

Sch^r E. Nickerson at Sal^{ta} 1854
Remarks On Board Monday May 8th

Commences with fresh trades at 4 1/2
P. M. The same On Board except my
3^d mate on 2 of the crew. Latter
part fresh trades. At 9 A. M. I
went On Shore. at 10 Mr. Childs
went On Board. So Ends.

Remarks On Board Tuesday May 9th

Commences with fresh trades. at 2
P. M. Martin Barita came On Board
Intoxicated. and went below off
Guta. At 4 P. M. I went On Board
Joseph Augustine came at the same
time after an absence 24 hours over
his liberty. At 4 1/2 P. M. got under
way. at 7 Anchored in Moravia
Bay in 8 fathoms of water. at 5
A. M. got under way. Saw a number
of Hump Backs. At 6 1/2 put her off
for Bonavista. at 3 hoveed for 16 f
But could not get near. at 5

Sch^r E. Nickerson off Bonavista 1854
Remarks On Board Wednesday May 10th

Commences with moderate trades. at
2 1/2 hoveed for whales. But could
not get near. At 5 P. M. came too
Anchor in 7 fathoms of water.
at 5 A. M. got under way at 7 1/2
hoveed for a whale but could
not get hold. at 9 1/2 returned to
the vessel

So Ends

Remarks On Board Thursday May 11th

Commences with moderate trades. at
2 P. M. hoveed but without success.
The whales are small and wild. I
think that they must be the last that
will pass this season. At 5 P. M.
came to Anchor in 1 fathoms of water.
Latter part light airs Employed Repairing
the Fore Sail and scraping the masts.
and repairing the casks. I saw some
whales off shore. O Dear I should
like to be at home with my friends
and Gods people. I suppose that I
ought not to think so. but be content
and try to do good here. but I want
more Grace to enable me to deal
with the set men that I have.