

35. Remarks on board Ship Nile of New Bedford

H. H. H. Course. Winds. L.W. Remarks. Monday 13th April.

2	2	S. by E. S. by E.	2	Begins with a fresh breeze from the southward
4	2			and cloudy weather; in the afternoon the wind
6	2	S.W. S.W.		hauled to the southward and moderate, at
8	2			11 P.M. the wind got at S. wore ship to the
10	2			E. S. E. and made all necessary sail, latter part
12	2			of the day the wind varied to the S.W. set the S.
2	3	E. S. E. S.		et and M. S. by studding sails.
4	3			
6	4	S. by E. S. by E.		
8	4	S.W.		
10	4			
12	4			

Variation 20 Easting.

Lat. 41. 52. 22

H. H. H. Course. Winds. L.W.

Tuesday 14th April

5		S. by E. 1/2 E. N.W.		Begins with a fresh breeze and flying clouds
6				middle light squalls of rain, took in the studding
7				sails, latter part strong winds took in
7				the main top sail, two reefs in the S. top sail
10	8			and closed up the main top sail, ends with a
12	8			gale from the northward and flying clouds.
4	8	N.W.		Employed the first part of the day in
6	8			shifting the M. braces, & M. top sail braces.
8	9	E. S. E.		latter part variously
10	9			
12	8			

Long 71. 52. 43. W.

Lat. 41. 56. 36.

H. H. H. Course. Winds. L.W.

Wednesday 15th April.

2	6	N.W. N.	6	Begins with a strong gale and flying clouds
4	2		6	at 1 P.M. very heavy fog in the topsails &
6	2		6	trussail and hove too under main spencer &
8	2		6	S. S. stay sail, at 3 P.M. took in the stay sail
10	5	S. by E. S. by E.		split it badly taking it in, at 6 more moderate
12	5			stayed closed up M. top sail & S. stay sail 10 P.M.
2	5			and entered S. by E. 1/2 E. latter part of the
4	5			day more moderate let out all masts and set 1/2
6	5			main sail, M. S. gallant sail & spanker.
8	6			
10	6	E. S. E.		
12	6			

Long 71. 58. 19

Lat. 41. 55. 47

for James Townsend Master, on a whaling voyage.

H. H. H. Course. Winds. L.W. Remarks. Wednesday 21st April.

2	6	N.W. E. S. S.W.		Begins with a fresh breeze from the S.W. and flying
4	6			clouds, middle and latter part the wind more moderate
6	6			and cloudy, all drawing sail set. The first part of
8	6			the day repaired and set a lower studding sail, latter
10	6			part got up the S. S. gallant yard, and the main top
12	6			-gallant mast.
2	6			
4	6			
6	6			
8	6			
10	6			
12	6			

17th Easting.

Pro. Obs.

H. H. H. Course. Winds. L.W.

Thursday 23rd April.

2	6	N.W. E. S.W.		Begins with a pleasant breeze from the southwest
4	6			and cloudy, middle moderate winds and jaffling
6	5			to S.W. cloudy and directly by shifts, latter part
8	5			the day the wind mostly from about N.W. but kept
10	5			fling 4 points or more, with light showers of rain
12	5			in the morning but the day ends with fair weather
2	5	Blowing from S.W.		variously employed the first part of the day, in get
4	5	N.W. N.W.		-ting up the main top gallant yard, shifting spars &
6	5			latter part went to work on a spare lower yard for
8	6			a main top gallant mast but found it good for nothing
10	6			we then commenced making one out of a spare top
12	5			-sail yard.

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Friday 24th April.

2	5	N.W. E. S. Westing from W.		Begins with a moderate breeze from the westward
4	5			and fair weather, middle the wind quite
6	5			moderate, latter part a fresh breeze from S.W.
8	5			and flying clouds with showers of rain.
10	5			
12	5			
2	5			variously employed.
4	5			Saw a great many birds of various kinds, milder
6	5			to south latitude.
8	5			
10	5			
12	5			

Lat. 41. 41