

Ship *Seonias* homeward bound
Tuesday May 27th 1845

Commenced with the
S.W. wind and fair weather. Steaming at
all drawing sail. 1st Officer put much
sauce at 3 P.M. sounded in 40 fms water bottom
gray black & white sand at 70 fms spoke a crew of
Oiled Boat. Black. 1st Officer Dred 45 miles bearing S.E.
Latter part mist light and a number of birds
seen in light this evening. - 40 in 40.38

Wednesday 28th light S.W. wind and fair weather
steaming at 1/2 E. at 3 P.M. saw End of Long Island
bearing S. 1/2 S. 34 miles at 4 P.M. took a long haul
at 7 P.M. spoke a crew of Oiled Boat

Barge - Lexington

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Tuesday November the 8th 1842 Good part light
wind from the S.W. and pleasant weather and steering
S.E. & all hands employed in lowering Oiled
Boats and stowing away the cotton ones at 1 P.M.
1st Officer crew watches. Middle part light and baffling
wind and pleasant weather. Latter part much the same
thus ends the 24 hours. - 40 in 40.38

Wednesday the 9th Good part light and baffling
wind from the South with light rain. Steering S.E. & all
hands employed in repairing sails. Middle part
light. Latter part light wind from the S.E. and
pleasant weather. Steering S.E. thus ends

Thursday the 10th Good part light wind from the
S.W. and cloudy - at 3 P.M. saw the Cape Rock
bearing S.E. & Dist 7 leagues at 4 took in the light
sails at 4 P.M. tacked to the N.W. at 5 tacked to
the South under all sail. Macaulay's Island bearing
S.E. & Dist 12 miles saw a number of Porpoise
at 12 saw the ^{Sun} Island bearing S.W. Dist 8.5 miles
and the Sun sail running thus ends

Friday the 11th Good part light wind from the South
and cloudy. Steering S.E. & all hands employed in sail making
and breaking out the after part at 1 P.M. shortened
sail and luffed with wind bore S.W. the Land
Dist 15 miles at 10 P.M. tacked to the East at 1 P.M.
left of South Land and made sail: at 9 the Captain
put in with the Boat but it being roused he did not
land at 11 the Boat came off and we kept away
S.E. under all sail thus ends this day