

## Montalk Point

Wednesday Aug 21<sup>st</sup>

(1861)

Moderate wind from E to  
SE and fine weather, steering S by W by S  
Carrying all sail, Saw 4 New York pilot boats  
No 3, 6, 17 & No 19 from 40 to 50 mile S by S  
of Block Island At 12 A steered up  
S by E At 2 raised Block Island bearing  
S by W At 4 P.M. took a New Bedford pilot  
to carry us in to New London, At 7 P.M. between  
Montalk point and Block Island, Saw several  
suffets and saw a flag hoisted on Montalk  
After taking Montalk a pilot we steered off for  
Montalk S. W by S