

Whomack on Board of Bark Lydia of New Bedford

Sunday May 12th 1867

First part light breeze from E. S. E. Steering N. N. W. finished main top sail and bent in middle and latter parts light breeze from the Eastward Steering N. N. W. most of the time So Ends this day
Lat Obs 33° 47' N. Long by Chron 184° 57' W

Monday May 13th

Continues light breeze from the Eastward Steering N. N. W. Middle and latter parts the same. Employed in repairing spanker and gaff top sail. Nothing in sight worthy of remark.
Lat Obs 34° 12' N

Tuesday May 14th

Continues light air from E. N. E. Steering N. N. W. Picking over Potatoes. Middle part much the same. Latter part fresh breeze and cloudy from W. N. W. heading to the North by the wind. Employed in various jobs.

Lat Obs 35° 47' N. Long by Chron 184° 44' W

Wednesday May 15th

First part strong breeze from N. W. heading N. N. E. by the wind. Filled one of the Bullcock. Middle part the same. Latter part more moderate. Wind from Northward heading by the wind on different tack. fore topmast backstay standed. knotted it and set it up again.

Lat Obs 36° 41' N. Long by Chron 183° 16' W

Thursday May 16th

Commences moderate breeze from the North heading to the Westward by the wind. Started Gask. B. N. E. N. E. Middle part light air. Latter part moderate breeze from S. E. W. Steering N. W.

Employed breaking out for Stogy, 43 cenz. Coffee and Tea &c. Saw Finbacks

Lat Obs 37° 13' N. Long by Chron 183° 33' W

No. 43. Hathaway Master Towards the Arctic

Friday May 17th 1867

First part fresh breeze from S. W. Steering N. W. Middle part the same. Latter part light breeze from the Westward heading to the Northward by the wind. Employed variously. Saw Finbacks.

Lat Obs 39° 15' N. Long by Chron 184° 45' W

Saturday May 18th

Continues light breeze from the West heading N. N. W. and cloudy. Middle part light breeze from S. W. Steering N. W. Latter part fresh breeze and cloudy Steering N. W. & N. Employed fixing Old Boat &c &c

Lat Obs 40° 37' N. Long by Chron 185° 57' W

Sunday May 19th

Strong breeze from the W. by S. heading N. W. by N & N. N. W. by the wind. Middle and latter part fresh breeze and cloudy from the Westward heading to the Northward. Saw plenty Finbacks

Lat Obs 42° 53' N

Monday May 20th

Continues fresh breeze from the Westward heading by the wind. N. N. W. Middle part light breeze from E. E. Steering N. W. by N. Latter part moderate and cloudy Steering N. W. by N. Saw Finbacks. So Ends

No Obs.

Tuesday May 21st

First part fresh breeze from the Eastward Steering N. W. by N. Rainy dirty weather. Middle part strong breeze from the South Steering N. W. by N. Latter part strong breeze from S. W. Steering N. W. Ends cloudy

Lat Obs 46° 35' N. Long by Chron 188° 00' W

Wednesday May 22nd

Continues strong breeze and cloudy from S. E. W. Steering N. W. Middle part the same. Latter part strong breeze from the North heading to the Westward. So Ends this day

Lat 48° 04' N. Long 190° 53' W