

Wednesday May 19th

Begins Light airs and pleasant steering to the W
at dusk shortened sail and lay to the S by night
at daylight set all sail and steered to the S by
sails in sight standing to the S doing nothing at 8
sounded the gongs and down of the anchor W close
the day 1 sail in sight Lat

Thursday May 20th

Begins Light airs and pleasant steering to the W
1 sail in sight at 8 spoke the South Boston 1100
bbls 500 sperm she had got nothing on the coast
at dusk took in the light sails and steered to W
all night at daylight made all sail and steered to
S by 1 sail in sight Lat

Friday May 21st

Begins Light airs and pleasant steering to the W
sail in sight at 8 spoke her it seemed to be the
Washington Coffin Newbedden 9 months out 600
bbls of Whale Oil middle and better part same
as the first saw a number Fin backs during the day
Ends nothing in sight the Washington in company

Saturday May 22

Begins Light airs and calm course to the W the
Washington in company at dusk took in the light
sails and steered the same at daylight set all
sail and steered the same nothing in sight

Sunday May 23rd

Begins Light airs and calm course to the W down
down a boat and scraped the grass of the
skins & Bends at dusk took in the light sails
and steered to the W during the night at daylight
set all sail on T & L at 10 spoke the Haskell
Swain New Bedford 300 Sperm oil Ends in
company saw a number Fin backs Lat 23, 02

Monday May 24th

Begins Light airs and pleasant steering to the W
in company at dusk in the light sails and steered
to the W during the night at daylight set all sail
to ships in sight set the Coulers at the Fore
Royal and two boats lowered from a deck and down
on beam thinking we saw whales they it proved
to be the Bark William the 4th of Robert
own 800 bbls Sperm oil Ends pleasant and company
Fin backs lower the Main Royal Gun and
sent up the 2nd Topmast standing sail down
Lat 22, 24

Tuesday May 25th

Begins fine weather course to the W at 3 P.M.
down and struck a Sulphur bottom and
down at dusk took in the light sails and
lowered up the Coulers middle part the same
at 8 A.M. saw a ship sailing South to the
wind at daylight set the M sail on the T & L
sail 3 sails in sight at 8 spoke the
Bark & Pantheon Fell Fabrice 1000 bbls of
Whale Oil and 1450 of Sperm had seen whales
6 days previous the Marine in sight sailing
a large whale so Ends the day Lat 22, 21

Wednesday May 26

Begins a strong breeze from the S at dawn on
Tide went back to a course at dusk took in
sail and lay by the rest wind to the sails in
sight at daylight a moderate Gale set double
reef T sails Ends the same the course in
sight but no fish Lat 22, 13

Thursday May 27th

Begins a Gale from the S by the S
under double reef T and M T sails at dusk
took in T & L sail at daylight set
double reef T sail and steered to the
S W Ends the same 2 sails in sight
Lat 23, 19 Long 106, 49