

Bark Drace of New Bedford.

Monday, May, the 24th / 52

Begins with moderate breeze from N.E. heading S. Middle part under short sail. latter part made sail, light breeze & variable, with showers of rain, saw fin back. No birds.

Lat. 25. 10. S
Long. 110. 40. E

Tuesday, May, the 25th / 52

Begins with light breeze from the N.E. with showers of rain heading N.E. Middle part under short sail. latter part fresh breeze from S.W. made sail, steering N.W. by N. saw fin back. the watch employed in ships duty. the cooper repairing water bucket.

Lat. 26. 25. S
Long. 110. 25. E, by the

Chronometer, 40. Miles to the eastward

Wednesday, May, the 26th / 52

Begins with strong breeze from S.W. heading S.W. by the wind. Middle part under short sail heading S. latter part made sail. breeze variable saw fin back. no birds.

Lat. 24. 05. S
Long. 110. 40. E, by the

Thursday, May, the 27th / 52

Begins with strong breeze from the S.W. steering N.W. under short sail. Middle part by the wind S.W. latter part made sail steering N. no birds.

Lat. 24. 42. S
Long. 109. 30. E by the

Friday, May, the 28th / 52

Begins with strong breeze from the S.W. steering N.W. Middle part heading S.W. under short sail. latter part made sail steering N.W. no birds.

Lat. 23. 54. S
Long. 109. 28. E

Cruising off New Holland. May. 1852.

Saturday, May, the 29th / 52

Begins with strong breeze from S.W. heading S. by the wind. Middle part under short sail. latter part light breeze from the S. made sail, heading S.W. changed main top sail. bent the old one, & set down the old bottom main top sail for a fore top sail.

Lat. 24. 26. S
Long. 109. 44. E

Set one sail.

Changed main top sail.

Sunday, May, the 30th / 52

Begins with light breeze from the S. heading S.W. one sail in sight. Middle part heading N. under short sail. latter part light breeze & variable, made sail. at 11. Spoke the bird. no birds.

Lat. 26. 46. S
Long. 109. 24. E

Spoke the bird.

Monday, May, the 31st / 52

Begins with light breeze & variable, breeze the same. Middle & latter part light breeze from N.W. heading S. finished the fore top sail. the bird in sight. saw fin back. no birds.

Lat. 26. 30. S
Long. 110. 40. E

Heavy weather.

Tuesday, June, the 1st / 52

Begins with light breeze from the S. heading S.W. smoky weather. Middle part under short sail. latter part strong breeze & variable, with heavy showers of rain, no birds. No birds.

Lat. 26. 30. S
Long. 110. 00. E



Wednesday, June, the 2nd / 52

Begins with strong breeze from S.W. & cloudy, steering N.W. under close reefed top sail & fore sail. at 2 P.M. saw sperm whale. at 3. lowered the boat without success. at sun set came along side, took up the boat, & took in sail heading S.W. Middle & latter part strong gale, under short sail. Lat. 25. 02. S

Long. 109. 20. E