

Monday July 13th 1852
First Part strong wind from N. by steering by
the wind N. by E. Middle Part light winds by
Latter Part light air steering in from sea
for the latter So Ends Lat 40-55 N

Tuesday July 14th
First Part calm. We at one fell
got soundings in 55 fathoms water
white sand with black specks
Middle Part light air from the
sea the wind by steering in
fine breeze from N. steering in
N. by E. at 11 o'clock saw the land
Black Island bearing N. by E. distant
Miles, number of sail in sight
Lat 40-54 N Long 72-30 W
So Ends this voyage

A Journal of a Whaling
Voyage Kept on Board of
The Schooner Amelia of Sandwich
From New Bedford to the
Atlantic Ocean, Commanded
By Abraham Hovey
of Sandwich

Bound Southward 1852
Thursday June 10th
at 8 o'clock got all hands on
Board at Boat out of the Bay with the wind
from the Southward at 12 came to anchor
in Catheue Harbor and discharged the
Pilot So Ends

Friday June 11th 1852
First Part fresh breeze from the Southward
Lay out at anchor at night (and) all hands
left and chose the watches Middle Part
the wind from the Westward Latter Part the
same at 8 o'clock got under way and
went through guinea hole and steered out
of the sound at 10 o'clock beginning to
bearing E by S by compass, Gay head bearing
N. by E. from which I take my departure
Wind at West steering S by W
So Ends Lat 41-15 N
Long 71-15 W

Saturday June 12th
First Part fresh breeze from West steering S by W
all sail set all hands employed in setting
Boats for whaling Middle Part the wind
from W by N steering S by W Latter Part fine
weather all sail set, number of sail in
sight saw Blackfish and Grampores
So Ends Lat 40-08 N
Long 71-00 W

Sunday June 13th
First Part light winds from W by steering
S by W 3 ships in sight at 5 o'clock lowered and
chose Black fish without success Middle
Part calm Latter Part the same two sail
in sight saw Grampores So Ends
Lat 38-34 N
Long 71-38 W

Monday June 14th
First Part light winds at South steering by
the wind Southward Middle Part calm
Latter Part the same at 11 o'clock in sight
bearing Southward saw Grampores
So Ends
Lat 38-15 N

{Sick to day with the Diarrhoea}