

Remarks Pass On Board Bk. Ocean N. Bedford On. A. Whaling 1880

November

529 Monday 1st Com. with light Gale from S & ship on opposite
tacks under close reef Main top sail with clear weather
light wind Middle part light wind from S & Latter part light Gale
from N & steering S & saw too Sulper bottomed going N &
Scrapping quick see a few Sunfish the watch employed in Scrapping
Bowl Bowl clear weather but Gale increasing Lat 39° 30' S
Case Hurry Oil Long 49° 46' W

530 Tuesday 2nd Com. with fresh Gale from N & steering
Rogue double S & at 4 P.M. took in sail and luffee to the wind on the
halcyon South and Western tack under 2 close reef top sails
to Port top Middle part fresh Gale N & N Latter part fresh Gale
N & N and rain in squalls unpleasant weather Lat 39° 09' S
Long 49° 40' W

531 Wednesday 3rd Com. with fresh Gale S & N and heavy
squalls from N Middle and Latter part fresh
Gale from S & N ship on the N tack Lat 38° 38' S
Long 49° 40' W

532 Thursday 4th Com. with fresh Gale from S & W
the ship on the Western tack under close reef Main top
sail & Main spencer Middle calms heavy swell Latter
part fresh wind from N steering S the watch employed in
light wind in Washing Bowl a heavy swell from S & N Lat 38° 38' S
Long 49° 40' W

533 Friday 5th Com. with fresh breeze from N & N
squalls and squally weather steering S nothing in sight
of rain Middle & Latter part light wind from N & steering S saw
Hump backs employed in Pitting a Over head Boat and
of the Over head making out for water a heavy swell Lat 40° 00' S
Long 49° 30' W

534 Saturday 6th Com. with light wind from N the ship on
the Southern tack at sundown came in fog took in sail
Middle and Latter part Fog wind N & N at 10 A.M. sent
Drunk Boat across the bow Main top Gallant sail and put it in
thing Salt Water to soak to try and creep it from mildewing
Put the Main top cooper employed in Pitting none of the Over
Top Gallant Head Boats or one of the boats on the House for
sail in Salt Whaling saw a plenty of Finbacks but no Whales
Water to many kinds Providence provide us right and grant that
Soak that we may soon get some Oil is the daily Lat 40° 38' S
Long 49° 53' W
Foggy Prayer of Valentine Lewis

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534 Sunday 7th Com. with fresh wind from N & N and
Foggy thick fog the most of the time the ship on the Eastern tack
the Boat Middle and Latter part light Gale N & N & North and
Gale & Foggy the most of the time ship on Eastern tack Lat 40° 26' S
Long 49° 33' W

535 Monday 8th Com. with light Gale from North the ship
on opposite tacks with Fog and rain Middle and
Foggy & rain Latter part light wind from N & N rain and
one of the fog the most of the time saw a plenty of Finbacks
Bark in all rain none Merchant Bark bound South
sight

536 Tuesday 9th Com. with light wind from N & S & N
rain & Fog same rain and fog a heavy swell from N & N ship on
Drying the S & Eastern tack Middle part light breeze from N & N
Bowl pleasant weather ship on the Southern tack Latter part
Lost sight fine weather wind light from N & N steering S and
of the Merchant S & the Merchant Bark still in sight Lat 40° 38' S
Long 49° 16' W

537 Wednesday 10th Com. with light wind N & E & N steering S
& S & fine pleasant weather at sundown took in sail
Bowl Middle and Latter part fresh wind from N at 8 A.M.
cut over the steering S saw a few Hump backs Lat 41° 26' S
Main Spencer

538 Thursday 11th Com. with fresh wind from the North
the Com. at 1 P.M. came in rain steering S in a easy sail
Sick of duty Middle part light wind S & N & rain and Fog Latter part
the same the Starboard & look head a rum passed nothing serious
Foggy Steward & Cook of liquor & spirits

539 Friday 12th Com. with light wind from N & N with rain
rain & fog and Fog the ship laying with Head & Back Middle
Bowl M. Spence part the same Latter part light wind from S & N fine weather
N. Sp. Gallant steering N & N and N by A saw Hump backs Lat 41° 26' S
Long 49° 55' W

540 Saturday 13th Com. wind South and pleasant steering N & N
fine weather N saw a few Hump backs at sundown took in sail
light wind Middle and Latter part light wind from North and
and cloudy N the ship on the Western tack the watch employed in
no weather in making out for water in the Main Hatch and
Trailing Ship the weather damp and a cloudy over
cast nothing in sight tomorrow wind Lat 41° 11' S