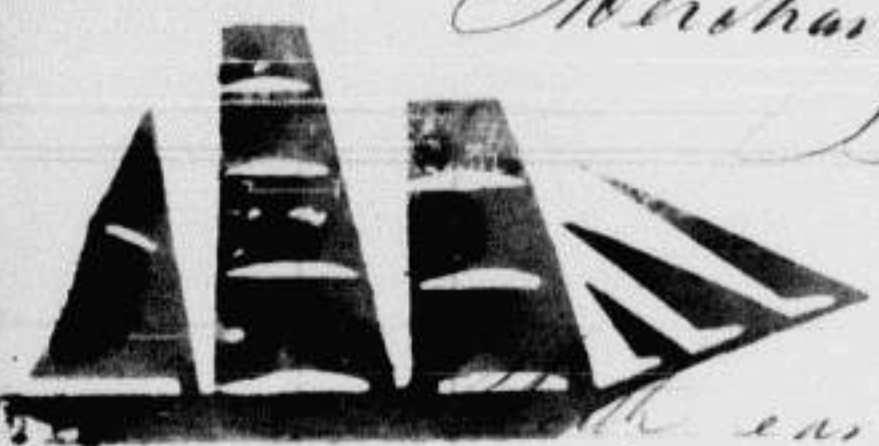




Merchant Brig. *Heath Cory*

At east and smoky weather saw a Brig
standing to the southward and eastward at eleven
o'clock saw a schooner of blackish hull since not
lear from them latter 5854 length 130 ft
apt of west had a fresh breeze the remainder
of the day at sundown look in the jib and
own main the foresail and foretop sail had
a fine breeze than the night So ends

Remarks on board Thursday December the 1st 1859

This day commenced with fine breeze from
the southeast and fresh weather the watch employed
in ordinary when water had a heavy swell
running latter 5820 length 125 ft
at noon a small boat as if it had
been in the water but a short time in a
brig standing to the southward under all
sail had a light breeze than the night after
went south west all these twenty four hours
So ends

Remarks on board Friday December the 2nd 1859

This day commenced with fine breeze from the
southeast and smoky weather the watch employed
mending the mainmast latter 5840 length 120 ft
saw a Brig standing to the southward under
all sail at sundown look in sight had
a light breeze than the night after went south west
all these twenty four hours So ends

Remarks on board Saturday December the 3rd 1859

This day commenced with light breeze from
the southeast and squally weather more sail
and stood on to the westward the watch
employed heaving out for day and fork
latter 6450 length 21 ft had light
breeze and squally weather all this day

Brig *Heath Cory*

At sundown look in sail had a light breeze
the fore part of the night latter 5840
at dawn off some So ends

Remarks on board Sunday December the 4th 1859

This day commenced with light air from
the southeast and squally weather with a heavy
swell running in the jib and main the
mast out of the fore topmast saw a ship
standing to the westward under all sail
no latter nor length saw four whalers
large light air than the day at sundown
look in sail had light air than the
night So ends

Remarks on board Monday December the 5th 1859

This day commenced with light air from the
southeast and southeast and squally weather more sail
and stood on to the westward at ten o'clock
saw of some latter 6450 length 21 ft
saw five whalers at four o'clock Captain
Ziff came aboard and went along side of
the Brig. Spoke of Perancee can saw the
Brig. Spoke of Westport a sundown look
in sail ship had a light breeze than the
night So ends

Remarks on board Tuesday December the 6th 1859

This day commenced with light breeze from
the southeast more sail and off off south
west at seven o'clock spoke the Brig
Captain of ship came aboard it was the mate
of the ship at one o'clock leave two boats
for blacking but did not get away at
sundown look in sail and left two the wind
to the southward had fresh breeze than the