

Back Draco of New Bedford 1854

Friday January 27th/54

Begins with light breezy and pleasant weather heading E. N. E. Unbent chain and stowed anchors Middle and Latter part Moderate trades. Saw Pinbacks

Latt by Obs 15.09 S

Long by Obs 4.24 W

Saturday January 28th/54

First part light trade heading S. S. W. Middle and Latter part light trade heading to the Southward Watches Employed in varying obs. S. Ends

Latt by Obs 15.58 S

Long by Obs 4.30 W

Continues fine weather and light trades heading to the South. the Land in sight. Middle part Moderate Latter part the same heading E. N. E. one sail in sight

Latt by Obs 16.31 S

Long by Obs 4.06 W

Monday January 30th/54

First part Moderate trades heading E. N. E. Middle the same. Latter part heading S. W. 2. Sail in sight

Latt by Obs 16.27 S

Long by Obs 3.50 W

Tuesday January 31st/54

Continues light trades heading to the Eastward Middle and Latter part much the same

Latt by Obs 16.21 S

Long by Obs 3.17 W

Wednesday February 1st/54

Begins with light air and Showy of rain. Middle and Latter part light air and cloudy

Latt by Obs 16.35 S

Long by Obs 3.14 W

Cruising Near St. Helena

Thursday Feb 2d/54

Begins light trades heading E. N. E. Middle and Latter part light breezy heading S. S. W. Ends Cloudy

No Obs.

Friday February 3d/54

First part light breezy and cloudy heading S. S. W. Middle part light breezy heading S. W. by S. Latter much the same 3 or 4 Ships in sight at 10 A.M. spoke Ship Hercules of Boston 7th Days from Calcutta for Boston. S. Ends

Latt 17.15 S

Long 3.45 W

Saturday February 4th/54

Begins with Moderate trades heading S. S. W. Middle and Latter part much the same. Nothing in sight

Latt by Obs 19.00 S

Long by Obs 4.00 W

Sunday February 5th/54

First part light trades heading S. W. by S. Middle and Latter part Moderate trades heading E. N. E

Latt by Obs 18.42 S

Long by Obs 3.38 W

Monday February 6th/54

Begins light breezy heading E. N. E. Middle part fresh trades and Squally Latter part fresh trades heading E. N. E. Saw 1 Ship. S. Ends this day

Latt by Obs 17.56 S

Long by Obs 2.45 W