

A Journal of the Barque Margaret St. John N.B.

Friday April 26th

This Day begins with strong winds from N.W. to E.S.E. and hazy weather. At 5 P.M. saw a big heading to the southward and Eastward. Latter part light winds from E.S.E. to S.W. and pleasant weather. Ship under all sail steering N.W. So ends. Lat Ob. 35.13 N.

Saturday April 27th

This Day begins with light winds from S.W. and hazy. At 2 P.M. At 4 A.M. & took ship to the Northward and Westward. At 6 P.M. winds N.E. and thick rainy weather. Tack in the Top, Gallant sails full. Spanker. At 9 P.M. Double reefed the Top Sails & Book in the Main Course. Latter part strong Gale from N.E. and clear weather with a heavy sea on. Ship under double reefed. Barrels of Top Sails. So ends. Long by Gun Ob. 69.30 W. Beefs. Port. Long by Chron. 69.50 W. Lat Ob. 36.04 N.

Sunday April 28th

This Day begins with strong Gale from N.E. and hazy weather. with a heavy sea on. At 1 P.M. reefed the main sail and set it. Latter part winds from N.E. and more moderate. At 3 P.M. let out the reef. At 8 P.M. ship under all sail heading N.W. At 8 P.M. saw a big heading to the Southward and Eastward. At 11 P.M. saw a Barque ship eating in Ship under all sail that is required by the wind. So ends. Long by Gun Ob. 70.32 W. Long by Chron. 70.55 W. Lat Ob. 37.00 N.

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Monday April 29th

This Day begins with light winds from N.E. to N.W. and pleasant weather. Latter part strong winds from S.W. and pleasant weather. At 6 P.M. saw a scow heading to the Southward and Eastward. Saw a number of Green back whale. Ship under all sail steering N.E. So ends. Long by Chron. 69.56 W. Lat Ob. 39.00 N.

Tuesday April 30th

This Day begins with strong winds from S.W. and pleasant weather. Water discoloured. At 4 P.M. lent the cables. At 12 or midnight rounded in 52 fms. water. Black and white sand. Latter part wind and weather much the same as the first. saw a number of sail. At 10 A.M. spoke Scowen Mary & Jane of Boston. One Day out. Ship under all sail steering N.E. So ends. Long by Chron. 68.58 W. Lat Ob. 41.12 N.

Wednesday May 1st

Barrels of Flour. This Day begins with light winds from S.W. and pleasant weather. At 4 P.M. winds from N.E. and hazy. At 5 P.M. rounded in 50 fms. water. Gray sand. Ship heading N.E. Latter part light winds from N.E. and pleasant weather. Ship under all sail heading N.E. Saw a number of sail. So ends. Long by Chron. 69.23 W. Lat Ob. 42.51 N.

Thursday May 2^d

This Day begins with light winds from N.E. and pleasant weather. Ship heading N.E. At 5 P.M. made the land. Latter part light winds from N.E. to W.S.W. and hazy weather. Ship under all sail steering N.E. At 12 Northey Island Bare N.W. Dist 7 leagues. So ends. Long by Chron. 68.52 W. Lat Ob. 43.33 N.