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Remarks on Board Barque Co. W. Morgan of New Bedford

Monday Mar. 8th

This day begins with moderate breeze from W. the Barque steering E. by S. in the latter part the wind hauled to N.W. and Squally Steered E. half N. all sails out Repaired Gaff

Tuesday Mar. 9th

Strong breeze from S.E. and Squally in the first of the day middle and latter part more moderate the Barque steering E. half N. all sails out Lat. 46° Long. 143° 01'

Wednesday Mar. 10th

Fresh breeze from S.E. and light Squalls by times the Barque steering by the wind heading from S.E. to E. by S. took in light sails Lat. 46° 09' W.

Thursday Mar. 11th

Strong breeze from S.E. and Squally in the first part the Barque steering by the wind heading about S.E. we took top sails and courses came to on the Port tack with main lower top sail this first day of head wind from the time we left

Friday Mar. 12th

Strong S.E. winds and Squally all this 24 hours at 6.30 A.M. we wore ship and made some sail heading about E. by S. to E.N.E. by the wind in the latter part foggy Lat. 43° 00'

Saturday Mar. 13th

Strong S.E. winds and fog the ship steering by the wind under easy sails heading about E.N.E. in the latter part moderate wind hauled to S. we steered E. by S.

Lat. 44° 34' Long. 135° 00'

Sunday Mar. 14th

Light and variable wind from all parts with light rain Squalls and fog all this 24 hours

Repaired Gaff

First hole Squall Gaff up 36 days in 10 days

Moderate gale from S.E. we were able to fish

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Bedford Co. F. Hite Master on the whaling voyage

Monday Mar. 15th

Fresh breeze from S. and Squally weather in the first part the ship steering E. by S. with all sails out took in the light sail at 2.30 A.M. in the latter part the wind hauled to S.E. and died out calm at 7 P.M. Lat. 45° 12' Long. 132° 40' W.

Tuesday Mar. 16th

This day begins with light airs and calm in the first part of the day middle part fine breeze from N.W. the ship steering E. by S. in the latter part foggy and rainy Lat. 45° 44' Long. 131° 14' W.

Wednesday Mar. 17th

Light breeze from S. to S.E. the ship steering S. by E. in the first part of the day middle part calm but in the latter part breeze from W. and cloudy weather we repaired main top sail Lat. 45° 54' Long. 130° 45'

Thursday Mar. 18th

Fresh breeze from N.W. in the first part of the day the Barque steering E. by S. middle part Squally the wind N.W. in the latter part more moderate and quiet clear we steered E.

Friday Mar. 19th

Fresh breeze from N.W. the ship steering E. in the first part of the day middle and latter part blowed heavy and rainy we took in but lower top sail and fore sail the wind from N.W. to N.E. Lat. 42° 42' W.

Saturday Mar. 20th

Moderate breeze from N.W. and pleasant in the first part of the day the ship steering E. in the latter part fresh breeze from S. ship with all sails out at 4 P.M. took in top gallant sails Lat. 48° 22' Long. 119° 00' W.

Foggy weather we change Boats

Repaired main top sail

Heavy Squalls from N.W.

Went to sleep