

Remarks On Board Ship Janus of New Bedford, Mass.

saw several sails two of them Schooners, at sunset furled the light sails.

Middle part strong breeze from the N.W. heading to the N.E. with the main topsail aback, at 1 Am double reefed the topsails.

Latter part a moderate gale from the N.W. heading N.E. saw three or four sails, took in jib and mainsail, at 11.30 Am close reefed the fore topsail and were round heading Westward.

Lat 40.37 N. Long 39.30 W.

Remarks Sunday August 24th.

Fresh gale from the North heading Westward at 4 Pm close reefed the main topsail and furled the mizzen topsail.

Middle part moderating heading W. N.W.

Latter part light breeze from the North baffling Eastward at 5 Am made sail and were round heading E. by N.

Lat 40.57 N. Long 39.13 W.

Remarks Monday August 25th.

Light breeze from the Northward heading Eastward saw three sails supposed Whalers, at sunset furled the mainsail.

Middle part fresh breeze baffling Westward heading Northward.

Latter part wind the same steering North at 8 Am spoke the Bark Scissins of New Bedford Captain Flunnemell 10th months out with 180 lbs of sperm oil, saw a yamper breaching, saw porpoises and grampuses.

Lat 41.38 N. Long 39.12 W.

Remarks Tuesday August 26th.

Fresh breeze from the West steering N. by E. saw haulines to the topsails on and main top gallant sail at sunset had a few light drizzling rain squalls, shortened sail.

Middle part light breeze from the N.E. heading E. S. E.

Latter part light breeze from the N.E. heading to the S.E. employed hauling, taut the flying jib martingale flying jib, jib and fore top gallant stays, saw porpoises, saw a merchant Bark steering Westward.

Lat 41.40 N. Long 38.39 W.

Remarks Wednesday August 27th.

Light breeze from the North heading Eastward, saw three Whalers to windward heading Westward exchanged signals with two of the Whalers but could not make them out they being too far off, at sunset furled the light sails and mainsail, then tacked and headed Westward.

Middle part the wind veered to W. S.W. heading South.

Latter part fresh breeze from W. S.W. heading South, saw

Captain Joseph St. Cornell. A. S. 1862.

several sails, Whalers and merchantman, broke out water and hoops.

Lat 40.50 N.

Long 37.40 W.

Remarks Thursday August 28th.

Strong breeze from W. S.W. heading South, at 4 Pm double reefed the topsails and were round, and headed to the N.W. at 5.30 Pm spoke the Bark Express of New Bedford Captain Robinson three months out with 200 lbs sperm at sunset close reefed the topsails and furled the foresail.

Middle part strong winds with squalls and rain heading to the N.W. furled fore and mizzen topsails.

Latter part strong breeze from North, at daylight were round and headed W. N.W. with a roused sea on, made some sail the Bark Express in sight to windward.

Lat 40.33 N.

Long 38.04 W.

Remarks Friday August 29th.

Fresh breeze from the North, the ship on both tacks, at 1 Pm, saw spouts off the weather bow, saw no more of them, at sunset tacked and headed W. N.W. under double reefed topsails, courses, jib, and spanker.

Middle part light breeze veering Eastward heading Northward.

Latter part light breeze from E. S. E. veering Southward steering N. by W. saw porpoises several sails in sight, employed heaving and provisions started one bl of beef and one bl of pork, broke out Flams, Butter & Receipts.

Lat 40.45 N.

Long 38.29 W.

Remarks Saturday August 30th.

Light breeze from South steering North, at sunset took in some sail.

Middle part fresh breeze from the South steering North.

Latter part stiff breeze from the South steering North, started a pipe of old brand that was partly full, saw several sails, at noon spoke the Ship Benjamin Tucker of New Bedford Captain W. M. Childs 15 months and 22 days out with 550 lbs of sperm and 130 lbs black fish oil.

Lat 42.04 N.

Long 39.36 W.

Remarks Sunday August 31st.

Stiff breeze from S. W. heading West going with the Benjamin Tucker started shortened sail.

Middle part fresh breeze from the S.W. heading E. S. E.

Latter part light breeze from the S.W. steering E. S. E. saw Blackfish, cowfish and porpoises also a number of schools of small young fish, considerable many albacore around the ship, came from along side the Benjamin Tucker, several sails in sight.

Lat 41.54 N.

Long 38.15 W.