Cha^s Phelps — Bound Home

Friday Sept^r 7th 1849

Lively winds from the ESE and good weather. Heading by the wind S. with all Sail Set. Rounding home. At 1 Spoke the Bargue Made of New Bedford 3 Mo^s Out — Midale part wind E by S and Showery. Latter part wind E. Employed in rattling down fore rigging and setting

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159.41

Saturday Sept^r 8th

Lively winds from the E by S and good weather. All Sail Set heading by the wind S. At work on the rigging. Midale part wind ESE. Latter part light winds from E by S. At work on the rigging

12.33
159.49

Sunday Sept^r 9th

Light winds from the E and good weather. All Sail Set that fore and aft draw heading SSE At work on the rigging — Midale part Showery. Latter part light winds and good weather

13.47

Monday Sept^r 10th

Light winds from the E by S and good weather. All Sail Set heading for the wind SSE. Midale part wind E by S Latter part wind the same. Employed in making rattlin stuff

15.
159.31

Tuesday Sept^r 11th

Light winds from the E by S and good weather. Heading S by E. Making rattlin stuff and At work on the rigging. Midale part light airs from E by N Steering SSE. Latter part the same. Employed in making Mizen rigging Hangards out of an old cutting pennant

16.25
159.25

Wednesday Sept^r 12th

Light winds from the E. Heading SSE. Employed in making Hangards and setting up Mizen rigging. At 6 wind SE and a heavy swell from the S. At 12 Bracing in in squalls. At 2 Took in fore and Mizen top gal sails. At 5 took in main top gal sail and fly jib. Latter part blowing strong and a heavy head sea. Set up the lee main rigging

17.22
159.55



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Thursday Sept^r 13th 1849

Blowing a moderate gale from the SE and a heavy head sea. Ship taking much water over the bow. Set up the lee fore rigging. At 8 took in the Main Sail. At 9 single reefed the topsails. Midale part moderate. At 2 Set the Main Sail At 5 set whole top sails. Latter part at 7 Set all Sail. Latter part Smart breeze. Employed in making rigging stuff &c

18.17
160.49

Friday Sept^r 14th

Smart breezes from the SE and rugged Heading by the wind SSW All Sail Set. Employed on the rigging At 7 breezing in. Took in top gallant sails and fly jib. Midale part strong breezes and squally. Latter part at 6 set the main top gallant sail and fly jib. Very rugged

19.25
161.18

Saturday Sept^r 15th

Strong breezes from the ESE and a heavy head sea. Heading by the wind S with fly jib and main top gallant sail set. At 8 breezing in. Took in the top gallant sail and fly jib. Midale part blowing strong from E by S and squally. Latter part moderates some. At 5 set main top gal sail and fly jib. Parted the jib stay and fore top mast spring stay spliced fly jib stay. Ship pitching heavy

20.40
161.28

Sunday Sept^r 16th

Smart breezes from the E by S and cloudy weather. Set all sail heading by the wind SSE. Quite rough but moderating. Midale part squally Showery weather. Latter part strong breezes from the E. At 5 backed to NNE.

21.35
161.25

Monday Sept^r 17th

Lively winds from the E by N and good weather. Heading by the wind NNE trying to look a Spoto Elevator At 1 backed to SE by S. At 2 steered SSE for Cape Horn. Set the Royal Midale part lively winds. Latter part wind shifts to NNE Set the studsails. Splicing fore top mast stay and making rattlin stuff

23.27

Tuesday Sept^r 18th

Light winds from NNE and good weather All sail set steering SE by S. At work on the rigging. Midale part light winds from NNW. Latter part the same. All hands employed in breaking out the fore hold and coopering oil

24.56
160.10