

Bark Sea Fox. Captain W^m W. Elbridge
December 1841

Saturday 9th

Commences with cloudy weather and a moderate breeze from the ESE. The Bark. Steering SE. at 7. AM. wore ship. fin backs in sight.

Latther Part. a moderate breeze from the E. the Bark. heading to the NW at 6. AM. wore to the SE. Saw one fin back so ends. this 24 hours Lat 36.22. Long. 25.10.4.

Sunday 10.

Commences with fine weather and a moderate breeze from the E. the Bark. Steering SE. fin backs in sight.

Latther Part. a light breeze from the E. the Bark. heading to the S. at 8 AM wore to the E. So ends this 24 hours thick hazy weather Lat 36.12. Long 25.42.

Monday 11.

Commences with thick foggy weather and a light breeze from the ESE. The Bark. heading NW.

Latther Part. thick hazy weather and a strong breeze from the E. the Bark. heading ESE. So ends this 24 hours. Lat 36.33. Long 25.11.24.

Tuesday 12.

Commences with a strong breeze from the NW E. Bark heading NW. shortened sail to a close reef main topsail & storm stay sails.

Latther Part. fine weather and light changeable air. Bark heading to the SW at 8 AM wore to the E. So ends this 24 hours saw fin Backs. Lat 36.34. Long. 25.20.

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Wednesday 13.

Commences with fine weather and a light breeze from the N. the Bark. heading SW. Saw fin Backs and one whaling Bark to the SW. of us.

Latther Part. fine weather and light air. passed the Bark. C. L. Morgan Liverpool master 24 months out 110 spars. So ends this 24 hours fine ESE & S.

Thursday 14.

Commences with fine weather and light air. fin backs in sight also Black fish. Latther Part. much the same one Bark in sight. So ends this 24 hours Lat 36.56. Long 25.28.34.

Friday 15.

Commences with fine weather and a light breeze from the S. Bark. Steering W by S. one sail in sight and fin backs.

Latther Part. a strong gale from the N. with heavy rain. Bark. saying to. under close reef main topsail and foresail. So ends this 24 hours. Saw fin Backs. No the.

Sat 16.

Commences with a strong gale from the NW. Bark heading NW under a close reef main topsail at 4 PM wore to the ESE.

Latther Part. rainy and thick with light changeable air and a heavy swell. Saw fin backs. So ends this 24 hours Lat 36.54. Long 26.21.