

Ship List

Johanna 1847

Arrived April 14th Geo. Washington N.B. Baker 17^m 850^g 8^g E
 April 28 Diana Grinnell Mwen 600^g 300^g M
 29 Br United States N. Port 11^m 150^g 8^g M
 May 1st Ship Phocion N.B. Math 300^g 200^g Whale
 Br Milwood N.B. Dean 200^g 3^g
 9 Br Maria Coffin 8^g 120^g 3^g
 13th Do Pilgrim Somerset 120^g 3^g
 14 Do Simon 600^g 11^g
 16 Do Montaruma 7^m Clear
 10 Ship St. Peter N.B. Simmons 330^g 50^g 2

A New List from Capt Tatch

June 17th At Johanna Ship Herald Barker Stoughton 700^g 2^g
 July 23 Bark United States N. Port 320^g 3^g
 24 B Martha Fairhaven Sound Home 1200^g 800^g Whale
 heard from about East of June Phocion had taken 50 blbs
 hence leaving Johanna
 July 15th Bark Dove N. London 120^g 2^g
 heard from in June At New Bay Ship Friendship 200^g 2^g
 the last of July At Herman Caloso Bark Montaruma N.B. 80^g 2^g
 spoke off South of Madagascar in Sept 15 Delta ran fast
 Bark Peri N. Bedford 1300^g 60^g sperm
 has to go to Mauritius for medical side the bark being sick

Nov 25th From Capt. Tetis

At Johanna about the 1st of Sept
 B. Maria Coffin 180^g 3^g
 Ship Phocion 1350^g 200^g 2^g
 Milwood Dean 280
 Made 12^m Bradley 0.80
 Oct 1st United States 350 100
 Cornelia Maest 1150 - 80
 Capt Tatch spoke Bark Peri 3 Days previous 300^g 80
 M. Clark well

Whaling Extracts

1848 Capt Buff of the English Merchant Ship Argus of Adalaid saw great number of sperm Whales the 1st of January 1848 2 Days in succession in Lat 29.30 S. Long 78.630 E

A Merchant Capt. M. Munn formerly an old Whaler saw a plenty of sperm Whales to South & West of Gandlewood Island Lat 41 to 47 South Long 115 to 117 E in November 1844 they Whales left in that month he thought that he was to late

Capt Barker in the Bark Herald of Stoughton saw & took sperm Whales in November 1846 or 47 Lat about 48 Long 91.30 192 E & saw a ~~lot~~ plenty in May & June Lat 47.615 S Long 57 to 52 E

Note

Account of Sperm & Whale Oil Imported into Statement of Importation of Oil & Bone by our Whale Ships in the United States during the Year 1847 from the New Bedford Whaling List

126753 blbs Sperm oil # 31 380379
 By 212 Ships 27 Buzs
 313150 blbs Whale Oil # 32 326519
 2341684 lbs Bone # 33 1102754
 I have calculated the price 1. 8171.667

Boards for Boat

7 Boards 12 feet long
 7 20 - 10 20 feet 6 inch wide
 for Sealing & the other that are
 14 feet long besides the that are

Fast Sailing

The Ship Seawitch left New York for Canton Dec 23rd 1846 and in 10th Days made Java head the whole Dist sailed was 14 015 miles & the Dayley Average 200 miles on her homeward passage she left Macao May 31st & on the 31st July took a Pilot on Board being a Passage of 82 Days from Macao & 62 Days from Angier the Dist run from Angier being 12537 miles averaging 202 miles per Day the Average Dayley run from Macao was 175 Miles the best run for 10 successive days was 364 Miles a Day the best single Days run was 312 Miles averaging 13 Miles an hour through the 24 hours