

Ship Com, Morris of New Bedford

Monday Feb. 19th 1872

Comes in with moderate breezes from the S.W. and fine pleasant weather - ship by the wind to the S.E. with all sail out but maintop sail that being on deck undergoing repairs - Water blue and clear all day, in the P.M. saw many birds and skipjack and several schools of small fish - at night plenty of birds, wind light from the E. - steering S.W. by S.

Lat 37° 16' Long 52° 30'

Wednesday Feb. 20th 1872

Comes in with light baffling winds from the E.S.E. and hauling gradually to the E. - ship by the wind to the S with all prudent sail out. - Nothing in sight - water green and very thick - plenty of birds, albacore and skipjack. In the P.M. ship standing to the N.E. in the P.M. to the S.E. - at night shortened sail -

Lat at Merd. 38° 45' Long by Chron. 53° 32'

Wednesday Feb. 21st 1872

all day light baffling winds from E.S.E. ship cruising with all prudent sail out - nothing in sight - ship all day in very green water with plenty of birds, skipjack and albacore.

Lat at Merd 39° 45' Long by Chron. 53° 30'

Thursday Feb. 22nd 1872

Comes in with light baffling winds from the S.W. and squally weather - ship by the wind on different tacks cruising with all prudent sail out - nothing in sight but birds - skipjack and albacore - ship in green water all day water just at night got into blue - steering to the S.E. with all sail out.

Lat 40° 36' Long 52° 35'

Cruising In The North Atlantic Ocean

Friday Feb. 23rd 1872

Comes in with strong breezes from the N.E. and cloudy weather looking much like rain all day - ship working to the N with all prudent sail out - nothing in sight but Grampuses and birds - water green all day

Lat at Merd. 40° 30' Long by Chron. 51° 40'

Saturday Feb. 24th 1872

all day strong gales from W. S.W. & S. with rain. ship steering N by W per compass with all prudent sail out - nothing in sight but Grampuses and birds

No Obs.

Sunday Feb. 25th 1872

all day strong gales from the S and clear weather ship steering N by W per compass until 12 then kept ship N.W. nothing in sight all day but a few birds - and one school of Grampuses - water blue

Lat at Merd 35° 25' Long by Chron. 51° 35'

Monday Feb. 26th 1872

Comes in with moderate breezes from N.E. and cloudy weather - ship steering N.W. until 1 P.M. when striking colored water tacked to the Eastward

Lat at Merd 34° 30' Long by Chron. 51° 40'

Tuesday Feb. 27th 1872

all day strong breezes from the S.W. and cloudy weather - ship by the wind cruising in different tacks with all prudent sail out - nothing in sight all day but birds - water blue and clear off of the banks - ship cruising close to the edge.

Lat at Merd 34° 40' Long by Chron. 51° 38'