24th warm went ashore and walked around and got a Bolangi night watch tonight.

Monday Dec. 25th Pleasant all day went ashore in P.M. and 1:00 had a dance night watch.

Tues. Dec. 26th Pleasant day slept most all day

Wed. Dec. 27 pleasant all day broke out and bent 4 lower sails jib-boom came tonight.

Thursday Dec. 28 Pleasant went ashore in P.M. night watch

Fri. Dec. 29 Rainy working on jibboom night watch wrote home.

Saturday Dec. 30th Went to sugar estate out back with Frederick cloudy and squally.

Sun. Dec. 31st Went to church with him in morning and took breakfast with him at 12,
came aboard at 2:30 fine day.

Monday Jan. 1st, 1894 Left Estatius after dinner Connell came in 11:30 rainy course N.S.W.

Tues., Jan. 2nd, 1894 pleasant, took masthead at 12:30 and threw my dinner overboard
course W. by S. wind fair. sight a squarerigger at 4 o'clock astern.

Wed. Jan. 3d, 1894 pleasant and hot making boat sail course W by N wind east.

Thursday 4 Jan., 1894 Pleasant all day getting my iron ready.

Fri. Jan. 5th, 1894 sighted Cape Beata in the morning, good breeze all day until P.M.
then wind all around hot.

Sat. Jan. 6th '94 pleasant and hot around spades anchored at Grand Guian in afternoon
Baltic & D.A.S. there

Sunday Jan. 7 Pleasant laid at anchor all day.

Mon. Jan. 8th, 1894 Scraped down and worked on spars all day very warm one man has
the fever.

Tues. Jan. 9th, 1894 Pleasant all day made boat sails.

Wed. Jan. 10th Will sick with fever pleasant day making boat sails.

Thurs. Jan. 11th Anchor fouled down so we could not cruise pleasant all day working on
sails capt. tried his boat Francis sick.

Frid. Jan. 12th Pleasant day hot — slushed main and foretopmast

Sat. 13th painted port boat and rove off main top and lift.

Sun. Jan. 14th, 1894 pleasant day laying at anchored at Grand Gungan capt. gone ashore
shooting as it is my birthday and I am barefoot with linen pants and thin shirt. I am
thinking of folks at home and wondering if they thought of it. one of the sailors very
sick nearly crazy.

Mon. 15th Pleasant scraping dead-eyes and broke out.

Tues. Jan. 16, 1894 Pleasant and hot stowed hold and painting & oiling dead-eyes.

Wed. 17 tarred down & set up stays didnt cruise.

Thurs. Jan. 18th, 1894 set up guys forward and painting outside of the vessell
tarring down.

Fri., Jan. 18th Painted figurehead and foremast-head at anchor all day raining in P.M.

Sat., Jan. 19th Pleasant day varnished jibboom capt went ashore with men to cut wood.

Sun., Jan. 20th Pleasant day lowered away in morning and went to leward but saw nothing
6 boats Baltic 2 D.A. Small 2 and ours.

Mon. Jan. 21, 1894 Pleasant day went ashore to cut wood.

Tues. Jan. 22, 1894 Pleasant day painted oron ou masts and fore boom.

Wed. Jan. 23 Pleasant and () arm painted stern boat

Thurs. Jan. 24 Pleasant oiled my suit and did odd jobs Moses had a tooth out I got
poisoned ashore ()

Fri. Jan. 25 Pleasant Painted Starboard boat went ashore after wood 3 loads

Sat. Jan. 27 I am one day behind, so they say but I dont know how it happened scoured
decks with lye

Sun. Jan. 28th Went on board the brig all day

Mon. Jan. 29th Pleasant day Alcyone & Sarah W. Hunt came today. lowered both boats
in the morning & killed 2 black fish

Tues. Jan. 30th Took in wood today and stowed down hold.

Wed. Jan. 31 fine day boiled blubber and set in deck nails

Thurs. Feb. 1st Pleasant day worked all around and fixed halyard.

Fri. Feb. 2nd, 1894 Pleasant cleaned & sharpened tools & oiled dead-eyes.

Sat. Feb. 3d Pleasant made box in the morning Going to the eastward anchored at
Red Cliff.

Sun. Feb. 3d, 1894 Pleasant day good breeze in the P.M. boats went for a sail.

Mon. Feb. 4th made new pennant and they tarred inside the boats.

Tues. made a brick and did odd jobs.

Wed. overhauled all the block and scraped quarter

Thurs. Pleasant scraping quarter. I am sick had to turn in

Fri. 9th Pleasant scraping quarter.

Sat. 10 Pleasant bent mainsail and broke out

Sun. Feb. 11th went on board Alcyone and wrote to Mr. Lawrence

Mon. Feb. 12 Strong S.E. trades went down and anchored off the river

Tues. Feb. 13 took water

Wed. 14 came back to Grand Gosier

Thurs. Feb. 15, 1894 Pleasant oiled dead-eyes.

Fri. Feb. 16th Pleasant did odd Jobs.

Sat. cleaned up decks and odd jobs

Sun. Feb. 18 Went on board Alcyone French man of war came at sunset

Mon. Feb. 19th () at anchor French lieutenant ate supper on board Jerry & Joe had
a fight

Tues. Feb. 20th left Grand Gasier in morning set trisail at 6 P.M. Course W By S.

Wed. Feb. 21st got to Washpitu at 5 washed decks and rail with lye

Thurs. Feb. 22 Painting.

Fri. Feb. 23d, 1894 Finished painting

Sat. Feb. 24 Went ashore and walked around

Sun. Feb. 25 Port watch ashore

Mon. Feb. 26th, 1894 Went ashore in the P.M. and in A.M. broke out ham, rice, beef,
bread.

Tues. Feb. 27th left Rochea Bateau in morning and got to Tiberon in the P.M.

Wed. Feb. 28 trading all day took 4 casks water.

Thurs. March 1st left Tiberon in morn. pleasant all day. course N. 1/2 W. hailed
a sch.

Fri. Mar 2nd Showers in morning light winds all day

Sat. Mar. 3d Pleasant with light winds up to 3 P.M. breezes capt Gibbons came on board
in P.M. Reefed main & foresail after supper hove too all night to S.W. of St. Nichola
Hole Lat. 19.48 Lon 73.24

Mar. 4 Raised a large Whale at 520 and weather quarter Pleasant all day.

Mon. Mar. 5 Pleasant strong N.E. trade two steamers to windward

Tues. March 6th Blowing went in and in the Sea of St. Domingo Passed to Southard
Grace Littleton 9 days from N.Y.

Wed. Mar. 7th at anchor, strong N.E. trades

Thurs. 8th Pleasant got out at daylight wind ahead Mr. Charles sick

Fri. Mar. 9th got to Inagua this P.M. got letters from mother, Lura Barker die

Sat. 10th sewing jib a pleasant day.

Sun. Mar. 11 Pleasant wrote to mother Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Lewis and Mrs. Merriam.

Mon. Mar. 12 took down topmast and worked on jib.

Tues. Mar. 13 Worked on flying jib sent letters to mother, Mr. Lawrence Mr. Lewis
and Merriam.

Wed. Mar. 14 Pleasant all day N.N.W. left Inagua at 8.50 P.M.

Thurs. Mar. 15 passed Castle Island at 8.30 A.M. Bird Rock at 2.00 P.M. pleasant.

Fri. Mar. 16th Pleasant course N. wind S.

Sat. 17 Squally with showers course N. wind S. took S. watch at 12 m. course S By
W. wind S.E.

Sun. 18, 1894 Pleasant all day light winds course N by W saw a water spout at 6.30 P.M.

Mon. March 19 Cleaned spades took in sail at sunset and hove too.

Tues. Mar. 20 Pleasant saw calf finback in P.M.

Wed. 21st Pleasant killed a pig sighted D.A. Small went on board at 5 P.M. cutting in
a 40 bbl.

Thurs. 22 saw whale in morning Pleasant all day. 1 bl tobacco.

Fri. 23 Picked up a small whale Pleasant all day boiling at night.

Sat. March 24 stowed down oil Capt. Rose on board in P.M. 12 bbls sharpened spades

Sunday Mar. 25 Pleasant all day.

Mon. Mar. 26 Breezing in a.m. gale in p.m. reefed forestaysail wind came to N. at
10.30 P.M. large whale came along-side at 5 P.M. too rough to lower.

Tues. 27 Squally all day

Wed. 28 Breezing reefed foresail

Thurs. Blowing hard parted bowsprit guy took in foresail & set trisail

Friday Blowing in morning 2 steamers passed us.

Sat. April 1st Pleasant and smooth course N.

Sun. April 2 Pleasant all day

Mon. Apr. 3 Blowing and squally parted trysail halyard hove to with trisails

Tues. 4th 2 whales boats got stove

Wed. 5th Boiling 3 Barks passed

Thurs. 6th Stowed down oil and broke out flour rainy.

April 8th sharpened spades & knives washed clothes.

Sat. 9th Pleasant all day. Mr. Vera got a large whale late in the day had hard work
to fluke.

Sun. 10 Chain parted and had a bad time got him alongside at dark all right blowing all day.

Mon. April 11 cutting in everything went wrong let go the head

Tues. April 12 cutting and boiling

Wed. 13 Squally put blubber in hold

Thurs. April 14 finished and cleaned up squally in morning.

Fri. April 15 squally took jib on deck to mend killed pig

Sat. 16th Sharpened knives. steamer passed in P.M.

Sun. 17 April Pleasant all day mainsail set Gage Phillips came late in P.M. I got letters from home Mr. Lewis & Dora and papers from Sears Mamie sent a pretty calendar.

Mon. April 16 Capt. Marston on board all day pleasant.

Tues. April 17 fine and warm breeze up in P.M. heavy squall 2.30 P.M.

Wed. April 18 Pleasant all day running to N.

Thurs. 19th Running until 1 P.M. 7 sails in sight at 12 M. on Hatteras in P.M.

Fri. April 20 Pleasant all day in company with Gage Phillips spoke a N.S. Schooner

Sat. April 21st Pleasant day squally and moderate in P.M.

Sun. April 22nd. Moderate and heavy swell

Mon. April 23 saw whales at dinner time both boats lowered mate got 1 small one
Squall in evening.

Tues. 24th Boiling pleasant day Pedro Verilla Capt & crew on board all day

Wed. April 25 Pleasant scrubed down capt. on board Sarah Hunt Adelia Chase and Pedro
Varila came.

Thurs. April 26 Lowered early got 120 bbl whale share with Adelia Chase pleasant.

Fri. 27th fine day D.A. Small came today finished boiling

Sat. April 28 Wm. Grozier Golden City D.A. Small Adelia Chase Pedro Varila Alcyone
& Gage Phillips all together scrubed down Sarah Hunt Papers from B.A.S.

Sun. April 29th Squally in morning in company with D.A. Small gaming in P.M.

Mon. April 30 Pleasant day spoke & reported to steamer Alene wrote for Mr. Vera

Tues. May 1st Pleasant day in company with brig Golden City

Wed. 2nd Pleasant wrote to mother gamming Golden City

Thurs. May 3d Pleasant all day gamming Chas. Kodgdon & D. Chase raised finback

5.30 P.M. Sperm whales alonside at 10 P.M. calm

Fri. 4th Pleasant gamming S. Hunt Chas. Kodgdon saw whales at 10 P.M. lowered away
but calm and could not catch them.

Sat. May 5th Pleasant day light winds ran down to Alcyone who is cutting in & boiling
Grozier lying by.

Sun. 6th in company with S. Hunt squally in P.M.

Mon. May 7, 1894 in company with Hunt rain at noon

Tues. May 8th Moderate Capt. Dunham & gibbons on board in P.M.

Wed. 9th moderate gibbons on board Mr. Vera on S. Hunt.

Thurs. May 10th Moderate all day S. Hunt flagged for whale at 6.30 P.M. both boats
went down and got one each Mr. Vera gave his to Cap. Gibbons

Fri. 11th Pleasant all day finished boiling

Sat. 12th Went to S. Hunt for oil in morn hazey washed and scrubbed. raised whales
in P.M. but lost them

Sun. May 13 Pleasant all day gamming S. Hunt & Babson steamer passed at 1.30 P.M.

Mon. 14th, 1894 Breezey in morning calm in evening left S. Hunt & Babson last night

Tues. 15th Pleasant all passed the Sch. Ella S. Davenport of Bath going N.

Wed. 16th Pleasant day set up Port main rigging Capt. gave me straw hat

Thurs. May 17 Pleasant bound to Charleston ground Course S.

Fri. May 18, 1894 good breeze saw whale after dinner both boats went down Capt. got
fast but lost him he spoke a steamer bound to the E.

Sat. 19th Squally tore staysail and men did it. reefed foresail after supper.

Sun. 20th Squally in P.M. hove too

Mon. May 21 Pleasant and calm heavy swell set up fore rigging

Tues. 22nd Pleasant & moderate

Wed. 23 Sylvester caught a turtle in morning had it for supper broke out flour set up starboard rigging dog had fits.

Thurs. May 24 Squall in morning blowing all day wrote a letter home

Fri. 25 Squally with rain flying jib stay parted got it all spliced & set up at 5 P.M.

Sat. May 26 Squally head of fore-staysail bursted in a squall.

Sun. May 27 Pleasant and calm gamming Star King in P.M.

Mon. May 28 In company with Star King Squally saw 6 water spouts handed in fore staysail very hot.

Tues. May 29th 6 months out to-day pleasant gamming Baltic.

Wed. 30 Pleasant bound to No. in company with Baltic.

Thurs. 31 May Pleasant in company with Baltic.

Fri. June 1st, 94 Moderate all day cloudy

Sat. June 2nd Pleasant day saw whales in P.M. lowered with Babson & Baltic but got none large school went to windward Bark hove to at dark to windward and took in sail
Capt. went aboard Babson after supper and came back 2.45 Sun. morning.

Sunday June 3d, 1894 Pleasant saw finback in A.M.

Mon. June 4th Pleasant day saw finback in P.M. steamer and bark passed going N.W. before sunset.

Tues. June 5th saw whales in morn 5.30 both boats went down and Mr. Vera got one 45 bbl the Babson came up at noon cutting in good weather put blubber in hold took head on deck.

Wed. 6th Pleasant day boiling breeze up in night.

Thurs. June 7th blowing squally stowed down oil and cleaned ship caught dolphin

Fri. June 8th Pleasant day drying out caught dolphin.

Sat. June 9th Pleasant all day gamming Sarah Hunt picked up the bow of a yawl boat
pounding iron.

Sun. June 10 Pleasant spoke barkentine Morinda of N.Y. bound N. loaded.

Mon. June 11th Pleasant all day sent letter to mother by Mr. Barney saw Maj Reeds
death in paper and heard of S. Pope's.

Tues. June 12th Pleasant and warm sighted two whalers at dark pounding iron.

Wed. June 13 '94 Pleasant day gamming E.B. Conwell in P.M. 6 days out from Norfolk.

Thurs. June 14th squally in morning pleasant in P.M. gamming Conwell

Fri. June 15 Pleasant day in comp. with Conwell until P.M. sighted barque Bertha at
11 gamming in P.M.

Sat. June 16 '94 Pleasant all day saw white water at noon Painting iron work

Sun. June 17th '94 Pleasant day Bertha following astern

Mon. June 18th '94 Pleasant day gamming S. Hunt at noon with a whale just boiled out
spoke the S.S. Ask of Bergen bound S. in P.M. got papers gamming Bertha Capt.
on bark mate on board here

Tues. June 19th Pleasant bound N. scraping & shushing down.

Wed. June 20th '94 Pleasant painting iron.

Thurs. June 21st Hot & squally crossed the stream at night good breeze.

Fri. 22nd Pleasant all day saw grampus in A.M. got porpoise.

Sat. June 23d Pleasant went on board 3 masted Sch. Robt. A. Snyder from N.Y. to
Charleston & got papers.

Sun. June 24 Pleasant and moderate steamer passed at 4 A.M. spoke a 4 master bound
to Norfolk the Estella B. Kayplan

Mon. June 25 thick fog scrubbing quarters with sand & brick.

Tues. June 26 Pleasant all day gamming C.M. Hodgdon reports plenty whale here on Hatteras.

Wed. 27th Breezeing in A.M. ran down and spoke rising sun just out from home B.A.

Service sent me papers & a letter.

Thurs. June 28th Squally all day

Fri. June 29th Squally all day in Company with Star King.

Sat. June 30th Raining in A.M. Cook and Steward had fight in morning. Gage Phillips in Co. saw grampus washed down in rain G. Phillips Groziert Carrie gamming.

Sun. July 1st raining all day with squalls 6 whalers hove to in sight saw a large whale going to W. at 6.30. clear.

Mon. July 2nd rain squalls running W.N.W. spoke Grozier at dark saw cow fish and grampus.

Tues. July 3d blowing all last night with squalls white rough.

Wed. 4th moderateing but squally all day spoke Alcyone at 6.30 P.M.

Thurs. July 5th '94 Squally in A.M. clear off in P.M. moderate Capt. Collins on board saw 2 vessels at 5.30 to windward whalers.

Fri. July 6th squally Capt. & Mate growling in A.M.

Sat. July 7th Pleasant all day scrubbing paint with sand.

Sun. July 8th Pleasant all day N.W. wind Eunice H. Adams Rising Sun Golden City Alcyone & Carrie D. all gamming.

Mon. July 9th pleasant all day got large porpoise fish A.M. I cleaned the jaw

Tues. July 10th Pleasant all day gamming Phillips & Grozier in P.M. both boiling Groube sent me books & papers bent new mainsail today.

Wed. July 11th Pleasant all day Dunham & George & Mary got boats down. We lowered both boats in P.M. but got nothing. Mr. Vera went down after supper and got nothing Phillips got whale and Star King.

Thurs. July 12 Pleasant & calm rove off new runner on Main boom.

Fri. July 13th Pleasant all day saw plenty whales boats went down at 5.30 and chased until 12M. Capt. struck but lost him in company with Eunice Adams & Rising Sun's boats lowered after supper but lost sight of them Sent letter to C. Loring & mother by Star King Mr. Chas. & () had row in boat with Capt.

Sat. July 14 lowered mate for grampus breezeing spoke George and Mary in P.M.

Sun. July 15th squalls in morn cleared off pleasant with good breeze Eunice Adams George & Mary, Rising Sun, Alcyone, Gage Phillips and Wm. Grozier cruising together.

Mon. July 16th Calm & hot broke out flour & pork squally in morn.

Tues. July 17th '94 rain squalls boats chasing until P.M. no one got fast George & Mary Rising Sun Alcyone, E.M. Adams & our own.

Wed. July 18th, 1894 fair plenty whales boats chasing most of the day all going fast Baltic just arrived from Charleston Ground. Crozier boiling

Thurs. July 19th Pleasant Capt. got fast to a good bull in A.M. cutting in fine weather.

Fri. July 20th fine day boiling.

Sat. July 21st '94 Pleasant stowed down and got a large whale with Rising Sun & Alcyone

Sun. July 22 Pleasant & hot cutting in all day Collins & Sparks on board.

Mon. July 23 pleasant boiling

Tues. July 24 Pleasant stowed down and divided the oil with Rising Sun & Alcyone spoke a steamer.

Wed. July 25 Pleasant all day C. Smith on board.

Thurs. July 26 Pleasant all day Capt. on board C. Smith

Fri. July 27 Pleasant all day Capt. Fisher on board after supper.

Sat. July 28 Pleasant & hot we & Baltic got 3 whales Capt. Nichols laid up with lame leg Mr. Martin helped cut in 2 small whales.

Sun. July 29 '94 Pleasant all day boiling sharpened spades & knives

Mon. July 30 Fair day shared oil with Baltic.

Tues. July 31st Squally scrubed decks Spoke steamer

Wed. Aug. 1st Calm & hot.

Thurs. Aug. 2nd Moderate saw a large whale at 11.20 our boats Baltic Alcyone Rising Sun

Mary Simnious & C.H. Adams went down but no one got fast lowered again.

Fri. Aug. 3d Smoky S.W. wind all day rough

Sat. Aug. 4th Squally all day

Sun. Aug. 5th Raining & Blowing all day

Mon. Aug. 6th 1894 Raining in A.M. slacked up but still hazey moderate

Tues. Aug. 7th 1894 Pleasant & moderate chasing in P.M. with Grozier, Baltic & Phillips.

Wed. 8th Pleasant and hot Gamming Baltic & Alcyone

Thurs. Aug. 9th Pleasant day George Dumois and gave us papers got 1 small whale.

Willard went forward & Jerry came in his place. Mr. Vera had trouble with Charbo

Capt Fisher got his boat stove so bad he abandoned it.

Fri. Aug. 10th boiling and stowing down Rising Sun spoke us last night.

Sat. Aug. 11th Charles Smith on board in P.M. hazey weather

Sun. Aug. 12 Fair in A.M. heavy rain squall in P.M. Baltic, Rising Sun Charles

Hodgdon & Hattie Smith Capt on board here.

Mon. Aug. 13th Moderate all day saw whales in A.M. both boats went down Mr. Vera

got turned over and Rising Sun's mate killed the whale.

Tues. Aug. 14th Pleasant all day boiling Capt. brought bananas from Rising Sun.

Wed. Aug. 15th Pleasant Rising Sun got her oil at spoon washed down

Thurs. Aug. 16 finished sharing oil and gamming E.B. Campbell.

Fri. Aug. 17 Pleasant all day Saw whales in morn lowered at 6.30 chased until 12 M.

no one got fast gamming Baltic & Alcyone in P.M.

Sat. Aug. 18th Pleasant day in a N.Y. Paper account of Parker's mutiny spoke Eunice Adams

Sun. Aug. 19th Pleasant day Capt on board Hattie Smith

Mon. Aug. 20th Stowed some rigging in hold from sail Room bent new flying-jib & foresail found jib stay parted in bee-hold Row Mr. Vera & Capt.

Tues. Aug. 21st saw school whales in morning Capt went down & got 120 bbl cow gamming Charles Hodgdon

Wed. Aug. 22nd Pleasant stowed down Baltic came for share wrote to C. Loring & Tony Francis gamming ship got books from ship James Arnold spoke a three master bound S.

Thurs. Aug. 23 scrubed down pleasant Baltic got her share of oil.

Fri. Aug. 24 saw whales in P.M. and Mr. Vera got 1 30 bbl cutting gear came down from aloft and cut steward on head and hit me on shoulder cut him in.

Sat. Aug. 25th Pleasant day boiling.

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Sun. Aug. 26th Pleasant day cooling oil stowed down in P.M. gamming James Arnold spoke SS. Jason got papers

Mon. Aug. 27th fair saw whales in A.M. both boats got 1

Tues. Aug. 28 Pleasant boiling sharpened spades steward got porpoise

Wed. Aug. 29th calm stowed down

Thurs. 30th Pleasant scrubbed down Capt. Fisher & McCoy on board.

Fri. Aug. 31st '94 foggy saw whales in P.M. lowered after tea but got none.

Sat. Sept. 1st foggy fixing cutting gear.

Sun. Sept. 2nd smoky all day moderate

Mon. Sept. 3d 2 three masters bound N. good breeze clear saw whales at 2 P.M. lowered and chased until 5.30 with James Arnold Sylvester bent both irons on a large whale.

Tues. Sept. 4th passed bound S. sch. Wm. P. Hood in company with ship

Wed. Sept. 5th '94 Squally all day saw whales and lowered twice Capt. got fast but iron broke James Arnold got some.

Thurs. Sept. 6th Rainy put flag at masthead starboard boat went on board the James Arnold saw whales and Capt. got one, squally Capt. Reynolds on board to supper

Fri. 7th moderate Capt. Reynolds on board in A.M.

Sat. Sept. 8 Pleasant Capt. & mate of James Arnold on board at dark washed down & stowed down.

Sun. Sept. 9th Pleasant all day Mr. Benton mate of ship brought his trunk on board raised whales in A.M. lowered and got two then kept off for home.

Mon. Sept. 10 pleasant all day good breeze worked on blubber course N. by E. & N.

Tues. Sept. 11th rough stowed down saw large school whales bound N. at 5 P.M.

Wed. Sept. 12 Pleasant N.E. wind scrubbing.

Thurs. 13th Pleasant all day cleaned spades & got chains up made light-house at dark. Jersey City & Navesink.

Fri. Sept. 14 Moderate Capt. went on board a N.Y. pilot boat scraped dead-eyes & masts

Sat. 15th Rainy in A.M. cleared off in P.M. made block at dark.

Sun. Sept. 16 Anchored in Vineyard Haven at 1 P.M. moderate wrote home.

Mon. 17th foggy painted outside.

Tues. 18th Sept. Pleasant went on board Baltic this P.M. Capt. McMahan of the Sch.

Mail told me about Parker.

Wed. Sept. 19th squally N.E. Wind hauling S.

Thurs. Sept. 20th S.W. wind Alcyone came in from N.B. left Vineyard got over shoals
at dark.

Fri. Sept. 21st got to Provincetown in A.M.