

The End of a Journal kept on board the Whale

Saturday July 16th A. D. 1853

First part

a calm at 12 noon saw an immense shoal of fish Albicore
lowered 2 boats and struck and got 4 very large ones the American
in Company the Capt on board at 3 P.M. a fine fresh breeze sprang
up from S.W. steering N. of W. bore the cables saw 2 S. of W. 1/2
pilot boat Mitchell and latter strong breeze from
S. W. of W. and pleasant steering N. of E. 1/2 S. N. E. and E. 1/2 S.
at 3 P.M. made Montauk point light bore N. W. at 8 AM
we took a pilot and run in the bay at 11 o'clock we
grounded near center wharf and at 12 noon went on shore

Having made the voyage in 33. hours and 16 days

Amount of Oil brought home by the Enterprise
2920 lbs whale 80 lbs sperm sent home
on the voyage 162 lbs whale & 90 lbs sperm
whale 23680 whale 172 sperm, and 48000 lbs
of bone which sold for \$68420.00 and my
part after paying all bills \$199.75

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Ship Enterprise of New Haven N. York to New York Master by