

Bark Cornelia of New Bedford off Fort Dauphin  
Thursday March 22<sup>nd</sup> 1849

These 24 hours small breezes and clear weather  
Course W until 6 o'clock then W then E & S E  
P.M. Continue to try out A.M.  
Finished trying out and cleaned the deck table

Friday March 23<sup>rd</sup> 49

These 24 hours fresh breezes and clear weather  
Course W until 6 o'clock then W then E & S E  
P.M. Cleaning ship stowing away  
empty casks etc still commenced to stow  
down the oil saw land at 6 o'clock  
Dairing at distant 45 miles

Saturday March 24<sup>th</sup> 49

These 24 hours fresh breezes and clear weather  
Tack and tack Wind E little East by East  
P.M. Finished stowing down washes  
her bulwarks at 6 o'clock for beams  
vinegar apples molasses & beef & pork  
Currents sets S W

Sunday March 25<sup>th</sup> 49

These 24 hours small by breezes and clear  
Tack and tack Wind N N E  
P.M. The hands are principally employed  
in washing at 6 o'clock saw a schooner she bore  
down and ran across our lee quarter she carried  
a fore top gallant sail she was as pretty a  
craft as one would wish to see  
she was a heading west by south  
at 10 o'clock saw several breeches  
brought S W

Cornelia of N Bedford off Fort Dauphin  
Monday March 26<sup>th</sup> 1849 These 24 hours  
small breezes and calm W Tack and  
tack Wind East Current setting S W

P.M. At one o'clock saw a fin back A.M.  
Grinding cutting blades and and  
repairing the whaling apparatus  
Lat 25° 11' South  
Long 50° East

Tuesday March 27<sup>th</sup> 49

P.M. commenced with light breezes  
and squalls at 6 o'clock increased to  
a gale hauled the main top gallant  
sail main course fore course fore topsail  
jib and spanker and lost reefed the  
main topsail set main spencer  
hoisted the waistcoat on the upper  
mains and lay to under fore top main  
topsail main spencer and lost reefed  
main topsail and set S E A.M.  
The gale continues at 6 o'clock loosed the  
fore course and set it to wind blowing  
more regular with almost a clear sky  
P.M. Spoke the Bark Catherwood of  
Westport 11 mo out with 230 lbs of  
firm oil on board at 6 o'clock but little  
doing wound a few rope yarns and  
the third mate making a jib for the  
harbour boat at sail in sight on to  
leeward suppose it to be the Catherwood  
at 25° 11' South