

Barque *Meridus* of New Bedford

Thursday the 17

this day commences with light breeze at and good weather ship at anchor of the joint boats of cruising for whales latter part light breeze and thick weather ship at anchor n boats getting wood the afternoon cruising for whales broke out for flour
so ends the

Friday the 18

this day commences with light breeze and good weather boats come on board and took the anchor and stood out of the bay to the Southward latter part fresh breeze and good weather from the ENE ship heading S W all sail set broke out a cask of bread
so ends the day

Saturday the 19

this day commences with light breeze and good weather from the SE ship heading S W by S all sail set broke out molasses bent a new mizen topmast staysail latter part light breeze and thick weather from the S E ship heading S W by S all sail set a ship in sight broke out for water
so ends the day

Cruising in the *Cetacea* Sea 1858

Sunday the 20

this day commences with light breeze and good weather from the S E ship heading S W by W all sail set a ship in sight broke out for butter coffee sugar beans peas and dried apples latter part strong breeze and thick weather from the S W ship heading S by E all sail set so ends the day
Lat 50° 45' N
Long 150° 15' W

Monday the 21

this day commences with strong breeze and good weather from the W ship heading S by W all sail set hauled to the weed ground latter part strong breeze and a thick fog during the W S W ship heading S W all sail set
so ends the day

Tuesday the 22

this day commences with strong breeze and a thick fog from the W S W ship heading S W by W all sail set latter part strong breeze and good weather from the S S W ship heading W by S all sail set during course
so ends the day
Lat 50° 10' N
Long 149° 45' W