

Bark Mary Frazier of New Bedford
Thursday August 19th 1889

commenced with light air from S. steering by
wind to S.E. took in sail at sunset. breeze freshening
latter part. light air and calm from S.
were ship at six A.M. heading by wind to N.W.
took Starboard boat in and repairing her.
eighteen sail in sight. lat 46.04 lon 21.06

Friday 20th

commenced with light breeze from S heading
by wind to W. took in sail at sunset. put
the Starboard boat on the crane and
took in bow boat. latter part strong breeze
from same with some rain broke out water
in after hold. heading by wind to W. so ends

Saturday 21st

commenced with strong breeze from S.W. and
at three P.M. commenced raising barrel took
in sail and heading by wind to W. latter part
fine weather with wind same. lowered for blackfish
boarded boat struck. and waiting for the other
boat drawn up. picked up a plank. and
caught five fish. heading by wind to S.E.
from seven A.M. to twelve. lat 46.53 lon 24.41

Sunday 22nd

fine weather with fresh breeze from S.W.
heading by wind to W. till seven P.M. tacked
to S.E. put the bow boat out, and carrying
sail through the night. killed a pig.
latter part fresh breeze from same and
smoky weather. tacked ship at seven
A.M. to W. plenty of Drampud to be seen
and water full of jelly feet. lat 48.46 lon 22.34

Cruising in the North Atlantic

Monday August 23rd 1889

commenced with fresh breeze from S.W. and
drying away near calm. and hauling to W.
were ship to S. at seven P.M. and took in
light sails. latter part wind W. heading
by wind to W. lowered for what proved
to be porpoises. latter part calm. lat 48.33
lon 25.19

Tuesday 24th

commenced with light air and calm
with swell setting from N.W. cleared down
several times. latter part of night light breeze
from S.W. and so through the day. hauling
to S.W. lowered two boats for grampud. without
success. steering by wind to N.W. lat 48.30 lon 28.56

Wednesday 25th

fresh breeze from S.W. and pleasant weather
steering by wind to W. heading through
the night. at daylight raised a whale. going quick
sharp on a wind to W. S.W. was three miles to
windward lowered three boats at eight A.M.
and after a long chase waist boat struck
him. took him alongside at



Thursday 26th

took the whale alongside at half past two
and got dinner and commenced cutting
bashed down at dark. and let the water
commenced cutting at five A.M. and
head battered so that this day ends without
it being off. lat 48.49