

Ship Courier of Dorchester cruising in the
 Winds S.S.E. Remarks on board Thurs Oct 22nd
 Commences with fresh breeze
 steering to the S. saw a whale
 going quick. Did not come
 at 6 AM took in the top
 galland sails and double
 reefed the top sails leading
 S.S.E.

Midnight paid the same
 a day light made all
 sail show a merchant
 bark steering to the N.W.

Letter part light air
 having to the S.W. the
 vessel employed in shipping
 some from the fore hold
 to the storage and this day

Lat 40 00 28
 Long 71 00 00

Winds S.S.E. Remarks on board Friday Oct 23rd
 Commences with light air
 heading to the S.W. the
 vessel employed in shipping
 some and heading S
 saw a small whale
 going a good at 6 PM
 men ship to the S.S.E.

Midnight paid moderate
 breeze heading S.S.E.
 at 6.

Letter part, pleasant breeze
 backed ship to the S.W. the
 two sail in sight saw
 a whale going quick
 however did not get fast
 so end the day

Lat 40 30 29
 Long 71 00 00

South Atlantic Ocean Whitot Luce Master
 Winds S.S.E. Remarks on board Saturday Oct 24th 1831
 Commences with fair weather
 heading to the S.W. on
 sail in sight saw a whale
 going quick however could not
 get fast
 at 4 PM John Presfett a
 native of Boston died
 at 6 PM took him on deck
 and laid him out

Midnight paid fresh breeze took in the
 main top galland sail and men ship
 to the S. at day light set the top galland
 sail the ship in sight

Letter part the same at 4 AM
 men ship and haul back and
 began some druggled at 9 AM
 saw a whale however did not get fast
 killed at 11 PM took him to the
 ship so end the day

Lat 40 30 39
 Long 71 00 15

Winds S.S.E. Remarks on board Sunday Oct 25th 1831
 Commences with fair weather
 commenced cutting at 11 AM
 finished main sail on ship
 in sight at 5 PM saw two whales
 going quick however could not get fast
 at 6 PM shot a ship. Child with
 5 whips the main both in sail
 set the gaffel and commenced
 boiling heading S.W.

Midnight paid fresh breeze
 the vessel employed in fishing
 at day light set double reef
 top sail and men ship to the S.S.E.

S.S.E.

Letter part more moderate
 shook out the reefs and set the
 top galland sail men ship and
 steered to the W. all hands
 employed in boiling so end
 the day ship Child in sight

Lat 40 30 10
 Long 71 00 00