

Bark Mary Frasier of New Bedford 1868
Sunday Apr 26th began with
fine weather good breeze from ESE
steered by the wind on the Starboard
tack. Strong breeze latter part the day
four or five times at 25
fathoms of water saw nothing. So ended
Lat 14.54 Long 71.15

Monday Apr 27th began with
fine weather good breeze from SSE
steered by the wind on the Starboard
tack. Strong breeze latter part the day
saw nothing. So ended Lat 14.30 Long 72.25

Tuesday Apr 28th began with
fresh breeze from S by South
steered by the wind on the Starboard
tack. Strong breeze with squalls
latter part the day saw nothing.
So ended Lat Long

Wednesday Apr 29th began with
half a Gale from S by E laid to
under short sail on the Starboard
tack at dark the wind increased to
a moderate Gale at midnight a fresh Gale
at 4 Am above the bow boat the lower reefed
Main top sail & top Mast stay sail & Mizzen stay sail
all went to ribbons the same time blowing heavy
the rest of the day So ended Lat 12.50 Long 61.00

Thursday Apr 30th began with a Gale from
East laid to under bare poles wind began to
moderate at 2 Pm. Howed a moderate Gale
all the rest of the day were ship at
9 Am bent another Main top sail at
6 Am So ended Lat 14.27 Long 62.22

Friday May 1st began with
moderate Gale from E by E laid
above to under close reefed top sails on the
Port tack rained all the latter part but not
so much wind took in the bow boat and set
the Sea Main going up I have recovered from
two day sickness my complaint was inflammation
of the Bowels So ended Lat 15.27 Long none

Saturday May 2nd began with
half a Gale from East Steered S by E
heavy rain squalls all day long saw nothing
but work on the Bow Boat So ended
Lat 16.25 Long 62.57

Sunday May 3rd began with
half a Gale from E by E Steered S by E
under abated reef top sails had some
very heavy rain squalls were under the
fore top sail at midnight wore ship
at 1 Am Steered N by East the rest of the day
So ended Lat 17.00 Long 62.54

Monday May 4th began with
half a Gale from East Steered N by East
continual string of squalls all day some of them
very heavy saw nothing but work on the bow
boat So ended Lat none Long none

Tuesday May 5th began with
half a Gale lat actual from N by E by
East Steered by the wind on the Starboard
tack heavy rain squalls some of them
blowing flat the boats of a brisk Gale
saw nothing So ended Lat 15.50 Long 61.57