

Remarks on Board Barb Mattapoisett of
Saturday, Aug. 8th 1868

This day commences with a light breeze from
different E. N. E. ship heading South. Schooner
in sight. Men employed in stowing down
oil. Finished stowing at 3 P. M. Men
employed in washing ship. Middle and latter
part light variable wind. So ends this day.

Sat by Ob 32.24.1
Long. Chr. 74.52.2

Sunday, Aug. 9th

This day commences with a light variable
breeze, with clear weather. Ship under all
sail and heading different courses. Schooner
in sight. Middle and latter part variable
breeze with squalls of rain. Saw 6 sails
So ends the day

Sat by Ob 32.09
Long by Com 74.14

Monday, Aug. 10

This day commences with a Breeze
from W with squalls of rain. Ship
heading South at sun down tack
in sail for the night middle part
ship upon dipperant tacks latter part
heading N by W so ends the day

Sat by Ob 32.25
Long by Com 74.13

Tuesday, Aug. 11

This day commences with a fine Breeze
from W with clear weather ship heading
N by W at sun down tuff by the wind
middle part the same latter part
heading N by W saw 1 sail so ends the
day

Sat by Ob 32.53
Long by Com 74.22

Westport. Alfred C. Davis. Master.

Wednesday Aug. 12 1868

This day commences with a fine Breeze from
South with clear weather ship heading
N by W at sun down tuff by the
wind heading west middle part the
same latter part heading N saw 2 sails
So ends the day

Sat by Ob 34.17.1
Long by Com 74.29.1

Thursday Aug. 13

This day commences with fresh gail from
S W to North ship heading N to East
under double reefed top sail middle part
ship upon dipperant latter part ship heading
N W saw a number of sails so ends the day

Sat by Ob 35.36
Long by Com 74.27

Friday Aug. 14

This day commences with a fine Breeze
from N E with clear weather ship
heading N W at sun down rounded
and got bottom in 32 fathoms of water
middle and latter part ship upon
dipperant tacks saw number of sails
so ends the day

Sat by Ob 35.47
Long by Com 74.42

Saturday Aug. 15

This day commences with a light
Breeze from N E with clear weather
ship heading S S W saw 4 sails.
Middle part light breeze. Saw whales at 6 A. M.
Lowered the boats and the Starboard boat struck
and brought whale on board. The other boats
chasing whales. So ends this day.

Sat by Ob 35.52.1
Long. Chr. 74.09.1

