

Ship Mary at anchor in White Rock bay Nov 1853
Courses Winds Wednesday Nov the 16th
SW Begins with a light breeze from SW & Rain squalls
W Middle & latter parts strong breeze & Rainy Employed at
WSS small jobs

Thursday Nov the 17th
SW A fresh breeze & cloudy have up the 2 anchor
S Middle & latter parts moderate gale & hazy Weather
Employed at ships duty

Friday Nov the 18th
S the fore part fresh breeze & hazy at 4 P.M. got under
NWN SW Mary from White Rock bay middle part light breeze
W Steering to the Northward
NNE NW Latter part strong breeze & hazy under short sail
sea watches Leak 200 S
Lat by orls
Long by chron

Saturday Nov the 19th
NNE NW A strong breeze & hazy under short sail the watch
WNVW Employed at different jobs
beats W Middle & latter parts strong breeze from the westward
crues watches steering NNE saw 1 sulphur bottom leak 250 S
Lat by orls
Long by chron

Sunday Nov the 20th
NNE W A strong breeze & hazy W under close reefed top sails
fore sail & spencers middle & latter parts moderate breeze & wind
NE NWN Rainy weather saw nothing leak 375 S
No orls to day

Monday Nov the 21st
NE NWN The fore part light breeze & thick Rainy weather
N W Middle & latter parts fresh breeze & cloudy the watch
S Employed at different jobs so ends leak 400 S
Lat by orls
Long by chron

Tuesday Nov the 22nd
NWN NE A fresh breeze & cloudy W under double reefed top sails
Recourse at sundown shortened sail at daylight made sail
N by WWN light breeze & Rainy W sail in sight steering to the
Southward leak as before Lat by orls

Ship Mary cruising the ocean for Whales Nov 1853
Courses Winds Wednesday Nov the 23rd
North WNW Begins with a strong breeze & cloudy saw 1 sulphur bottom
NNE W took one of the new top mast standing sail booms
SW spanker gaff Middle & latter parts fresh breeze & clear Weather
the watch Employed painting the 2 boat & other jobs saw
fin backs & sulphur bottoms leak 350 S Lat by orls
Long by chron

Thursday Nov the 24th
NNE SW A light breeze & clear Weather saw fin backs & saw
fish Middle & latter parts fresh breeze & clear W sail in sight
W steering S saw killers & grampuses & fin backs the watch
Employed at ships duty leak 300 S Lat by orls
Long by chron

Friday Nov the 25th
NE NWN the fore part strong breeze & clear W under double reefed
top sails Recourse saw fin backs at sundown shortened
NNE NW sail & sail in sight at 9 AM spoke bark station 2 months
Hoke bark out 50 bbl S at daylight made sail fresh breeze & cloudy
station N B seen fin backs & sulphur bottoms leak 375 S Lat by orls
Long by chron

Saturday Nov the 26th
NNE NW A light breeze & fine Weather saw fin backs & sail in sight
started fresh the steering to the southward at sundown shortened sail
ENE N at daylight made sail fresh breeze & hazy W saw fin backs
tack ship the watch Employed at small jobs L 400 S Lat by orls
WNVW Long by chron

Sunday Nov the 27th
tack ship
NE NWN A strong breeze & cloudy saw fin backs at sun down
N WNVW shortened sail at daylight made sail strong breeze and
NNE NW foggy Weather saw 2 hump backs toward 2 boats & started
once without success leak 450 S Lat by orls
Long by chron

Monday Nov the 28th
NNE NW A strong breeze from NWN thick hazy W saw hump
backs at sun down took in sail
N WNVW Middle & latter parts fresh gale & cloudy Weather under
close reefed main top sail & spencers ships leak 600 S
saw fin backs & hump backs