

Ship Com<sup>d</sup> Morris of New BedfordSunday July 23<sup>rd</sup>

Begins with light breezes from the N.W. and cloudy weather with squalls of rain. Ship steering N.E. per compass with all sail out. - Nothing in sight all day but porpoises and grampuses. All the A.M. winds baffling at 12 N.E. ship on the western tack - at sunset heading N.

Monday July 24<sup>th</sup>

Came in with light airs from the N.E. and fine pleasant weather. Ship by the wind to the N.W. with all sail out. - Nothing in sight all day but grampuses and porpoises. Mild and Lat. part wind and weather the same

Tuesday July 25<sup>th</sup>

All this day light airs from the N.E. and fine pleasant weather. Ship by the wind cruising to the N and E. with all sail out. - Saw grampuses and porpoises

Lat 41.08  
Long 29.36

Wednesday July 26<sup>th</sup>

All day strong gales from the W with thick rain and foggy weather. Ship by the wind with all prudent sail out to the N and W. - at 5 P.M. wind shifted suddenly to the N.N.E. with squalls of rain. - Saw several schools of grampuses through the day.

Lat 41.46  
Long 30.00

Thursday July 27<sup>th</sup>

All this day light breezes from the N.E. and fine clear weather. Ship by the wind to the N.W. with all sail but fore top. Galt. sail set. In the A.M. nothing in sight but one sail steering to the E. - in P.M. two sail steering E and one school of grampuses.

Lat. 42.08 Long 31.08

## Cruising In The North Atlantic Ocean

Friday July 28<sup>th</sup> 1871

Came in with light baffling airs from the N.W. and fine clear weather. Ship by the wind to the N and E. with all sail out. Two sail in sight - at 9 A.M. spoke the ship Mearingo Barnes N.B. one month out with 80 Blk Sperm. - Saw a large whale the day before and boat went on and missed all day both ships working to the N.E. broke up the gamn at 7 P.M. - saw in the P.M. plenty of Vond stools and one sail steering to the E.

Lat 42.15  
Long 31.42

Saturday July 29<sup>th</sup>

Came in with moderate breezes from the W and quite fine weather. Ship steering to the N.N.E. with all sail out cruising in P.M. with ship Mearingo. - No signs of whales excepting one finback. - One sail steering N.N.E. in sight all day. - at sunset shortened sail.

Sunday July 30<sup>th</sup>

Begins with fresh breezes from the N.W. and cloudy weather. Ship steering N.E. and E.N.E. all day in P.M. with ship Mearingo. - Saw nothing that indicate whales excepting a few Vond stools and jellies. - at sundown shortened sail for the night. Capt. Barnes came on board and spent the evening

Lat 43.30  
Long 30.40

Monday July 31<sup>st</sup>

All day a fresh breeze from the W.N.W. and cloudy weather. Ship steering E per compass in the A.M. and S.E. all the P.M. In the P.M. saw several schools of porpoises and many birds. - at sunset shortened sail and came up to wind N.N.E. Lat. 46.05 Long 29.00