

May Ship Hussoff

Monday May 24

First part
Moderate gale from the E N E
Look in sail down to close reef
Topsails land in sight 2 sail in
sight a gaming think one is the
Alice Harris. Middle part

Strong gale look in the fore & mizen
topsail & foresail & fore topmast stay sail
moving & fiery. Latter part

The wind from the North the ship
heading E N E blowing like furie
No Ends

Tuesday May 25

First part
Blowing hard from the Northward
At 3 o'clock the more moderate
set the fore topmast stay sail 1 sail in
sight Middle part

Light breezes Latter part

Commenced coiling spoke the ship
Edward of Nantucket No Ends

Wednesday May 26

First part
The wind from the Westward the
ship standing to the Northward
Emp in coiling & mending a boat
1 sail in sight Middle part

Much the same

Capt A Pierce

1852

Latter part

See plenty of ice Emp in coiling
3 men off duty. No Ends

Thursday May 27

First part

The wind from the N W the ship
running through the ice to the Northward
See two ships with the boats down
in chase of Bowheads which proved
to be the Bremen & Francis Henrichs
of New Bedford At 4 o'clock with
the Mechanic of Newport and the
Gen Williams of New London
The Francis Henrichs had one whale
Plenty of ice and land in sight
Heard of the Tiberna losing 2 men
by foul line see the Biquet Boner
of New Bedford

Middle part

Nothing new

Latter part

Gaming with the Gen Williams and
bought a boat of her. Emp in coiling
No Ends

Friday May 28

First part

Light airs & calms from the S E
the ship steering N. by E. Gamed with
the Gen Williams & Ben Tucker
Emp in coiling Middle part

Finished coiling

Latter part

The wind from the E N E foggy
Several sail around Watch 40 bot
of oil in the tank No Ends