

Bark Cornelia of N Bedford In Mozambique

Thursday September 20<sup>th</sup> 1849

Fine clear weather with variable winds

Direction South Tack and tack

P M mending sail lowered away the starboard boat and the captain went on board of a bark that was trying out she proved to be the

Alto of N Bedford Capt 24 m

out with 1000 barrels of sperm oil

We let her have 2 casks of bread and took in return iron hoops and molasses & all made a new fore top gallant top and at work on a sprit sail yard repairing jib pendant &c

Friday September 21<sup>st</sup> 1849

Fine clear weather first part fresh light winds last part small breezes

P M making dead eyes and making a sprit sail yard & M making dead eyes &c

Lat 15° 14' South

Lon 43° 27' East

Saturday September 22<sup>nd</sup> 49

Small breezes and fine clear weather

Wind S E tack and tack

P M Unlashed the main topsail and hoisted a nother in its place & all but little done

Sunday September 23<sup>rd</sup> 49

These 24 hours fresh wind light breeze with fine clear weather

P M Saw a bark to leeward saw a cow and calf for back and large quantity of Alchives & both the Sabbath saw two sails one to windward and one to the leeward

Cornelia of N Bedford off Mozambique's side

ambigue channel

Monday September 24<sup>th</sup> 1849

first part of these 24 hours small breeze and calm last part fresh gales

P M the sail to the weather ran down and spoke us she proved to be the

Marcella of N Bedford Capt North

with 500 barrels of sperm oil on board

29 m out of sail in sight to the

leeward at of the after noon & M

handed the jib and shunter and

repacked the top sails Spoke the

bark alto of N Bedford the bark

Marcella in sight

Tuesday September 25<sup>th</sup> 49

first part of these 24 hours small breeze and calm last part fresh gales

P M a sail in sight to the leeward

making the mainline mats &c

P M handed the jib and shunter

repacked the top sails Lat 16° 17' South

Wednesday September 26<sup>th</sup> 49

first part of these 24 hours small breeze last part fresh gales

P M Broke out for lamp oil

making dead eyes stripping & all making bulks eyes or ladders

and stripping them &c

Thursday Sept 27<sup>th</sup>

Light breezes and fine clear weather

Leaving the dead eyes on the sprit sail A bark in sight