

Remarks On Board Bark Northern Light Of New
Bedford May 8th 1868

Commenced with a strong
Sail from the Westward from 6 to 10 or
12 - fair with the same once more not
let down till 11 and single reefed main & m
Sail heading to the NW.

Lat 34 55 S

Long

Saturday May 9th

Commenced with light at 4 pm
fresh Sails and Squalls NW hard
Main - Top Sail Middle Morn. Sail and
heavy squalls ends fine weather and strong
breeze from W at 9 am saw Cape Brit
basing NW by S at Meridian all sail

Lat

Long

Sunday May 10th

Commenced with fresh breeze
and fine weather working up for the
Harbor at 7 pm Cape Brit bore S.E
ends with light breeze and fine weather
from the Southwest working up for the Bay

Monday May 11th

Commenced with light breeze from
the Southward at 6 pm came to anchor
in Main War Harbor in 8 fathoms water
ends with fine weather got 4 Casks Water

Tuesday May 12th

all these 24 hours fine weather
Employed at various jobs getting pipes
and so on

Wednesday May 13th

Commenced with hazy weather
Employed cleaning iron work with some
jobs on the rigging ends the same Employed
reparing fore top sail cleaning iron
work with various jobs

Bedford Capt. Michel Baker Master
Thursday May 14th 1868

Commenced with fine weather
all hands Employed at various jobs
ends with fine weather striking ship

Friday May 15th

All these 24 hours fine weather
back on board & beds of wood

Saturday May 16th

Commenced with light breeze
and fine weather ends fine weather
Employed sawing and shoring wood

Sunday May 17th

Commenced with calm fine
weather ends calm and light breeze

Monday May 18th

Commenced with fine weather
and calm ends with thick hazy weather

Tuesday May 19th

Commenced with rainy weather
ends calm

Wednesday May 20th

Commenced calm and light
breeze moved ship out into the stream
the Capt. Mrs Baker and Mr. Silvey
on board ready for sea middle calm
ends with light breeze from E. got under
way and stood to sea at 4 pm Employed
shoring masts and chains at
Bedford set hole of the boards

Took from Michel
of board bang bang
since 9th